Streamlined Annual PHA Plan

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing

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(High Performer PHAs)

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, including changes to these policies, 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. The Form HUD-50075-HP is to be completed annually by **High Performing PHAs**. PHAs that meet the definition of a Standard PHA, Troubled PHA, HCV-Only PHA, Small PHA, or Qualified PHA do not need to submit this form.

Definitions.

- (1) High-Performer PHA A PHA that owns or manages more than 550 combined public housing units and housing choice vouchers and was designated as a high performer on both the most recent Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) and Section Eight Management Assessment Program (SEMAP) assessments.
- (2) Small PHA A PHA that is not designated as PHAS or SEMAP troubled, and that owns or manages less than 250 public housing units and any number of vouchers where the total combined units exceed 550.
- (3) Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Only PHA A PHA that administers more than 550 HCVs, was not designated as troubled in its most recent SEMAP assessment and does not own or manage public housing.
- (4) Standard PHA A PHA that owns or manages 250 or more public housing units and any number of vouchers where the total combined units exceed 550, and that was designated as a standard performer in the most recent PHAS or SEMAP assessments.
- (5) Troubled PHA A PHA that achieves an overall PHAS or SEMAP score of less than 60 percent.
- (6) Qualified PHA A PHA with 550 or fewer public housing dwelling units and/or housing choice vouchers combined and is not PHAS or SEMAP troubled

Α.	PHA Information.					
A.1	PHA Type: High Performent PHA Plan for Fiscal Year Better PHA Inventory (Based on An Number of Public Housing (Total Combined 1943 PHA Plan Submission Type: Availability of Information. A PHA must identify the specand proposed PHA Plan are avasonably obtain additional in submissions. At a minimum, office of the PHA. PHAs are resident council with a copy of the PHA.	A Plan for Fiscal Year Beginning: (MM/YYYY): 04/01/2024 A Inventory (Based on Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) units at time of FY beginning, above) mber of Public Housing (PH) Units 502 Number of Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs) 1441				
	· ·		g a Joint PHA Plan and complete ta	Program(s) not in the	No. of Units in Each Program	
	Participating PHAs	PHA Code	Program(s) in the Consortia	Consortia	PH	HCV
	Lead PHA:					

]	Plan Elements		
]	Revision of Existing PHA Plan Elements.		
(a) Have the following PHA Plan elements been r	evised by the PHA since its last Annual PHA Pla	an submission?
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	(b) If the PHA answered yes for any element, described	cribe the revisions for each element below:	
(c) The PHA must submit its Deconcentration Pol	icy for Field Office Review.	
	The AHA's Deconcentration Policy is provide	ed at Attachment A	
ļ	Financial Resources		
5	Statement of Financial Resources FY2024 PHA Pl	an is provided below:	
	SOURCES	PLANNED \$	PLANNED USES

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1. Federal Grants		
a. Public Housing AMP 1	01.006.566.00	
Operating Funds	<u>\$1,296,566.00</u>	Management/Operations
b. Public Housing AMP 2 Operating Funds	\$1,388,492.00	Management/Operations
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c. Public Housing Capital Fund	\$1,882,717.00	Capital Improvements and CF Eligible Activities
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d. Hope VI Revitalization	\$0	n/a
G. Hope villeviminumon	<u> </u>	120.00
e. Hope VI Demolition	\$0	n/a
f. Annual Contributions for HCV Tenant-		
based assistance	<u>\$</u>	HAP Funding
g. Public Housing Drug Elimination		
Program (include any Technical Assistance Funds)	\$0	l-
	20	n/a
h. Resident Opportunity and Self- sufficiency Grant	\$ 239,250.00	Program Activities
Sufficiency Grant	<u>ψ 237,230.00</u>	(1) Security Cameras @ Indian Trail and
		Centennial (2) Laundry Outlet &
	************	Washers/Dryers @ Southwind (3) Window
i. Community Development Block Grant	\$339,056.88	replacements @ Indian Trail
i. HOME	60	/-
2. Prior Year Federal Grants (unobligated	<u>\$0</u>	<u>n/a</u>
funds only)		
(List below)		
3. Public Hsg. Dwelling Income		
AMP 1	<u>\$661,392.59</u>	Management/Operations
AMP 2	<u>\$837,782.62</u>	Management/Operations

