5-Year PHA Plan (for All PHAs)

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Purpose. The 5-Year and Annual PHA Plans provide a ready source for interested parties to locate basic PHA policies, rules, and requirements concerning the PHA's operations, programs, and services, and informs HUD, families served by the PHA, and members of the public of the PHA's mission, goals and objectives for serving the needs of low- income, very low- income, and extremely low- income families

Applicability. Form HUD-50075-5Y is to be completed once every 5 PHA fiscal years by all PHAs.

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B. 5-Year Plan. Required for all PHAs completing this form.

B.1 Mission. State the PHA's mission for serving the needs of low- income, very low- income, and extremely low- income families in the PHA's jurisdiction for the next five years.

The mission of the Hingham Housing Authority (HHA) is to protect, create and expand public and affordable housing opportunities locally while also maintaining and sustaining affordability of existing developments, improving the quality and condition of these units; to support community development, and increase the number and quality of accessible affordable units, free from discrimination of any kind and affirmatively furthering fair housing. The HHA will encourage self-sufficiency of participant families and assist in the expansion of family opportunities which address education, socio-economic, recreational and other human service needs. To fulfill our mission the HHA will strive to attain and maintain a high level of standards, ethics and accountability in day-to-day management of all program components and make every effort to forge partnerships that leverage other public and private resources in order to improve the HHA's ability to be a successful affordable housing provider and to maintain our designation as a HUD "High Performer".

B.2 Goals and Objectives. Identify the PHA's quantifiable goals and objectives that will enable the PHA to serve the needs of low-income, very low-income, and extremely low-income families for the next five years.

Expand the supply of Quality Affordable Housing.

Continue to apply for public/private funds for the development of additional affordable housing.

Apply for additional vouchers whenever available

Continue to offer lottery and monitoring services to local developers for 40 B projects.

Improve the Quality of Assisted Housing.

The HHA will ensure adherence to HUD requirements regarding HQS inspections, educating landlords on the requirements of the program and continuing to perform annual inspections in order to ensure the highest level of quality housing

Increase Assisted Housing Choices

Provide mobility counseling

Continue outreach efforts to potential landlords

Continue to collaborate with other housing authorities and non profit agencies

Promote mobility and absorb vouchers whenever possible

Continue efforts to develop additional affordable housing units

Promote Economic Opportunities

Continue to apply for and administer the Family Self Sufficiency program to promote increases in earned income, increased savings, educational opportunities, training and self sufficiency.

Collaborate with other Housing Authorities and non profits to offer quality housing outside of higher poverty areas.

Home Ownership Program

Hingham Housing Authority will explore development of a Home Ownership program as part of expanding its Family Self Sufficiency.

Progress Report. Include a report on the progress the PHA has made in meeting the goals and objectives described in the previous 5-Year Plan.

The Hingham Housing Authority has partnered with the Quincy Housing Authority and has made the following progress towards meeting the goals and objectives described in the previous 5 year plan.

Inspections of all public housing units and Section 8 units have been performed, and HQS standards are being maintained.

The Authority continues to offer lottery and monitoring services to local developers for 40 B projects.

The Authority continues to apply for public and private funds for the development of additional affordable housing.

The Authority has partnered with the Town of Hingham to increase the number of affordable housing units.

The Authority shall continue to apply for and administer the Family Self Sufficiency Program.

B.4 Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Goals. Provide a statement of the PHA's goals, activities objectives, policies, or programs that will enable the PHA to serve the needs of child and adult victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.

The HHA will continue to educate the public, landlords and program participants on the VAWA Act. We also provide hotline numbers and local shelter information to our participants. We will seek out awareness and prevention programs for our residents and participants

B.5 Significant Amendment or Modification. Provide a statement on the criteria used for determining a significant amendment or modification to the 5-Year Plan. The HHA has defined what constitutes a "substantial deviation" or "significant amendment/modification" as follows: Changes in waiting list preference criteria that are not already included in the plan. Establishment of new and/or substantively revised policies or procedures in Section 8 that have not previously been submitted as part of the current or previous year's Agency Plans, which are not required by HUD through law, rule or regulation. Loss or inadequate funding for a program If there is a "substantial deviation" or "significant amendment/modification" to the Authority's Agency Plan, the following procedures outlined in 24 CFR 903.21 will be followed: HHA will amend or modify its Agency Plan upon the occurrence of a significant amendment/modification. The HHA may not adopt an amendment or modification until the HHA has duly called a meeting of its Board of Commissioners, and the modification or amendment is adopted, at a meeting open to the public, and, may not implement the amendment or modification until notification of the amendment or modification is provided to HUD and approved by HUD in accordance with HUD's plan review procedures. Each significant amendment or modification to the plan submitted to HUD is subject to the requirements of 903.13, 903.15 and 903.17. **B.6** Resident Advisory Board (RAB) Comments. (a) Did the RAB(s) provide comments to the 5-Year PHA Plan? ☐ Notices were sent to all HCV participants regarding RAB meeting. No attendees present. (b) If yes, comments must be submitted by the PHA as an attachment to the 5-Year PHA Plan. PHAs must also include a narrative describing their analysis of the RAB recommendations and the decisions made on these recommendations. **B.**7 Certification by State or Local Officials. Form HUD 50077-SL, Certification by State or Local Officials of PHA Plans Consistency with the Consolidated Plan, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan.

Instructions for Preparation of Form HUD-50075-5Y 5-Year PHA Plan for All PHAs

A. PHA Information 24 CFR §903.23(4)(e)

A.1 Include the full PHA Name, PHA Code, PHA Fiscal Year Beginning (MM/YYYY), PHA Plan Submission Type, and the Availability of Information, specific location(s) of all information relevant to the hearing and proposed PHA Plan.

PHA Consortia: Check box if submitting a Joint PHA Plan and complete the table.

B. 5-Year Plan.

- B.1 Mission. State the PHA's mission for serving the needs of low- income, very low- income, and extremely low- income families in the PHA's jurisdiction for the next five years. (24 CFR §903.6(a)(1))
- **B.2** Goals and Objectives. Identify the PHA's quantifiable goals and objectives that will enable the PHA to serve the needs of low-income, very low-income, and extremely low-income families for the next five years. (24 CFR §903.6(b)(1)) For Qualified PHAs only, if at any time a PHA proposes to take units offline for modernization, then that action requires a significant amendment to the PHA's 5-Year Plan.
- B.3 Progress Report. Include a report on the progress the PHA has made in meeting the goals and objectives described in the previous 5-Year Plan. (24 CFR §903.6(b)(2))
- B.4 Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Goals. Provide a statement of the PHA's goals, activities objectives, policies, or programs that will enable the PHA to serve the needs of child and adult victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. (24 CFR §903.6(a)(3))
- B.5 Significant Amendment or Modification. Provide a statement on the criteria used for determining a significant amendment or modification to the 5-Year Plan.

B.6 Resident Advisory Board (RAB) comments.

- (a) Did the public or RAB provide comments?
- (b) If yes, submit comments as an attachment to the Plan and describe the analysis of the comments and the PHA's decision made on these recommendations. (24 CFR §903.17(a), 24 CFR §903.19)

This information collection is authorized by Section 511 of the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act, which added a new section 5A to the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended, which introduced the 5-Year PHA Plan. The 5-Year PHA Plan provides the PHA's mission, goals and objectives for serving the needs of low- income, very low- income, and extremely low-income families and the progress made in meeting the goals and objectives described in the previous 5-Year Plan.

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