

...and please someone end Section 8.
Why are my taxes paying for these
degenerate, unappreciative lazy dum
[sic] scum who have no aspirations.
We are housing and feeding the very
same people who are hurting innocent
people. Lets save taxpayers money
and clean the county by ending these
incentives...

Comment in Chicago Tribune article Chicago's
gang crime spreading to the suburbs. 12/19/2010


Public Discourse

Identity

Status

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A great emphasis should be put in revisiting the legislation and the linkage between racism and poverty. As long as those marginalized economically and socially are minorities, domestic policies remain inadequate.

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U.N. Special Rapporteur on Racism
May 23, 2008, Chicago

Rights

Who is entitled to housing and its benefits?

Who can make claims?

Negative / positive externalities from housing entitlements