B.2	New Activities.
	(a) Does the PHA intend to undertake any new activities related to the following in the PHA's current Fiscal Year?
	Y N ☐ ☑ Hope VI or Choice Neighborhoods. ☐ ☐ Mixed Finance Modernization or Development. ☐ ☐ Demolition and/or Disposition.
	 ☐ Conversion of Public Housing to Tenant Based Assistance. ☐ Conversion of Public Housing to Project-Based Rental Assistance or Project-Based Vouchers under RAD. ☐ Project Based Vouchers. ☐ Units with Approved Vacancies for Modernization.
	☐ ☑ Other Capital Grant Programs (i.e., Capital Fund Community Facilities Grants or Emergency Safety and Security Grants).
	(b) If any of these activities are planned for the current Fiscal Year, describe the activities. For new demolition activities, describe any public housing development or portion thereof, owned by the PHA for which the PHA has applied or will apply for demolition and/or disposition approval under section 18 of the 1937 Act under the separate demolition/disposition approval process. If using Project-Based Vouchers (PBVs), provide the projected number of project-based units and general locations, and describe how project basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan.
	Eastwood Apartments (IL09000001), 58 units: A 2023 Physical Needs Assessment (PNA) of Eastwood Apartments revealed that a plan to demolish the 50+ year-old development using HUD grants and funds leveraged through federal Low-Income Housing Tax Credits will be necessary due to the age and condition of the structure; the current domestic water supply system is at the end of its life expectancy and was reported and observed in poor physical condition with active leaks. In addition, the sanitary waste lines are original cast iron piping and are in immediate need of replacement as the piping system is very near the end of its life expectancy and was reported and observed in poor physical condition with active leaks; the units surveyed do not feature any compliant designated handicapped dwelling units; past modifications to the property have included minor mechanical and electrical upgrades. Future modifications would require surface mounted raceways and piping, whereby appropriate modern construction would include concealment of all exposed piping; the dwelling units are undersized compared to current, modern day construction standards; rehabilitation of the structure would include environmental remediation requirements relative to hazardous building materials (asbestos containing materials).,
	During the year ahead the AHA will continue to plan for the total demolition of the 58-unit development. We anticipate that development financing will include HUD grants as well as LIHTC. Eastwood Apartments serves families in two, three, four and five bedroom units; Eastwood Apartments will continue to serve these populations after redevelopment. Unit size and distribution will be determined during the planning process. It is expected that the conversion will require tenant relocation. Tenants will receive all applicable assistance available through the Uniform Relocation Act, including a Tenant Protection Voucher (TPV) and help locating equal housing.
	Project Based Vouchers: The AHA has committed seventy project-based vouchers to its new LIHTC Senior Housing Development, Fourteen Forty Nine Senior Estates. The AHA anticipates the completion date to be in July 2024.
	Units with Approved Vacancies for Modernization: The Aurora Housing Authority will place units that will require extensive modernization work and have a turnaround time of over 90 days, be placed on the units with approved vacancies for modernization.
B.3	Progress Report.
	Provide a description of the PHA's progress in meeting its Mission and Goals described in the PHA 5-Year Plan.
	SAFETY AND CRIME PREVENTION The Aurora Housing Authority has continued to have a partnership and positive relationship with the Aurora Police Department. The Aurora Police Department has continued to increase safety and crime prevention at our Public Housing sites. The police department's COP Officers participate in the agency's monthly resident meetings to provide information regarding safety issues and decrease in crime and anti-social behavior at the properties. The Executive Director along with the Director of Public Housing meet monthly with the COP Officers and Sergeants to discuss all safety and crime prevention methods at all the sites. Both the APD and AHA share critical information to assist in finding solutions for problems with banned and unauthorized tenants at our various sites. The collaboration and partnership has assisted our agency in reducing crime at all of our sites. This process has also saided the agency in evicting problem tenants from our sites. In addition with assisting our agency with crime prevention, in

November 2023, the APD's NOBLE union provided sixty-four new winter coats to our residents at our Eastwood family site. This is proof of a real partnership between the Aurora Police Department and the Aurora Housing Authority.

OPERATIONS and MANAGEMENT

The Aurora Housing Authority has continued to maintain its day to day management and operations for the agencies Public Housing and Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Departments. The AHA's public housing department continues to manage all five sites and our scattered sites on a daily basis. The AHA's designation is that of a High Performer based on its financials, occupancy, physical and its Capital Funds. The AHA holds monthly resident meetings at each of our sites. During these meetings, the agency's Management Team discusses all aspects from occupancy, recertifications rent collections and work orders. In addition, the agency provides information and services to all residents based on their requests. In 2023, the AHA was designated a High Performer in its Housing Choice Voucher program. The HCV program received 135 out of 145 points in SEMAP, the score was 93% out of 100%. The AHA conducts monthly meetings with its HCV Team to review its utilization rate, funding, annual reviews and any other items pertinent to the HCV Program. We plan to launch a Landlord Symposium to encourage greater access to housing for Housing Choice Voucher program participants. The AHA's Section 8 Administrative Plan and our Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy (ACOP) for LIPH units will be updated in the upcoming fiscal year.

DEVELOPMENT

In September 2022, the AHA received approval from SAC for the disposition of the vacant land at 1449 Jericho Circle, Aurora IL to its non-profit, Northern Lights Development Corporation. In September 2023, the Aurora Housing Authority and its instrumentality, Northern Lights Development Corporation, submitted its pre-application to the Illinois Housing Development Authority (IHDA) for Low Income Housing Tax Credits. The pre-application was approved in January 2021. The full application was submitted and approved in April 2023 and the AHA was awarded 9% tax credits grant to develop the vacant land located at 1449 Jericho Circle, Aurora IL 60506. The new development, Fourteen Forty Nine Senior Estates, will be a seventy unit senior development for seniors ages sixty-two and older, with a preference for veterans. The financial closing was completed in May 2023 and construction began in May 2023. To date, sixty-six foundations have been completed and the construction of two duplexes is underway and will be completed and inspected by the City of Aurora in the near future. Construction is expected to be completed within twelve to fourteen months from the start of construction or by the summer of 2024. The AHA has committed seventy project-based vouchers to this new development, Fourteen Forty Nine Senior Estates.

ASSET MANAGEMENT

The Aurora Housing Authority converted its financial and management operations to the Asset Management model in September 2018. Due to the change in the financial process, the AHA's financial conditions have improved significantly from a score of zero to a score of twenty-five. This conversion is what made it possible for this agency to be a High Performer as well as having audits with zero findings.

OCCUPANCY

The Aurora Housing Authority has made substantial progress in increasing its occupancy rate and providing housing to clients. The agency has increased it occupancy rate in 2019 from 92.43% to 98%, in 2020, 2021 and 2022, the AHA's occupancy rate remained at 98% and in 2023 our score was 97%. The AHA's goal is to continue to have a plan to fill its vacant units within a 30-day period.

PHAS SCORE

The Aurora Housing Authority has improved its PHAS score beginning in 2019. The agency improved its PHAS score from 47 to 91 in 2019. The agency was designated a High Performer and has been consistent in maintaining that score. In 2022, the agency received a PHAS score of 90.

SEMAP

The Aurora Housing Authority's HCV Program was designated a High Performer in 2023 with a SEMAP score of 93 out of 100. The program scored 135 points out of 145 total points.

CUSTOMER SERVICE

The Aurora Housing Authority has continued to improve its customer service to its residents by having monthly management meetings with its residents. These meeting provide a forum for our residents to discuss any and all housing issues pertaining to their homes, maintenance, anti-social behavior, etc. Also in attendance are the COPs of the Aurora Police Department, a representative from the State's Attorney's Office and City of Aurora staff members who provide information to our residents.

MODERNIZATION

The Aurora Housing Authority is finalizing the modernization of its Indian Trail site. The AHA is in the process of replacing and installing new windows in all thirty-six apartments. The upgrade to the landscape at this site was completed in the summer of 2023. The remaining two projects for this site consists of the parking lot replacement and installation of security cameras. The agency will have these completed in 2024.

The AHA will begin the modernization of our Southwind family site by starting with the installation of laundry outlet boxes and the installation of stackable washers and dryers in each unit. After the completion of this project, the agency will begin the modernization of the interior of each apartment beginning the Summer 2024. This modernization will include new floors, new kitchen cabinets and appliances, interior and exterior doors, bathroom toilets, vanities and the entire units will be painted. If

	needed, the agency will replace the furnaces and water heaters. The agency plans to upgrade the electrical system and air conditioners.	
	The Aurora Housing Authority will be submitting a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for the redeveloping or modernization of its Centennial House and Centennial House Annex site. This site consists of 127 one bedroom apartments. The agency's goal is to have the RFQ submitted in December 2023. The AHA will decide on the future of Centennial House in 2024. In addition, the AHA will create a plan for its Maple Terrace Site and Scattered Sites in 2024.	
	DEMO/DISPO The Aurora Housing Authority is applying for the demolition/disposition of its Eastwood Family Site. This site consists of twenty-four buildings and fifty-eight units. The agency has completed its environmental review and continues working on the remaining items and hopes to submit the application by December 1, 2023. Once approved, the AHA will begin the relocation process. Current residents will receive a Tenant Protection Voucher (TPV) and will have the option of using that to rent privately owned property in accordance with regulations governing the TPV program. Our goal is to begin the relocation process by the second quarter of 2024.	
B.4.	Capital Improvements. Include a reference here to the most recent HUD-approved 5-Year Action Plan in EPIC and the date that it was approved. Anticipated capital expenditures for the fiscal year that begins 04/01/2024 are included in the Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan approved on 09/14/2023 (available in the HUD Energy and Performance Information Center (EPIC) Secure System).	
B.5	Most Recent Fiscal Year Audit.	
	(a) Were there any findings in the most recent FY Audit?	
	Y N □ ⊠	
	(b) If yes, please describe:	
C.	Other Document and/or Certification Requirements.	
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D.	Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing (AFFH).
D.1	Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing. Provide a statement of the PHA's strategies and actions to achieve fair housing goals outlined in an accepted Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) consistent with 24 CFR § 5.154(d)(5). Use the chart provided below. (PHAs should add as many goals as necessary to overcome fair housing issues and contributing factors.) Until such time as the PHA is required to submit an AFH, the PHA is not obligated to complete this chart. The PHA will fulfill, nevertheless, the requirements at 24 CFR § 903.7(o) enacted prior to August 17, 2015. See Instructions for further detail on completing this item.
	Describe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal
	Fair Housing Goal: Describe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal
	Pescribe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal

Instructions for Preparation of Form HUD-50075-HP Annual Plan for High Performing PHAs

A. PHA Information. All PHAs must complete this section. (24 CFR §903.4)

В.

A.1 Include the full PHA Name, PHA Code, PHA Type, PHA Fiscal Year Beginning (MM/YYYY), PHA Inventory, Number of Public Housing Units and or Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs), PHA Plan Submission Type, and the Availability of Information, specific location(s) of all information relevant to the public hearing and proposed PHA Plan. (24 CFR §903.23(4)(e))

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	PHA Consortia: Check box if submitting a Joint PHA Plan and complete the table. (24 CFR §943.128(a))
Pla	n Elements.
B.1	Revision of Existing PHA Plan Elements. PHAs must:
	Identify specifically which plan elements listed below that have been revised by the PHA. To specify which elements have been revised, mark the "yes" box. If an element has not been revised, mark "no."
	Statement of Housing Needs and Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs. Provide a statement addressing the housing needs of low-income, very low-income and extremely low-income families and a brief description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families who reside in the jurisdiction served by the PHA and other families who are on the public housing and Section 8 tenant-based assistance waiting lists. The statement must identify the housing needs of (i) families with incomes below 30 percent of area median income (extremely low-income); (ii) elderly families (iii) households with individuals with disabilities, and households of various races and ethnic groups residing in the jurisdiction or on the public housing and Section 8 tenant-based assistance waiting lists based on information provided by the applicable Consolidated Plan, information provided by HUD, and other generally available data. The statement of housing needs shall be based on information provided by the applicable Consolidated Plan, information provided by HUD, and generally available data. The identification of housing needs must address issues of affordability, supply, quality, accessibility, size of units, and location. Once the PHA has submitted an Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH), which includes an assessment of disproportionate housing needs in accordance with 24 CFR §5.154(d)(2)(iv), information on households with individuals with disabilities and households of various races and ethnic groups residing in the jurisdiction or on the waiting lists no longer needs to be included in the Statement of Housing Needs and Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs. (24 CFR §903.7(a).
	The identification of housing needs must address issues of affordability, supply, quality, accessibility, size of units, and location. (24 CFR §903.7(a)(2)(i)) Provide a description of the ways in which the PHA intends, to the maximum extent practicable, to address those housing needs in the upcoming year and the PHA's reasons for choosing its strategy. (24 CFR §903.7(a)(2)(ii))
	Deconcentration and Other Policies that Govern Eligibility, Selection and Admissions. Describe the PHA's admissions policy for deconcentration of poverty and income mixing of lower-income families in public housing. The Deconcentration Policy must describe the PHA's policy for bringing higher income tenants into lower income developments and lower income tenants into higher income developments. The deconcentration requirements apply to general occupancy and family public housing developments. Refer to 24 CFR §903.2(b)(2) for developments not subject to deconcentration of poverty and income mixing requirements. 24 CFR §903.7(b) Describe the PHA's procedures for maintaining waiting lists for admission to public housing and address any site-based waiting lists. 24 CFR §903.7(b) A statement of the PHA's policies that govern resident or tenant eligibility, selection and admission including admission preferences for both public housing and HCV. (24 CFR §903.7(b) Describe the unit assignment policies for public housing.
	Financial Resources. A statement of financial resources, including a listing by general categories, of the PHA's anticipated resources, such as PHA operating, capital and other anticipated Federal resources available to the PHA, as well as tenant rents and other income available to support public housing or tenant-based assistance. The statement also should include the non-Federal sources of funds supporting each Federal program, and state the planned use for the resources. (24 CFR §903.7(c)
	Rent Determination. A statement of the policies of the PHA governing rents charged for public housing and HCV dwelling units, including applicable public housing flat rents, minimum rents, voucher family rent contributions, and payment standard policies. (24 CFR §903.7(d)
	☐ Homeownership Programs . A description of any homeownership programs (including project number and unit count) administered by the agency or for which the PHA has applied or will apply for approval. For years in which the PHA's 5-Year PHA Plan is also due, this information must be included only to the extent that the PHA participates in homeownership programs under section 8(y) of the 1937 Act. (24 CFR §903.7(k) and 24 CFR §903.12(b).
	☐ Safety and Crime Prevention (VAWA). A description of: 1) Any activities, services, or programs provided or offered by an agency, either directly or in partnership with other service providers, to child or adult victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking; 2) Any activities, services, or programs provided or offered by a PHA that helps child and adult victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, to obtain or maintain housing; and 3) Any activities, services, or programs provided or offered by a public housing agency to prevent domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, or to enhance victim safety in assisted families. (24 CFR §903.7(m)(5))
	Pet Policy. Describe the PHA's policies and requirements pertaining to the ownership of pets in public housing. (24 CFR §903.7(n))
	☐ Substantial Deviation. PHA must provide its criteria for determining a "substantial deviation" to its 5-Year Plan. (24 CFR §903.7(r)(2)(i)

Notice PIH-2012-32 REV-3, successor RAD Implementation Notices, or other RAD Notices.

☐ Significant Amendment/Modification. PHA must provide its criteria for determining a "Significant Amendment or Modification" to its 5-Year and Annual Plan. For modifications resulting from the Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) program, refer to the 'Sample PHA Plan Amendment' found in

If any boxes are marked "yes", describe the revision(s) to those element(s) in the space provided.

PHAs must submit a Deconcentration Policy for Field Office review. For additional guidance on what a PHA must do to deconcentrate poverty in its development and comply with fair housing requirements, see 24 CFR 903.2. (24 CFR §903.23(b))

B.2	New Activities. If the PHA intends to undertake any new activities related to these elements or discretionary policies in the current Fiscal Year, mark "yes" for those elements, and describe the activities to be undertaken in the space provided. If the PHA does not plan to undertake these activities, mark "no."
	☐ HOPE VI. 1) A description of any housing (including project name, number (if known) and unit count) for which the PHA will apply for HOPE VI; and 2) A timetable for the submission of applications or proposals. The application and approval process for Hope VI is a separate process. See guidance on
	HUD's website at: https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/public_indian_housing/programs/ph/hope6 . (Notice PIH 2011-47)
	Mixed Finance Modernization or Development. 1) A description of any housing (including name, project number (if known) and unit count) for which the PHA will apply for Mixed Finance Modernization or Development; and 2) A timetable for the submission of applications or proposals. The application and approval process for Mixed Finance Modernization or Development is a separate process. See guidance on HUD's website at: https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/public_indian_housing/programs/ph/hope6/mfph#4
	Demolition and/or Disposition. With respect to public housing only, describe any public housing development(s), or portion of a public housing development projects, owned by the PHA and subject to ACCs (including project number and unit numbers [or addresses]), and the number of affected units along with their sizes and accessibility features) for which the PHA will apply or is currently pending for demolition or disposition approval under section 18 of the 1937 Act (42 U.S.C. 1437p); and (2) A timetable for the demolition or disposition. This statement must be submitted to the extent that approved and/or pending demolition and/or disposition has changed as described in the PHA's last Annual and/or 5-Year PHA Plan submission. The application and approval process for demolition and/or disposition is a separate process. Approval of the PHA Plan does not constitute approval of these activities. See guidance on HUD's website at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/demo_dispo/index.cfm . (24 CFR §903.7(h))
	Conversion of Public Housing under the Voluntary or Mandatory Conversion programs. Describe any public housing building(s) (including project number and unit count) owned by the PHA that the PHA is required to convert or plans to voluntarily convert to tenant-based assistance; 2) An analysis of the projects or buildings required to be converted; and 3) A statement of the amount of assistance received to be used for rental assistance or other housing assistance in connection with such conversion. See guidance on HUD's website at:
	http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/conversion.cfm. (24 CFR §903.7(j))
	Conversion of Public Housing under the Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) program. Describe any public housing building(s) (including project number and unit count) owned by the PHA that the PHA plans to voluntarily convert to Project-Based Assistance or Project-Based Vouchers under RAD. See additional guidance on HUD's website at: Notice PIH 2012-32 REV-3, successor RAD Implementation Notices, and other RAD notices.
	Project-Based Vouchers. Describe any plans to use HCVs for new project-based vouchers. (24 CFR §983.57(b)(1)) If using project-based vouchers, provide the projected number of project-based units and general locations and describe how project-basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan.
	Units with Approved Vacancies for Modernization. The PHA must include a statement related to units with approved vacancies that are undergoing modernization in accordance with 24 CFR §990.145(a)(1).
	☐ Other Capital Grant Programs (i.e., Capital Fund Community Facilities Grants or Emergency Safety and Security Grants).
B.3	Progress Report. For all Annual Plans following submission of the first Annual Plan, a PHA must include a brief statement of the PHA's progress in meeting the mission and goals described in the 5-Year PHA Plan. (24 CFR §903.7(r)(1))
B.4	Capital Improvements. PHAs that receive funding from the Capital Fund Program (CFP) must complete this section. (24 CFR §903.7 (g)). To comply with this requirement, the PHA must reference the most recent HUD approved Capital Fund 5 Year Action Plan in EPIC and the date that it was approved. PHAs can reference the form by including the following language in the Capital Improvement section of the appropriate Annual or Streamlined PHA Plan Template: "See Capital Fund 5 Year Action Plan in EPIC approved by HUD on XX/XX/XXXX."
B.5	Most Recent Fiscal Year Audit. If the results of the most recent fiscal year audit for the PHA included any findings, mark "yes" and describe those findings in the space provided. (24 CFR §903.7(p))

C. Other Document and/or Certification Requirements

- C.1 Resident Advisory Board (RAB) comments. If the RAB had comments on the annual plan, mark "yes," submit the 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 §903.13(c), 24 CFR §903.19)
- C.2 Certification by State of 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. (24 CFR §903.15). Note: A PHA may request to change its fiscal year to better coordinate its planning with planning done under the Consolidated Plan process by State or local officials as applicable.
- C.3 Civil Rights Certification/ Certification Listing Policies and Programs that the PHA has Revised since Submission of its Last Annual Plan. Provide a certification that the following plan elements have been revised, provided to the RAB for comment before implementation, approved by the PHA board, and made available for review and inspection by the public. This requirement is satisfied by completing and submitting form HUD-50077 ST-HCV-HP, PHA Certifications of Compliance with PHA Plan, Civil Rights, and Related Laws and Regulations Including PHA Plan Elements that Have Changed. Form HUD-50077-ST-HCV-HP, PHA Certifications of Compliance with PHA Plan, Civil Rights, and Related Laws and Regulations Including PHA Plan Elements that Have Changed must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan. This includes all certifications relating to Civil Rights and related regulations. A PHA will be considered in compliance with the certification requirement to affirmatively further fair housing if the PHA fulfills the requirements of §§ 903.7(o)(1) and 903.15(d) and: (i) examines its programs or proposed programs; (ii) identifies any fair housing issues and

contributing factors within those programs, in accordance with 24 CFR 5.154; or 24 CFR 5.160(a)(3) as applicable (iii) specifies actions and strategies designed to address contributing factors, related fair housing issues, and goals in the applicable Assessment of Fair Housing consistent with 24 CFR 5.154 in a reasonable manner in view of the resources available; (iv) works with jurisdictions to implement any of the jurisdiction's initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA's involvement; (v) operates programs in a manner consistent with any applicable consolidated plan under 24 CFR part 91, and with any order or agreement, to comply with the authorities specified in paragraph (o)(1) of this section; (vi) complies with any contribution or consultation requirement with respect to any applicable AFH, in accordance with 24 CFR 5.150 through 5.180; (vii) maintains records reflecting these analyses, actions, and the results of these actions; and (viii) takes steps acceptable to HUD to remedy known fair housing or civil rights violations. impediments to fair housing choice within those programs; addresses those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available; works with the local jurisdiction to implement any of the jurisdiction's initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing; and assures that the annual plan is consistent with any applicable Consolidated Plan for its jurisdiction. (24 CFR §903.7(o)).

C.4 Challenged Elements. If any element of the Annual PHA Plan or 5-Year PHA Plan is challenged, a PHA must include such information as an attachment to the Annual PHA Plan or 5-Year PHA Plan with a description of any challenges to Plan elements, the source of the challenge, and the PHA's response to the public.

D. Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing.

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The PHA will use the answer blocks in item D.1 to provide a statement of its strategies and actions to implement each fair housing goal outlined in its accepted Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) consistent with 24 CFR § 5.154(d)(5) that states, in relevant part: "To implement goals and priorities in an AFH, strategies and actions shall be included in program participants' ... PHA Plans (including any plans incorporated therein) Strategies and actions must affirmatively further fair housing" Use the chart provided to specify each fair housing goal from the PHA's AFH for which the PHA is the responsible program participant – whether the AFH was prepared solely by the PHA, jointly with one or more other PHAs, or in collaboration with a state or local jurisdiction – and specify the fair housing strategies and actions to be implemented by the PHA during the period covered by this PHA Plan. If there are more than three fair housing goals, add answer blocks as necessary.

Until such time as the PHA is required to submit an AFH, the PHA will not have to complete section D., nevertheless, the PHA will address its obligation to affirmatively further fair housing by fulfilling the requirements at 24 CFR 903.7(o)(3) enacted prior to August 17, 2015, which means that it examines its own programs or proposed programs; identifies any impediments to fair housing choice within those programs; addresses those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available; works with local jurisdictions to implement any of the jurisdiction's initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA's involvement; and maintain records reflecting these analyses and actions. Furthermore, under Section 5A(d)(15) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended, a PHA must submit a civil rights certification with its Annual PHA Plan, which is described at 24 CFR 903.7(o)(1) except for qualified PHAs who submit the Form HUD-50077-CR as a standalone document.

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 and Annual PHA Plan. 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.

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