4/29/16 - If you are using a tablet, what kind are you using and do you recommend it to other PHAs?

Yes, iPad. Yes we would recommend the use of a tablet to other PHAs. (Anson)

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Using refurbished I Pads. (Atlanta)

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I have a Surface Pro 3. Took it with me to training last week and it was great. I use it as my main computer with an additional monitor hooked to it for dual screens. I would definitely recommend the Surface Pro 3 (Gainesville)

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We have ipad airs for maintenance. The only administrative duties that we've used them for is for inspections, but its pretty nice because you can use office on it and don't have to handwrite things anymore. I would recommend it for any PHA that's wanting to go paperless. (New Boston)

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We use the iPad through Housing Pro. It has it's issues, but works as well overall. Most of the problems are with the software (Housing Pro) and the inspection checklist that hasn't been updated to keep up with the technology changes. If it wouldn't create other problems, I would have purchased one with a data plan capabilities and not just Wi-Fi. (Brazoria Co)

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Mini iPads for Lindsey programs. For work orders, meter readings. Plan to use for scanning fixed asset bar codes soon and for inspection system. We are happy with them. (CTHC (Temple/Belton)

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Preferred tablet is Advil. Most effective when administered with a gin martini or shot of bourbon. (anonymous) :)

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Toshiba I like the tablet it just depends upon what you are using it for. If for Lindsey they only support the ipad. (Dublin)

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I just got a Microsoft Pro; I'm learning how to use it and so far it's great. I would recommend it....(Edcouch)

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We use LG Tablet and they work very good.  The days I am off I can check all email that comes to the office; when power is off I can still get work done.   ( Falls City)

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We use the iPad for our inspection system. Yes we would recommend it.

(Greenville)

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We are using an IPad with Lindsey software. I would recommend to other agencies.

(Gregory)

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We are using Window Surface tablets for the board. If you are considering a paperless meeting I would recommend. The screen is bigger than a 7" tablet, easy to flip through documents. Uploading everything into Dropbox or even by email has worked well. Two of my older members come by the office a couple of days before the meeting and we pull the documents onto the desktop of the Surface for them. No delivery, no mail, no copies, paper and staff time saver! (Kenedy)

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We use iPads. They allow us to access desktop files when on the go and they are compatible with our HQS software.  (Longview)

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Apple, works good for HQS inspections and taking pictures of units.

(Montgomery County)

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We use iPads for mobile work orders and UPCS Inspections (Lindsey software).  Works great. (Knox City/Munday)

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I-Pad, Yes the best in the market. (Pecos)

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I use a Toshiba Excite and the Board members have Kindles which I use to send out all information including Board meeting documents. This way I don't have to copy and mail anything to the Board members. Works out great. (Poteet)

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Maintenance Man uses an ipad mini. It is light weight and fits better in hands. Not so big and Bulky. (San Saba)

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Ipad--yes works well. (Schertz)

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We are using an Ipad with Happy Housing Pro. We've used it for several years and have experienced no major issues with it. (SPRHA)

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Apple I pad for HQS inspections with PHA Web software. (Uvalde)

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We have an Apple IPad (16GB) for Housing Inspections. We use Happy Software that has an Inspection module. The inspection and photos completed in the field and we down loaded then into the Happy Software.   The case is a Kensington keyboard and IPad cover. (Wichita Falls)