

PHA Plans

5 Year Plan for Fiscal Years 2002 - 2006
Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2004

**NOTE: THIS PHA PLAN TEMPLATE (HUD 50075) IS TO BE COMPLETED IN
ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS LOCATED IN APPLICABLE PIH NOTICES**

2004 Annual Plan

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**PHA Plan
Agency Identification**

PHAName: Housing Authority of Skagit County

PHANumber: WA061

PHAFiscalYearBeginning:(mm/yyyy) 10/2003

Public Access to Information

Information regarding any activities outlined in this plan can be obtained by contacting:(select all that apply)

- Main administrative office of the PHA
- PHA development management offices
- PHA local offices

Display Locations For PHA Plans and Supporting Documents

The PHA Plans (including attachments) are available for public inspection at: (select all that apply)

- Main administrative office of the PHA
- PHA development management offices
- PHA local offices
- Main administrative office of the local government
- Main administrative office of the County government
- Main administrative office of the State government
- Public library
- PHA website
- Other (list below)

PHA Plan Supporting Documents are available for inspection at: (select all that apply)

- Main business office of the PHA
- PHA development management offices
- Other (list below)

5-YEAR PLAN
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 [24CFRPart903.5]

A.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. (select one of the choices below)

The mission of the PHA is the same as that of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: To promote adequate and affordable housing, economic opportunity and a suitable living environment free from discrimination.

The PHA's mission is: (state mission here) **The mission of the Housing Authority of Skagit County is to provide, facilitate and finance housing of all types for low-income residents of Skagit County.**

Primary in its mission is the creation of a safe, friendly environment for the tenants and clients of the Housing Authority of Skagit County and the efficient management and maintenance of its existing units and programs.

B.Goals

The goals and objectives listed below are derived from HUD's strategic Goals and Objectives and those emphasized in recent legislation. PHAs may select any of these goals and objectives as their own, or identify other goals and/or objectives. Whether selecting the HUD -suggested objectives or their own, **PHAS ARE STRONGLY EN COURAGED TO IDENTIFY QUANTIFIABLE MEASURES OF SUCCESS IN REACHING THEIR OBJECTIVES OVER THE COURSE OF THE 5 YEARS.** (Quantifiable measures would include target sets such as: numbers of families served or PHAS scores achieved.) PHAs should identify these measures in the space to the right of or below the stated objectives.

HUD Strategic Goal: Increase the availability of decent, safe, and affordable housing.

PHA Goal: Expand the supply of assisted housing

Objectives:

- N.A. Apply for additional rental vouchers:
 Reduce public housing vacancies:
 Leverage private or other public funds to create additional housing opportunities:
 Acquire or build units or developments
 Other (list below)

To partner with non-profit and other entities in order to facilitate the expansion of opportunities for safe, decent, affordable housing.

- PHAG Goal: Improve the quality of assisted housing
Objectives:
 - Improve public housing management: (PHAS score)
 - Improve voucher management: (SEMAP score)
 - Increase customer satisfaction:
 - Concentrate on efforts to improve specific management functions:
(list; e.g., public housing finance; voucher unit inspections)
 - Renovate or modernize public housing units:
 - Demolish or dispose of obsolete public housing:
 - Provide replacement public housing:
 - Provide replacement vouchers:
 - Other: (list below)

- PHAG Goal: Increase assisted housing choices
Objectives:
 - Provide voucher mobility counseling:
 - Conduct outreach efforts to potential voucher landlords
 - Increase voucher payment standards
 - Implement voucher homeownership program:
 - Implement public housing or the homeownership programs:
 - Implement public housing site-based waiting lists:
 - Convert public housing to vouchers:
 - Other: (list below)

To perform and facilitate the preservation and rehabilitation of existing affordable housing and the construction of new affordable housing.

HUD Strategic Goal: Improve community quality of life and economic vitality

- PHAG Goal: Provide an improved living environment
Objectives:
 - Implement measures to deconcentrate poverty by bringing higher income public housing households into lower income developments:
 - Implement measures to promote income mixing in public housing by assuring access for lower income families into higher income developments:
 - Implement public housing security improvements:
 - Designate developments or buildings for particular resident groups (elderly, persons with disabilities)

Other:(listbelow)
TheHASCacquiredVouchersfor non -elderlydisabledpersons inorderto expandthoseeligibleperson's universeofaffordablehousingoptions.Ifconditions warrantandifavailable, moresuchVoucherswillbeappliedfor.

HUDStrategicGoal:Promote self-sufficiencyandassetdevelopmentoffamiliesand individuals

PHAGoal:Promoteself -sufficiencyandassetdevelopmentofassisted households

Objectives:

- Increasethenumberandpercentageofemployedpersons in assisted families:
- Provideorattractsupportiveservicestoimproveassistancerecipients' employability:
- Provideorattractsupportiveservicestoincreaseindependenceforthe elderlyorfamilieswithdisabilities.
- Other:(listbelow)

HUDStrategicGoal:EnsureEqualOpportunityinHousingforallAmericans

PHAGoal:Ensureequalopportunityandaffirmativelyfurtherfairhousing

Objectives:

- Undertakeaffirm ativemeasurestoensureaccesstoassistedhousing regardless ofrace,color,religionnationalorigin,sex,familialstatus,and disability:
- Undertakeaffirmativemeasurestoprovideasuitablelivingenvironment forfamilieslivingin assistedhousing,regardless ofrace,color,religion nationalorigin,sex,familialstatus,anddisability:
- Undertakeaffirmativemeasurestoensureaccessiblehousingtopersons withallvarietiesofdisabilitiesregardless ofunits izerequired:
- Other:(listbelow)

OtherPHAGoalsandObjectives:(listbelow)

TheHousingAuthorityofSkagitCountyplanstoimplementproject -basedassistance for HousingChoice Voucher s,existinghousing,forupto50unitsoffarmw orker housinginBurlington,WA duringthefiscalyearbeginningOct.1,2002 or2003.

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[24CFRPart903.7]

i. AnnualPlanType:

SelectwhichtypeofAnnualPlanthePHAwillsubmit.

StandardPlan

StreamlinedPlan:

- HighPerformingPHA**
- SmallAgency(<250PublicHousingUnits)**
- AdministeringSection8Only**

TroubledAgencyPlan

ii. ExecutiveSummaryoftheAnnualPHAPlan

[24CFR Part903.79(r)]

ProvideabriefoverviewoftheinformationintheAnnualPlan,includinghighlightsofmajorinitiatives anddiscretionarypolicies,thePHAhasincludedintheAnnualPlan.

iii. AnnualPlanTableofContents

[24CFRPart903.79(r)]

ProvideatableofcontentsfortheAnnualPlan ,includingattachments,andalistofsupporting documentsavailableforpublicinspection .

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Attachments

Indicate which attachments are provided by selecting all that apply. Provide the attachment's name (A, B, etc.) in the space to the left of the name of the attachment. Note: If the attachment is provided as a **SEPARATE** file submission from the PHA Plans file, provide the filename in parentheses in the space to the right of the title.

Required Attachments: **As a Housing Voucher only agency, these are not required for this plan.**

- Admissions Policy for Deconcentration
- FY2002 Capital Fund Program Annual Statement
- Most recent board -approved operating budget (Required Attachment for PHAs that are troubled or at risk of being designated troubled ONLY)

Optional Attachments:

- PHA Management Organizational Chart
- FY2002 Capital Fund Program 5 Year Action Plan
- Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (PHDEP) Plan
- Comments of Resident Advisory Board or Boards (must be attached if not included in PHA Plan text)
- Other (List below, providing each attachment name)

Supporting Documents Available for Review

Indicate which documents are available for public review by placing a mark in the "Applicable & On Display" column in the appropriate rows. All listed documents must be on display if applicable to the program activities conducted by the PHA.

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component
	PHA Plan Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations	5 Year and Annual Plans
	State/Local Government Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan	5 Year and Annual Plans
	Fair Housing Documentation: Records reflecting that the PHA has examined its programs or proposed programs, identified any impediments to fair housing choice in those programs, addressed or is addressing those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available, and worked or is working with	5 Year and Annual Plans

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component
	local jurisdictionsto impleme nt any of the jurisdictions' initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA' s involvement.	
State of Washington Consolidated Plan	Consolidated Plan for the jurisdiction/ in which the PHA is located (which includes the Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice (AI)) and any additional backup data to support statement of housing needs in the jurisdiction	Annual Plan: Housing Needs
	Most recent board -approved operating budget for the public housing program	Annual Plan: Financial Resources;
	Public Housing Admissions and (Continued) Occupancy Policy (A&O), which includes the Tenant Selection and Assignment Plan [TSAP]	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
Yes	Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
	Public Housing Deconcentration and Income Mixing Documentation: 1. PHA board certification of compliance with deconcentration requirements (section 16(a) of the US Housing Act of 1937, as implemented in the 2/18/ 99 <i>Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act Initial Guidance; Notice</i> and any further HUD guidance) and 2. Documentation of the required deconcentration and income mixing analysis	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
	Public housing rent determination policies, including the methodology for setting public housing flat rents <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the public housing A&O Policy	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
	Schedule of flat rents offered at each public housing development <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the public housing A&O Policy	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
Yes	Section 8 rent determination (payment standard) policies [X] check here if included in Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
	Public housing management and maintenance policy documents, including policies for the prevention or eradication of pest infestation (including cockroach infestation)	Annual Plan: Operations and Maintenance
	Public housing grievance procedures <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the public housing A&O Policy	Annual Plan: Grievance Procedures
	Section 8 informal review and hearing procedures	Annual Plan: Grievance

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component
Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> check here if included in Section 8 Administrative Plan	Procedures
	The HUD -approved Capital Fund/Comprehensive Grant Program Annual Statement (HUD 52837) for the active grant year	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
	Most recent CIAP Budget/Progress Report (HUD 52825) for any active CIAP grant	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
	Most recent, approved 5 Year Action Plan for the Capital Fund/Comprehensive Grant Program, if not included as an attachment (provided at PHA option)	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
	Approved HOPE VI applications or, if more recent, approved or submitted HOPE VI Revitalization Plans or any other approved proposal for development of public housing	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
	Approved or submitted applications for demolition and/or disposition of public housing	Annual Plan: Demolition and Disposition
	Approved or submitted applications for designation of public housing (Designated Housing Plans)	Annual Plan: Designation of Public Housing
	Approved or submitted assessments of reasonable revitalization of public housing and approved or submitted conversion plans prepared pursuant to section 202 of the 1996 HUD Appropriations Act	Annual Plan: Conversion of Public Housing
	Approved or submitted public housing home ownership programs/plans	Annual Plan: Homeownership
	Policies governing any Section 8 Homeownership program <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Homeownership
	Any cooperative agreement between the PHA and the TANF agency	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self -Sufficiency
	FSS Action Plan/s for public housing and/or Section 8	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self -Sufficiency
	Most recent self -sufficiency (ED/SS, TOP or ROSS or other resident services grant) grant program reports	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self -Sufficiency
	The most recent Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (PHDEP) semi -annual performance report for any open grant and most recently submitted PHDEP application (PHDEP Plan)	Annual Plan: Safety and Crime Prevention
Yes FY 2001	The most recent fiscal year audit of the PHA conducted under section 5(h)(2) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437c(h)), the results of that audit and the PHA's response to any findings	Annual Plan: Annual Audit
	Troubled PHAs: MOA/Recovery Plan	Troubled PHAs
	Other supporting documents (optional) (list individually; use as many lines as necessary)	(specify as needed)

1.StatementofHousingNeeds

[24CFRPart903.79(a)]

A.HousingNeedsofFamiliesintheJurisdiction/sServedbythePHA

BasedupontheinformationcontainedintheConsolidatedPlan/sapplicabletothejurisdiction,and/or otherdataavailabletothePHA,provideastatementofthehousingneedsinthejurisdictionby completingthefollowingtable.Inthe“Overall”Needscolumn,providetheestimatednumberofrenter familiesthathavehousingneeds.Fortheremainingcharacteristics,ratetheimpactofthatfactoronthe housingneedsforeachfamilytype,from1to5,with1being“noimpact”and5being“severeimpact.” UseN/AtoindicatethatnoinformationisavailableuponwhichthePHAcannmakethisassessment.

HousingNeedsofFamiliesintheJurisdiction byFamilyType							
FamilyType	Overall	Afford- ability	Supply	Quality	Access- ibility	Size	Loca- tion
Income<=30% ofAMI	1671	5	3	4	2	3	3
Income>30%but <=50%ofAMI	1286	5	3	4	2	2	2
Income>50%but <80%ofAMI	2167	5	3	4	3	2	2
Elderly	849	5	2	4	2	1	2
Familieswith Disabilities	N/A						
White	2536	5	3	4	2	3	2
NativeAmerican	N/A						
Hispanic	274	5	4	4	2	3	3

WhatsourcesofinformationdidthePHAusetoconductthisanalysis?(Checkallthat apply;allmaterialsmustbemadeavailableforpublicinspection.)

- ConsolidatedPlanoftheJurisdiction/s
Indicateyear:
- U.S.Censusdata:theComprehensiveHousingAffordabilityStrategy
 (“CHAS”)dataset
- AmericanHousingSurveydata
Indicateyear:
- Otherhousingmarketstudy
Indicateyear:
- Othersources:(listandindicateyearofinformation)

B. Housing Need of Families on the Public Housing and Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance Waiting Lists

State the housing needs of the families on the PHA's waiting list/s. **Complete one table for each type of PHA -wide waiting list administered by the PHA.** PHA may provide separate tables for site-based or sub-jurisdictional public housing waiting lists at their option.

Housing Need of Families on the Waiting List			
Waiting list type: (select one)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 8 tenant-based assistance			
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing			
<input type="checkbox"/> Combined Section 8 and Public Housing			
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing Site-based or sub-jurisdictional waiting list (optional)			
If used, identify which development/subjurisdiction:			
	# of families	% of total families	Annual Turnover
Waiting list total	1,145		
Extremely low income <= 30% AMI	1019	89%	
Very low income (> 30% but <= 50% AMI)	115	10%	
Low income (> 50% but < 80% AMI)	11	1%	
Families with children	698	61%	
Elderly families	299	15%	
Families with Disabilities	339	24%	
White	1069	93%	
Black	18	1.7%	
Native American	37	.2%	
Asian	21	1.8%	

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List			
Characteristics by Bedroom Size (Public Housing Only)	N.A.		
1BR			
2BR			
3BR			
4BR			
5BR			
5+BR			
Is the waiting list closed (select one)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes: How long has it been closed (# of months)? Does the PHA expect to reopen the list in the PHA Plan year? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Does the PHA permit specific categories of families on the waiting list, even if generally closed? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes			

C. Strategy for Addressing Needs

Provide a brief description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families in the jurisdiction and on the waiting list **IN THE U P COMING YEAR**, and the Agency's reasons for choosing this strategy.

(1) Strategies

Need: Shortage of affordable housing for alleligible populations

Strategy 1. Maximize the number of affordable units available to the PHA within its current resources by:

Select all that apply

- Employ effective maintenance and management policies to minimize the number of public housing units off -line
- Reduce turnover time for vacated public housing units
- Reduce time to renovate public housing units
- Seek replacement of public housing units lost to the inventory through mixed financed development
- Seek replacement of public housing units lost to the inventory through section 8 replacement housing resources
- Maintain or increase section 8 lease -up rates by establishing payment standards that will enable families to rent throughout the jurisdiction

- Undertakemeasurestoensureaccesstoaffordablehousing amongfamilies assistedbythePHA,regardlessofunitsizerequired
- Maintainorincreasesection8lease -upratesbymarketingtheprogramto owners,particularlythoseoutsideofareasofminorityandpoverty concentration
- Maintainorincreasesection8lease -upratesbyeffectivelyscreeningSection8 applicantstoincreaseowneracceptanceofprogram
- ParticipateintheConsolidatedPlandevelopmentprocesstoensure coordinationwithbroader communitystrategies
- Other(listbelow)

Strategy2:Increasethenumberofaffordablehousingunitsby:

Selectallthatapply

- Applyforadditionalsection8unitsshouldtheybecomeavailable
- Leverageaffordablehousingresourcesinthecommunitythroughthecreation ofmixed -financehousing
- PursuehousingresourcesotherthanpublichousingorSection8tenant -based assistance.
- Other:(listbelow) Create partnerships with other non-profit and for-profit entities in order to develop additional affordable housing in the county.

Need:SpecificFamilyTypes:Familiesatorbelow30%ofmedian

Strategy1:Targetavailableassistancetofamiliesatorbelow30%ofAMI

Selectallthatapply

- ExceedHUDfederaltargetingrequirementsforfamiliesatorbelow30%of AMIinpublichousing
- ExceedHUDfederaltargetingrequirementsforfamiliesatorbelow30%of AMIintenant-basedsection8assistance
- Employadmissionspreferencesaimedatfamilieswiththeeconomichardships
- Adoptrentpoliciestosupportandencouragework
- Other:(listbelow)

Need:SpecificFamilyTypes :Familiesatorbelow50%ofmedian

Strategy1:Targetavailableassistanceto familiesatorbelow50%ofAMI

Selectallthatapply

- Employadmissionspreferencesaimedatfamilieswhoareworking
- Adoptrentpoliciestosupportandencouragework

Other:(listbelow)

Need:SpecificFamilyTypes:TheElderly

Strategy1: Targetavailableassistancetotheelderly:

Selectallthatapply

- Seekdesignationofpublichousingforthe elderly
- Applyforspecial -purposevoucher targetedtotheelderly,shouldtheybecome available
- Other:(listbelow) Where possible and reasonable, create or encourage elderly preferences in subsidized housing.

Need:SpecificFamilyTypes:FamilieswithDisabilities

Strategy1: TargetavailableassistancetoFamilieswithDisabilities:

Selectallthatapply

- Seekdesignationofpublichousingforfamilieswithdisabilities
- Carryoutthomodificationsneededinpublichousingbasedonthesection504 NeedsAssessmentforPublicHousing
- Applyforspecial -purposevoucher targetedtofamilieswithdisabilities, shouldtheybecomeavailable
- Affirmativelymarkettoalnon -profitagenciesthatassistfamilieswith disabilities
- Other:(listbelow)

Need:SpecificFamilyTypes:Racesorethnicitieswithdisproportionatehousing needs

Strategy1:IncreaseawarenessofPHAsourcesamongfamiliesofracesand ethnicitieswithdisproportionateneeds:

Selectifapplicable

- Affirmativelymarkettoraces/ethnicitiesshowntohavedisproportionate housingneeds
- Other:(listbelow)

Strategy2:Conductactivitiestoaffirmativelyfurtherfairhousing

Selectallthatapply

- Counselsection8tenantsastolocationofunitsoutsideofareasofpovertyor minorityconcentrationandassistthemtolocatethoseunits

- Market this section 8 program to owners outside of areas of poverty/minority concentrations
- Other: (list below)

Other Housing Needs & Strategies: (list needs and strategies below)

(2) Reasons for Selecting Strategies

Of the factors listed below, select all that influenced the PHA's selection of the strategies it will pursue:

- Funding constraints
- Staffing constraints
- Limited availability of sites for assisted housing
- Extent to which particular housing needs are met by other organizations in the community
- Evidence of housing needs as demonstrated in the Consolidated Plan and other information available to the PHA
- Influence of the housing market on PHA programs
- Community priorities regarding housing assistance
- Results of consultation with local or state government
- Results of consultation with residents and the Resident Advisory Board
- Results of consultation with advocacy groups
- Other: (list below)

2. Statement of Financial Resources

[24 CFR Part 903.79(b)]

List the financial resources that are anticipated to be available to the PHA for the support of Federal public housing and tenant-based Section 8 assistance programs administered by the PHA during the Plan year. Note: the table assumes that Federal public housing or tenant-based Section 8 assistance grant funds are expended on eligible purposes; therefore, uses of these funds need not be stated. For other funds, indicate the use for those funds as one of the following categories: public housing operations, public housing capital improvements, public housing safety/security, public housing supportive services, Section 8 tenant-based assistance, Section 8 supportive services or other.

Financial Resources: Planned Sources and Uses		
Sources	Planned \$	Planned Uses
1. Federal Grants (FY 2000 grants)	N.A.	
a) Public Housing Operating Fund		
b) Public Housing Capital Fund		
c) HOPE VI Revitalization		
d) HOPE VI Demolition		

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Financial Resources: Planned Sources and Uses		
Sources	Planned \$	Planned Uses
e) Annual Contributions for Section 8 Tenant -Based Assistance	\$3,399, 085	
f) Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (including any Technical Assistance funds)		
g) Resident Opportunity and Self - Sufficiency Grants		
h) Community Development Block Grant		
i) HOME		
Other Federal Grants (list below)		
2. Prior Year Federal Grants (unobligated fund only) (list below)	N.A.	
3. Public Housing Dwelling Rental Income	N.A.	
4. Other income (list below)		
4. Non -federal sources (list below)		
Total resources	\$3,399 ,085	

3. PHA Policies Governing Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions

[24CFR Part 903.79 (c)]

Not applicable to Housing Authority of Skagit County

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A. Public Housing

Exemptions: PHA that do not administer public housing are not required to complete subcomponent 3A.

(1) Eligibility

a. When does the PHA verify eligibility for admission to public housing? (select all that apply)

- When families are within a certain number of being offered a unit: (state number)
- When families are within a certain time of being offered a unit: (state time)
- Other: (describe)

b. Which non-income (screening) factors does the PHA use to establish eligibility for admission to public housing (select all that apply)?

- Criminal or Drug-related activity
- Rental history
- Housekeeping
- Other (describe)

c. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from local law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?

d. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from State law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?

e. Yes No: Does the PHA access FBI criminal records from the FBI for screening purposes? (either directly or through an NCIC - authorized source)

(2) Waiting List Organization

a. Which methods does the PHA plan to use to organize its public housing waiting list (select all that apply)

- Community-wide list
- Sub-jurisdictional lists
- Site-based waiting lists
- Other (describe)

b. Where may interested persons apply for admission to public housing?

- PHA main administrative office
- PHA development site management office
- Other (list below)

c. If the PHA plan to operate one or more site-based waiting lists in the coming year, answer each of the following questions; if not, skip to subsection (3) **Assignment**

1. How many site-based waiting lists will the PHA operate in the coming year?

2. Yes No: Are any or all of the PHA's site-based waiting lists new for the upcoming year (that is, they are not part of a previously HUD-approved site-based waiting list plan)? If yes, how many lists?

3. Yes No: May families be on more than one list simultaneously? If yes, how many lists?

4. Where can interested persons obtain more information about and sign up to be on the site-based waiting lists (select all that apply)?

- PHA main administrative office
- All PHA development management offices
- Management offices at developments with site-based waiting lists
- At the development to which they would like to apply
- Other (list below)

(3) Assignment

a. How many vacant unit choices are applicants ordinarily given before they fall to the bottom of or are removed from the waiting list? (select one)

- One
- Two
- Three or More

b. Yes No: Is this policy consistent across all waiting list types?

c. If answer to b is no, list variations for any other than the primary public housing waiting list/s for the PHA:

(4) Admissions Preferences

a. Income targeting:

Yes No: Does the PHA plan to exceed the federal targeting requirements by targeting more than 40% of all new admission to public housing to families at or below 30% of median area income?

b. Transfer policies:

In what circumstances will transfer take precedence over new admissions? (list below)

- Emergencies
- Overhoused
- Underhoused
- Medical justification
- Administrative reasons determined by the PHA (e.g., to permit modernization work)
- Resident choice: (state circumstances below)
- Other: (list below)

c. Preferences

1. Yes No: Has the PHA established preferences for admission to public housing (other than date and time of application)? (If "no" is selected, skip to subsection **(5) Occupancy**)

2. Which of the following admission preferences does the PHA plan to employ in the coming year? (select all that apply from either former Federal preferences or other preferences)

Former Federal preferences:

- Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Act of God, Eviction of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition)
- Victims of domestic violence
- Substandard housing
- Homelessness
- High rent burden (rent is > 50 percent of income)

Other preferences: (select below)

- Working families and those unable to work because of age or disability
- Veterans and veterans' families
- Residents who live and/or work in the jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Household that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Household that contribute to meeting income requirements (targeting)
- Those previously enrolled in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Victims of reprisals or hate crimes

Other preference(s) (list below)

3. If the PHA will employ admissions preferences, please prioritize by placing a "1" in the space that represents your first priority, a "2" in the box representing your second priority, and so on. If you give equal weight to one or more of these choices (either through an absolute hierarchy or through a points system), place the same number next to each. That means you can use "1" more than once, "2" more than once, etc.

Date and Time

Former Federal preferences:

Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Action of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition)
Victims of domestic violence
Substandard housing
Homelessness
High rent burden

Other preferences (select all that apply)

- Working families and those unable to work because of age or disability
- Veterans and veterans' families
- Residents who live and/or work in the jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Household that contributes to meeting income goals (broader range of incomes)
- Household that contributes to meeting income requirements (targeting)
- Those previously enrolled in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Victims of reprisals or hate crimes
- Other preference(s) (list below)

4. Relationship of preferences to income targeting requirements:

- The PHA applies preferences within income tiers
- Not applicable: the pool of applicant families ensures that the PHA will meet income targeting requirements

(5) Occupancy

a. What reference materials can applicants and residents use to obtain information about the rules of occupancy of public housing (select all that apply)

- The PHA - resident lease
- The PHA's Admissions and (Continued) Occupancy policy

- PHA briefing seminars or written materials
- Other source (list)

b. How often must residents notify the PHA of changes in family composition?
(select all that apply)

- At an annual reexamination and lease renewal
- Anytime family composition changes
- At family request for revision
- Other (list)

(6) Deco ncentration and Income Mixing

a. Yes No: Did the PHA’s analysis of its family (general occupancy) developments to determine concentrations of poverty indicate the need for measures to promote deconcentration of poverty or income mixing?

b. Yes No: Did the PHA adopt any changes to its **admissions policies** based on the results of the required analysis of the need to promote deconcentration of poverty or to assure income mixing?

c. If the answer to b was yes, what changes were adopted? (select all that apply)

- Adoption of site based waiting lists
If selected, list targeted developments below:
- Employing waiting list “skipping” to achieve deconcentration of poverty or income mixing goals at targeted developments
If selected, list targeted developments below:
- Employing new admission preferences at targeted developments
If selected, list targeted developments below:
- Other (list policies and development targeted below)

d. Yes No: Did the PHA adopt any changes to **other** policies based on the results of the required analysis of the need for deconcentration of poverty and income mixing?

e. If the answer to d was yes, how would you describe these changes? (select all that apply)

- Additional affirmative marketing
- Actions to improve the marketability of certain developments
- Adoption or adjustment of ceiling rents for certain developments
- Adoption of rent incentives to encourage deconcentration of poverty and income-mixing
- Other (list below)

f. Based on the results of the required analysis, in which developments will the PHA make special efforts to attract or retain higher -income families? (select all that apply)

- Not applicable: results of analysis did not indicate a need for such efforts
- List (any applicable) developments below:

g. Based on the results of the required analysis, in which developments will the PHA make special efforts to assure access for lower -income families? (select all that apply)

- Not applicable: results of analysis did not indicate a need for such efforts
- List (any applicable) developments below:

B. Section 8

Exemptions: PHA that do not administer section 8 are not required to complete sub -component 3B. Unless otherwise specified, all questions in this section apply only to the tenant -based section 8 assistance program (vouchers, and until completely merged into the voucher program, certificates).

(1) Eligibility

a. What is the extent of screening conducted by the PHA? (select all that apply)

- Criminal or drug -related activity only to the extent required by law or regulation
- Criminal and drug -related activity, more extensively than required by law or regulation
- More general screening than criminal and drug -related activity (list factors below)
- Other (list below)

b. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from local law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?

- c. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from State law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?
- d. Yes No: Does the PHA access FBI criminal records from the FBI for screening purposes? (either directly or through an NCIC - authorized source)
- e. Indicate what kinds of information you share with prospective landlords? (select all that apply)
- Criminal or drug -related activity
- Other (describe below) Present Landlord address, previous landlord address of voucher holder.

(2) Waiting List Organization

- a. With which of the following program waiting lists is the section 8 tenant -based assistance waiting list merged? (select all that apply)
- None
- Federal public housing
- Federal moderate rehabilitation
- Federal project -based certificate program
- Other federal or local program (list below) USDA Farmworker housing, Section 202 housing.
- b. Where may interested persons apply for admission to section 8 tenant -based assistance? (select all that apply)
- PHA main administrative office
- Other (list below)

(3) Search Time

- a. Yes No: Does the PHA give extensions on standard 60 -day period to search for a unit?

If yes, state circumstances below: When the voucher holder has put forth a concerted effort to find an appropriate unit or where the holder requires reasonable accommodation.

(4) Admissions Preferences

a. Incometargeting

- Yes No: DoesthePHAplantoexceedthefederaltargetingrequirementsby targetingmorethan75%ofallnewadmissionstothesection8 programtofamilies atorbelow30%ofmedianareaincome?

b. Preferences

1. Yes No: HasthePHAestablishedpreferencesforadmissiontosection8 tenant-basedassistance?(otherthandateandtimeof application)(ifno,skiptosubc omponent**(5)Specialpurpose section8assistanceprograms**)

2. WhichofthefollowingadmissionpreferencesdoesthePHAplantoemployinthe comingyear?(selectallthatapplyfromeitherformerFederalpreferencesorother preferences)

FormerFederalpreferences

- InvoluntaryDisplacement(Disaster,GovernmentAction,ActionofHousing Owner,Inaccessibility,PropertyDisposition)
 Victimsofdomesticviolence
 Substandardhousing
 Homelessness
 Highrentburden(rentis>50percentofincome)

Otherpreferences(selectallthatapply)

- Workingfamiliesandthoseunabletoworkbecauseofageordisability
 Veteransandveterans 'families
 Residentstholiveand/orworkinyourjurisdiction
 Thoseenrolledcurrentlyineducational,training,orupwardmobilityprograms
 Householdsthatcontributeincomegoals(broad rangeofincomes)
 Householdsthatcontributeincomerequirements(targeting)
 Thosepreviouslyenrolledineducational,training,orupwardmobility programs
 Victimsofreprisalsorhatecr imes
 Otherpreference(s)(listbelow)

3. IfthePHAwillemployadmissionspreferences,pleaseprioritizebyplacinga“1”in thespacethatrepresentsyourfirstpriority,a“2”intheboxrepresentingyour secondpriority,andsoon.Ifyougiveequalweighttooneormoreofthese choices(eitherthroughanabsolutehierarchyorthroughapointsystem),placethe samenumbernexttoeach.Thatmeansyoucanuse“1”morethanonce,“2”more thanonce,etc.

[2] DateandTime

FormerFederalpreferences

InvoluntaryDisplacement(Disaster,GovernmentAction,ActionofHousing
Owner,Inaccessibility,PropertyDisposition)
Victimsofdomesticviolence
Substandardhousing
Homelessness
Highrentburden

Otherpreferences(selectallthatapply)

- Workingfamiliesandthoseunabletoworkbecauseofageordisability
- Veteransandveterans' families
- [1] Residentswholive and/orworkinyourjurisdiction
- Thoseenrolledcurrentlyineducational,training,orupwardmobilityprograms
- Householdsthatcontributetomeetingincomegoals(broadrangeofincomes)
- Householdsthatcontributetomeetingincomerequirements(targeting)
- Thosepreviouslyenrolledineducational,training,orupwardmobility
programs
- Victimsofreprisalsorhatecrimes
- Otherpreference(s)(listbelow)

4.Amongapplicantsonthewaitinglistwithethequalpreferencestatus,howare
applicantsslected?(selectone)

- [1] Dateandtimeofapplication
- Drawing(lottery)orotherrandomchoicetechnique

5.IfthePHAplanstoemploypreferencesfor“residentstholiveand/orworkinthe
jurisdiction”(selectone)

- ThispreferencehaspreviouslybeenreviewedandapprovedbyHUD
- ThePHArequestsapprovalforthispreferencethroughthisPHAPlan

6.Relationshipofpreferencetoincometargetingrequirements:(selectone)

- ThePHAappliespreferenceswithinincometiers
- Notapplicable:thepoolofapplicantfamiliesensuresthatthePHAwillmeet
income targetingrequirements

(5)SpecialPurposeSection8AssistancePrograms

a. In which documents or other reference materials are the policies governing eligibility, selection, and admission to any special -purpose section 8 program administered by the PHA contained? (select all that apply)

- The Section 8 Administrative Plan
- Briefing sessions and written materials
- Other (list below)

b. How does the PHA announce the availability of any special -purpose section 8 program to the public?

- Through published notices
- Other (list below) Through letters to social service organizations that might have access to any of the population served by the special purpose vouchers.

4. PHA Rent Determination Policies

[24CFR Part 903.79(d)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions: PHA that do not administer public housing are not required to complete sub -component 4A.

(1) Income Based Rent Policies

Describe the PHA's income based rent setting policy/ies for public housing using, including discretionary (that is, not required by statute or regulation) income disregards and exclusions, in the appropriate spaces below.

a. Use of discretionary policies: (select one)

- The PHA will not employ any discretionary rent -setting policies for income based rent in public housing. Income -based rents are set at the higher of 30% of adjusted monthly income, 10% of unadjusted monthly income, the welfare rent, or minimum rent (less HUD mandatory deductions and exclusions). (If selected, skip to sub -component (2))

---or---

- The PHA employs discretionary policies for determining income based rent (If selected, continue to question b.)

b. Minimum Rent

1. What amount best reflects the PHA's minimum rent? (select one)

- \$0
- \$1-\$25
- \$26-\$50

2. Yes No: Has the PHA adopted any discretionary minimum rent hardship exemption policies?

3. If yes to question 2, list these policies below :

c. Rents set at less than 30% than adjusted income

1. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to charge rents at a fixed amount or percentage less than 30% of adjusted income?

2. If yes to above, list the amounts or percentages charged and the circumstances under which these will be used below:

d. Which of the discretionary (optional) deductions and/or exclusions policies does the PHA plan to employ (select all that apply)

- For the earned income of a previously unemployed household member
- For increases in earned income
- Fixed amount (other than general rent -setting policy)
If yes, state amount/s and circumstances below:

- Fixed percentage (other than general rent -setting policy)
If yes, state percentage/s and circumstances below:

- For household heads
- For other family members
- For transportation expenses
- For the non-reimbursed medical expenses of non-disabled or non-elderly families
- Other (describe below)

e. Ceiling rents

1. Do you have ceiling rents? (rents set at a level lower than 30% of adjusted income) (select one)

- Yes for all developments
- Yes but only for some developments
- No

2. For which kinds of developments are ceiling rents in place? (select all that apply)

- For all developments
- For all general occupancy developments (not elderly or disabled or elderly only)
- For specified general occupancy developments
- For certain parts of developments; e.g., the high-rise portion
- For certain size units; e.g., larger bedroom sizes
- Other (list below)

3. Select the space or spaces that best describe how you arrive at ceiling rents (select all that apply)

- Market comparability study
- Fair market rents (FMR)
- 95th percentile rents
- 75 percent of operating costs
- 100 percent of operating costs for general occupancy (family) developments
- Operating costs plus debt service
- The "rental value" of the unit
- Other (list below)

f. Rent re-determinations:

1. Between income re-examinations, how often must tenants report changes in income or family composition to the PHA such that the changes result in an adjustment to rent? (select all that apply)

- Never
- At family option
- Anytime the family experiences an income increase
- Anytime a family experiences an income increase above a threshold amount or percentage: (if selected, specify threshold) _____
- Other (list below)

- g. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to implement individual savings accounts for residents (ISAs) as an alternative to the required 12 month disallowance of earned income and phasing in of rent increases in the next year?

(2) Flat Rents

1. In setting the market -based flat rents, what sources of information did the PHA use to establish comparability? (select all that apply.)

- This section 8 rent reasonableness study of comparable housing
 Survey of rents listed in local newspaper
 Survey of similar unassisted units in the neighborhood
 Other (list/describe below)

B. Section 8 Tenant -Based Assistance

Exemptions: PHAs that do not administer Section 8 tenant -based assistance are not required to complete sub -component 4B. **Unless otherwise specified, all questions in this section apply only to the tenant -based section 8 assistance program (vouchers, and until completely merged into the voucher program, certificates).**

(1) Payment Standards

Describe the voucher payment standards and policies .

- a. What is the PHA's payment standard? (select the category that best describes your standard)

- At or above 90% but below 100% of FMR
 100% of FMR
 Above 100% but at or below 110% of FMR
 Above 110% of FMR (if HUD approved; describe circumstances below)

- b. If the payment standard is lower than FMR, why has the PHA selected this standard? (select all that apply)

- FMRs are adequate to ensure success among assisted families in the PHA's segment of the FMR area
 The PHA has chosen to serve additional families by lowering the payment standard
 Reflects market or submarket

Other(listbelow)

c.IfthepaymentstandardishigherthanFMR,whyhasthePHAchosenthi level?
(selectallthatapply)

- FMRsarenotadequatetoensuresuccessamongassistedfamiliesinthePHA's
segmentoftheFMRarea
- Reflectsmarketorsubmarket
- Toincreasehousingoptionsforfamilies
- Other(listbelow)

d.Howoftenarepaymentstandardsreevaluatedforadequacy?(selectone)

- Annually
- Other(listbelow)
Payment standards are evaluated on an on-going basis.
If success-rates of Voucher holders is not adequate,
new standards are considered.

e.WhatfactorswillthePHAconsiderinitsassessmentoftheadequacyofits
paymentstandard?(selectallthatapply)

- Successratesofassistedfamilies
- Rentburdensofassistedfamilies
- Other(listbelow)

(2)MinimumRent

a.WhatamountbestreflectsthePHA'sminimumrent?(selectone)

- \$0
- \$1-\$25 **\$25.00**
- \$26-\$50

b. Yes No: HasthePHAadoptedanydiscretionaryminimumrenthardship
exemptionpolicies?(ifyes,listbelow)

5.OperationsandManagement

[24CFRPart903.79(e)]

ExemptionsfromComponent5:Highperformingandsmall PHAsarenotrequiredto completethis
section.Section8onlyPHAsmustcompletepartsA,B,andC(2)

A.PHAManagementStructure

Describe the PHA's management structure and organization.

(select one)

- An organization chart showing the PHA's management structure and organization is attached.
- A brief description of the management structure and organization of the PHA follows: HASC is a relatively small Housing Authority. Administration of the Section 8 program is overseen by the Executive Director. The Finance officer prepares the annual budget for Section 8 and reviews receipt of monthly payments.

B. HUD Programs Under PHA Management

List Federal programs administered by the PHA, number of families served at the beginning of the upcoming fiscal year, and expected turnover in each. (Use "NA" to indicate that the PHA does not operate any of the programs listed below.)

Program Name	Units or Families Served at Year Beginning	Expected Turnover
Public Housing	-0-	
Section 8 Vouchers	408	
Section 8 Certificates	-0-	
Section 8 Mod Rehab	-0-	
Special Purpose Section 8 Certificates/Vouchers (list individually)	200 Non-elderly, disabled	
Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (PHDEP)		
Other Federal Programs:	60 units USDA farmworker housing	
	Low-income Weatherization, Repair	
	85 units HUD 202 Housing	

C. Management and Maintenance Policies

List the PHA's public housing management and maintenance policy documents, manuals and handbooks that contain the Agency's rules, standards, and policies that govern maintenance and management of public housing, including a description of any measures necessary for the prevention or eradication of

pest infestation (which includes cockroach infestation) and the policies governing Section 8 management.

(1) Public Housing Maintenance and Management: (list below)

(2) Section 8 Management: (list below) Section 8 Administrative Plan, Housing Quality Standards Manual

6. PHA Grievance Procedures

[24CFR Part 903.79(f)]

Exemptions from component 6: High performing PHAs are not required to complete component 6. Section 8 - Only PHAs are exempt from sub -component 6A.

A. Public Housing N.A.

1. Yes No: Has the PHA established any written grievance procedures in addition to federal requirements found at 24CFR Part 966, Subpart B, for residents of public housing?

If yes, list additions to federal requirements below:

2. Which PHA office should residents or applicants to public housing contact to initiate the PHA grievance process? (select all that apply)

- PHA main administrative office
 PHA development management offices
 Other (list below)

B. Section 8 Tenant -Based Assistance

1. Yes No: Has the PHA established informal review procedures for applicants to the Section 8 tenant -based assistance program and informal hearing procedures for families assisted by the Section 8 tenant -based assistance program in addition to federal requirements found at 24CFR 982?

If yes, list additions to federal requirements below:

2. Which PHA offices should applicants or assisted families contact to initiate the informal review and informal hearing processes? (select all that apply)

- PHA main administrative office
 Other (list below)

7. Capital Improvement Needs

[24 CFR Part 903.79(g)]

Exemptions from Component 7: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this component and may skip to Component 8.

A. Capital Fund Activities

Exemptions from sub-component 7A: PHAs that will not participate in the Capital Fund Program may skip to component 7B. All other PHAs must complete 7A as instructed.

(1) Capital Fund Program Annual Statement

Using parts I, II, and III of the Annual Statement for the Capital Fund Program (CFP), identify capital activities the PHA is proposing for the upcoming year to ensure long-term physical and social viability of its public housing developments. This statement can be completed by using the CFP Annual Statement tables provided in the table library at the end of the PHA Plan template **OR**, at the PHA's option, by completing and attaching a properly updated HUD-52837.

Select one:

- The Capital Fund Program Annual Statement is provided as an attachment to the PHA Plan at Attachment (state name)

-or-

- The Capital Fund Program Annual Statement is provided below: (if selected, copy the CFP Annual Statement from the Table Library and insert here)

(2) Optional 5-Year Action Plan

Agencies are encouraged to include a 5-Year Action Plan covering capital work items. This statement can be completed by using the 5-Year Action Plan table provided in the table library at the end of the PHA Plan template **OR** by completing and attaching a properly updated HUD-52834.

- a. Yes No: Is the PHA providing an optional 5-Year Action Plan for the Capital Fund? (if no, skip to sub-component 7B)

b. If yes to question a, select one:

- The Capital Fund Program 5-Year Action Plan is provided as an attachment to the PHA Plan at Attachment (state name)

-or-

- The Capital Fund Program 5 -Year Action Plan is provided below: (if selected, copy the CF Optional 5 Year Action Plan from the Table Library and insert here)

B. HOPE VI and Public Housing Development and Replacement Activities (Non -Capital Fund)

Applicability of sub -component 7B: All PHAs administering public housing. Identify any approved HOPE VI and/or public housing development or replacement activities not described in the Capital Fund Program Annual Statement.

- Yes No: a) Has the PHA received a HOPE VI revitalization grant? (if no, skip to question c; if yes, provide responses to question b for each grant, copying and completing as many times as necessary)
b) Status of HOPE VI revitalization grant (complete one set of questions for each grant)

1. Development name:

2. Development (project) number:

3. Status of grant: (select the statement that best describes the current status)

- Revitalization Plan under development
 Revitalization Plan submitted, pending approval
 Revitalization Plan approved
 Activities pursuant to an approved Revitalization Plan underway

- Yes No: c) Does the PHA plan to apply for a HOPE VI Revitalization grant in the Plan year?
If yes, list development name/s below:

- Yes No: d) Will the PHA be engaging in any mixed -financed development activities for public housing in the Plan year?
If yes, list developments or activities below:

- Yes No: e) Will the PHA be conducting any other public housing development or replacement activities not discussed in the Capital Fund Program Annual Statement?

If yes, list developments or activities below:

8. Demolition and Disposition

[24CFR Part 903.79(h)]

Applicability of component 8: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

1. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to conduct any demolition or disposition activities (pursuant to section 18 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437p)) in the plan Fiscal Year? (If "No", skip to component 9; if "yes", complete one activity description for each development.)

2. Activity Description

Yes No: Has the PHA provided the activities description information in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? (If "yes", skip to component 9. If "No", complete the Activity Description table below.)

Demolition/Disposition Activity Description	
1a. Development name:	
1b. Development (project) number:	
2. Activity type: Demolition <input type="checkbox"/> Disposition <input type="checkbox"/>	
3. Application status (select one) Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Submitted, pending approval <input type="checkbox"/> Planned application <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. Date application approved, submitted, or planned for submission: (DD/MM/YY)	
5. Number of units affected:	
6. Coverage of action (select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Part of the development <input type="checkbox"/> Total development	
7. Timeline for activity: a. Actual or projected start date of activity: b. Projected end date of activity:	

9. Designation of Public Housing for Occupancy by Elderly Families or Families with Disabilities or Elderly Families and Families with Disabilities

1. Yes No: Has the PHA designated or applied for approval to designate or does the PHA plan to apply to designate any public housing for occupancy only by the elderly families or only by families with disabilities, or by elderly families and families with disabilities or will apply for designation for occupancy by only elderly families or only families with disabilities, or by elderly families and families with disabilities as provided by section 7 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437e) in the upcoming fiscal year? (If "No", skip to component 10. If "yes", complete one activity description for each development, unless the PHA is eligible to complete a streamlined submission; PHAs completing streamlined submissions may skip to component 10.)

2. Activity Description

Yes No: Has the PHA provided all required activity description information for this component in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? If "yes", skip to component 10. If "No", complete the Activity Description table below.

Designation of Public Housing Activity Description	
1a. Development name:	
1b. Development (project) number:	
2. Designation type:	
Occupancy by only the elderly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Occupancy by families with disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Occupancy by only elderly families and families with disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Application status (select one)	
Approved; included in the PHA's Designation Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>
Submitted, pending approval	<input type="checkbox"/>
Planned application	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Date this designation approved, submitted, or planned for submission: (DD/MM/YY)	
5. If approved, will this designation constitute a (select one)	
<input type="checkbox"/> New Designation Plan	
<input type="checkbox"/> Revision of a previously -approved Designation Plan?	
6. Number of units affected:	
7. Coverage of action (select one)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Part of the development	
<input type="checkbox"/> Total development	

10. Conversion of Public Housing to Tenant -Based Assistance

[24CFR Part 903.79(j)]

Exemptions from Component 10; Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

A. Assessment of Reasonable Revitalization Pursuant to Section 202 of the HUD FY 1996 HUD Appropriations Act

1. Yes No: Have any of the PHA's developments or portions of developments been identified by HUD or the PHA as covered under section 202 of the HUD FY 1996 HUD Appropriations Act? (If "No", skip to component 11; if "yes", complete one activity description for each identified development, unless eligible to complete streamlined submission. PHAs completing streamlined submissions may skip to component 11.)

2. Activity Description
 Yes No: Has the PHA provided all required activity description information for this component in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? If "yes", skip to component 11. If "No", complete the Activity Description table below.

Conversion of Public Housing Activity Description	
1a. Development name:	
1b. Development (project) number:	
2. What is the status of the required assessment? <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment underway <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment results submitted to HUD <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment results approved by HUD (if marked, proceed to next question) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (explain below)	
3. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No: Is a Conversion Plan required? (If yes, go to block 4; if no, go to block 5.)	
4. Status of Conversion Plan (select the statement that best describes the current status) <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion Plan in development <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion Plan submitted to HUD on: (DD/MM/YYYY) <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion Plan approved by HUD on: (DD/MM/YYYY)	

<input type="checkbox"/> Activities pursuant to HUD -approved Conversion Plan underway
<p>5. Description of how requirements of Section 202 are being satisfied by means other than conversion (select one)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Units addressed in a pending or approved demolition application (date submitted or approved: _____)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Units addressed in a pending or approved HOPE VI demolition application (date submitted or approved: _____)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Units addressed in a pending or approved HOPE VI Revitalization Plan (date submitted or approved: _____)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Requirements no longer applicable: vacancy rates are less than 10 percent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Requirements no longer applicable: site now has less than 300 units</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other: (describe below)</p>

B. Reserved for Conversions pursuant to Section 22 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937

C. Reserved for Conversions pursuant to Section 33 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937

11. Homeownership Programs Administered by the PHA

[24CFR Part 903.79(k)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions from Component 11A: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete 11A.

1. Yes No: Does the PHA administer any homeownership programs administered by the PHA under an approved section 5(h) homeownership program (42 U.S.C. 1437c(h)), or an approved HOPE I program (42 U.S.C. 1437aaa) or has the PHA applied or plan to apply to administer any homeownership programs under section 5(h), the HOPE I program, or section 32 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437z -4). (If "No", skip to component 11B; if "yes", complete one activity description for each applicable program/plan, unless eligible to complete a

streamlined submission due to **small PHA** or **high performing PHA** status. PHAs completing streamlined submissions may skip to component 11B.)

2. Activity Description

Yes No: Has the PHA provided all required activity description information for this component in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? (If “yes”, skip to component 12. If “No”, complete the Activity Description table below.)

Public Housing Home ownership Activity Description (Complete one for each development affected)
1a. Development name: 1b. Development (project) number:
2. Federal Program authority: <input type="checkbox"/> HOPEI <input type="checkbox"/> 5(h) <input type="checkbox"/> Turnkey III <input type="checkbox"/> Section 32 of the USHA of 1937 (effective 10/1/99)
3. Application status: (select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Approved; included in the PHA’s Homeownership Plan/Program <input type="checkbox"/> Submitted, pending approval <input type="checkbox"/> Planned application
4. Date Homeownership Plan/Program approved, submitted, or planned for submission: (DD/MM/YYYY)
5. Number of units affected: 6. Coverage of action: (select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Part of the development <input type="checkbox"/> Total development

B. Section 8 Tenant Based Assistance

1. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to administer a Section 8 Homeownership program pursuant to Section 8(y) of the U.S.H.A. of 1937, as implemented by 24 CFR part 982? (If “No”, skip to component 12; if “yes”, describe each program using the table below (copy and complete questions for each program identified), unless the PHA is eligible to complete a streamlined submission due to high performer status. **High performing PHAs** may skip to component 12.)

2. Program Description:

a. Size of Program

Yes No: Will the PHA limit the number of families participating in the section 8 homeownership option?

If the answer to the question above was yes, which statement best describes the number of participants? (select one)

- 25 or fewer participants
 26- 50 participants
 51 to 100 participants
 more than 100 participants

b. PHA-established eligibility criteria

Yes No: Will the PHA's program have eligibility criteria for participation in its Section 8 Homeownership Option program in addition to HUD criteria?

If yes, list criteria below:

12. PHA Community Service and Self -sufficiency Programs

[24CFR Part 903.79(l)]

Exemptions from Component 12: High performing and small PHAs are not required to complete this component. Section 8 - Only PHAs are not required to complete sub -component C.

A. PHA Coordination with the Welfare (TANF) Agency

1. Cooperative agreements:

Yes No: Has the PHA entered into a cooperative agreement with the TANF Agency, to share information and/or target supportive services (as contemplated by section 12(d)(7) of the Housing Act of 1937)?

If yes, what was the date that agreement was signed? DD/MM/YY

2. Other coordination efforts between the PHA and TANF Agency (select all that apply)

- Client referrals
 Information sharing regarding mutual clients (for rent determinations and otherwise)

- Coordinatetheprovisionofspecificsocialandself -sufficiencyservicesand programstoeligiblefamilies
- Jointlyadministerprograms
- PartnertoadministeraHUDWelfare -to-Workvoucherprogram
- Jointadministrationofotherdemonstrationprogram
- Other(describe)

B. Servicesandprogramsofferedtoresidentsandparticipants

(1)General

a.Self -SufficiencyPolicies

Which,ifanyofthefollowingdiscretionarypolicieswillthePHAemployto enhancetheeconomicandsocialself -sufficiencyofassistedfamiliesinthe followingareas?(selectallthatapply)

- Publichousingrentdeterminationpolicies
- Publichousingadmissionspolicies
- Section8admissionspolicies
- Preferenceinadmissiontosection8forcertainpublichousingfamilies
- Preferencesforfamiliesworkingorengagingintrainingoreducation programsfornon -housingprogramsoperatedorcoordinatedbythe PHA
- Preference/eligibilityforpublichousinghomeownershipoption participation
- Preference/eligibilityforsection8homeownershipoptionparticipation
- Otherpolicies(listbelow)

b.EconomicandSocialself -sufficiencyprograms

- Yes No: DoesthePHACoordinate,promoteorprovide any programstoenhancetheeconomicandsocialself - sufficiencyofresidents?(If“yes”,completethefollowing table;if“no”skiptosub -component2,FamilySelf SufficiencyPrograms.Thepositionofthetablemaybe alteredtofacilitateitsuse.)

ServicesandPrograms				
ProgramName&Description	Estimated	Allocation	Access	Eligibility

- Actively notifying residents of new policy at times in addition to admission and reexamination.
- Establishing or pursuing a cooperative agreement with all appropriate TANF agencies regarding the exchange of information and coordination of services
- Establishing a protocol for exchange of information with all appropriate TANF agencies
- Other: (list below)

D. Reserved for Community Service Requirement pursuant to section 12(c) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937

13. PHA Safety and Crime Prevention Measures

[24 CFR Part 903.79(m)]

Exemptions from Component 13: High performing and small PHAs not participating in PHDEP and Section 8 Only PHAs may skip to component 15. High performing and small PHAs that are participating in PHDEP and are submitting a PHDEP Plan with this PHA Plan may skip to sub component D.

A. Need for measures to ensure the safety of public housing residents

1. Describe the need for measures to ensure the safety of public housing residents

(select all that apply)

- High incidence of violent and/or drug -related crime in some or all of the PHA's developments
- High incidence of violent and/or drug -related crime in the area surrounding or adjacent to the PHA's developments
- Residents fearful for their safety and/or the safety of their children
- Observed lower -level crime, vandalism and/or graffiti
- People on waiting list unwilling to move into one or more developments due to perceived and/or actual levels of violent and/or drug -related crime
- Other (describe below)

2. What information or data did the PHA use to determine the need for PHA actions to improve safety of residents (select all that apply).

- Safety and security survey of residents
- Analysis of crime statistics over time for crimes committed "in and around" public housing authority
- Analysis of cost trends over time for repair of vandalism and removal of graffiti
- Resident reports

- PHA employee reports
- Police reports
- Demonstrable, quantifiable success with previous or ongoing anti-crime/anti-drug programs
- Other (describe below)

3. Which developments are most affected? (list below)

B. Crime and Drug Prevention activities the PHA has undertaken or plan to undertake in the next PHA fiscal year

1. List the crime prevention activities the PHA has undertaken or plan to undertake: (select all that apply)

- Contracting with outside and/or resident organizations for the provision of crime- and/or drug -prevention activities
- Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design
- Activities targeted to at -risk youth, adults, or seniors
- Volunteer Resident Patrol/Block Watchers Program
- Other (describe below)

2. Which developments are most affected? (list below)

C. Coordination between PHA and the police

1. Describe the coordination between the PHA and the appropriate police precincts for carrying out crime prevention measures and activities: (select all that apply)

- Police involvement in development, implementation, and/or ongoing evaluation of drug -elimination plan
- Police provide crime data to housing authority staff for analysis and action
- Police have established a physical presence on housing authority property (e.g., community policing office, officer in residence)
- Police regularly testify in and otherwise support eviction cases
- Police regularly meet with the PHA management and residents
- Agreement between PHA and local law enforcement agency for provision of above-baseline law enforcement services
- Other activities (list below)

2. Which developments are most affected? (list below)

D. Additional information as required by PHDEP/PHDEP Plan

PHA eligible for FY2000 PHDEP funds must provide a PHDEP Plan meeting specified requirements prior to receipt of PHDEP funds.

- Yes No: Is the PHA eligible to participate in the PHDEP in the fiscal year covered by this PHA Plan?
- Yes No: Has the PHA included the PHDEP Plan for FY2000 in this PHA Plan?
- Yes No: This PHDEP Plan is an Attachment. (Attachment Filename: _____)

14. RESERVED FOR PET POLICY

[24CFR Part 903.79(n)]

15. Civil Rights Certifications

[24CFR Part 903.79(o)]

Civil rights certifications are included in the PHA Plan Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations.

16. Fiscal Audit

[24CFR Part 903.79(p)]

- 1. Yes No: Is the PHA required to have an audit conducted under section 5(h)(2) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437c(h))? (If no, skip to component 17.)
- 2. Yes No: Was the most recent fiscal audit submitted to HUD?
- 3. Yes No: Were there any findings as the result of that audit?
- 4. Yes No: If there were any findings, do any remain unresolved? If yes, how many unresolved findings remain? _____
- 5. Yes No: Have responses to any unresolved findings been submitted to HUD? If not, when are they due (state below)?

17. PHA Asset Management

[24CFR Part 903.79(q)]

Exemptions from component 17: Section 8 Only PHAs are not required to complete this component. High performing and small PHAs are not required to complete this component.

1. Yes No: Is the PHA engaging in any activities that will contribute to the long-term asset management of its public housing stock, including how the Agency will plan for long-term operating, capital investment, rehabilitation, modernization, disposition, and other needs that have **not** been addressed elsewhere in this PHA Plan?
2. What types of asset management activities will the PHA undertake? (select all that apply)
- Not applicable
 - Private management
 - Development-based accounting
 - Comprehensive stock assessment
 - Other: (list below)
3. Yes No: Has the PHA included descriptions of asset management activities in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table?

18. Other Information

[24 CFR Part 903.79(r)]

A. Resident Advisory Board Recommendations

1. Yes No: Did the PHA receive any comments on the PHA Plan from the Resident Advisory Board/s?
2. If yes, the comments are: (if comments were received, the PHA **MUST** select one)
- