# Who we are:

- ► Founded in 1974, the Federation of Metro Tenants' Associations is the oldest and largest Tenant Federation in Canada
- We are a non-profit organization composed of affiliated Tenants'
  Associations and individual tenants

### **OUR GOALS**

- ► To organize and foster tenant organizations
- ► To provide information, education and assistance to tenants
- ➤ To further the interest of tenants by advocating and campaigning for better tenant protection laws
- ➤ To promote decent and affordable housing as a right of all tenants

THE FMTA IS FUNDED BY SEVERAL SOURCES INCLUDING THE CITY OF TORONTO, THE ONTARIO TRILLIUM FOUNDATION, THE LAW FOUNDATION OF ONTARIO AND MEMBER DUES. ALL OUR SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO ALL TENANTS IN TORONTO FREE OF CHARGE."

# **Our services:**

### TENANT HOTLINE

The Tenant Hotline answers questions and offers information, options and referrals for tenants in the City of Toronto.

If you have questions about your rights as a tenant, or are having difficulty with your landlord, call us!

**▶** Tenant Hotline

416 • 921 • 9494

MONDAY TO FRIDAY • 8:30AM TO 6:00PM

### **OUTREACH & ORGANIZING TEAM**

The Outreach & Organizing team helps tenants organize to dispute Above Guideline Rent Increases and demolitions and conversion applications. If you have any questions about disputing an Above Guideline Rent Increase or demolition or conversion application, call us!

Outreach & Organizing Team

416•413•9442

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

# Other services:

THE FMTA OFFERS OTHER SERVICES WHEN POSSIBLE

### WORKSHOPS

- We offer individual workshops on tenant rights and a Connecting Communities Tenant School training program for settlement workers.
- Our Ontario Trillium Foundation Tenant Community Project helps tenants organize tenant associations in their buildings.

### **RESOURCES**

➤ We have several different educational guides and manuals available in over 20 different languages

Our website *torontotenants.org* offers a wealth of information for tenants

### ADVOCATING FOR TENANTS' RIGHTS

We hear the concerns of our members and pressure governments to improve tenants' rights; rent control, repairs and enforcement of landlords following the law are important issues for tenants.

We inform the media about tenants' perspectives on issues that matter to them.

Just fill out the membership application and mail to:

FMTA PO BOX 73102 WOOD ST PO TORONTO, ON M4Y2W5

| I WILL PAY MY MEMBERSHIP DUES BY:   | I AM JOINING AS THE FOLLOWING TYPE OF MEMBER:         | BER:             |
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| ☐ Cheque or money order ☐ Cash (made out to FMTA)   | ☐ New Member ☐ Renewal                                |                  |
| Please Print:   | ☐ Individual: \$20/YEAR                               | :<br>:<br>:<br>: |
| Name:   | ■ Senior, student or unemployed: \$5/YEAR             |                  |
| Address: Apt #:   | ☐ Supporter/Organization: \$50/YEAR                   |                  |
| City:   | ☐ Tenants' Association:                               |                  |
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# **JOIN US!**

- ► Become a Member!
- We provide a voice for tenants at Queen's Park, City Hall and in our own communities.
- We have been fighting for better protection for tenants for over 40 years.

# ADD YOUR VOICE TO THE TENANT MOVEMENT IN TORONTO!

By joining together we can achieve the fairness and justice that all tenants deserve.

Members receive a copy of our newsletter, the Tenant, and benefits like discounts on renters insurance, Autoshare and Zipcar. They also vote at the FMTA Annual General Meeting.

### The FMTA is your Federation

# Federation of Metro Tenants' Associations

FIGHTING FOR TENANTS' RIGHTS SINCE 1974

### Having Problems with your Landlord?

► Call us! Know Your Rights 416•921•9494

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