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### COMPETITION DEADLINES EXTENDED

In light of the national crisis, HUD has extended the deadlines for the Round III Empowerment Zone and Renewal Community Competitions. Communities now have an additional 15 business days to complete and submit their applications. The new deadlines are listed below.

	Original Due Date	New Due Date
Round III Empowerment Zone	September 28, 2001	October 22, 2001
Renewal Community	October 12, 2001	November 2, 2001

The Notice of Extension of Application Due Dates for the Round III Urban Empowerment Zones and Renewal Communities Designations is expected to be published in the *Federal Register* by Monday, September 24, 2001.

Please consult the Notice Inviting Applications for the procedures governing the form of application submission (e.g., mailed application or hand delivery). These documents may be found on the RC/EZ/EC Initiative website at: [www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/ezec](http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/ezec)

For questions concerning the competitions, please contact the RC/EZ/EC Initiative staff members at (202) 708-6339.

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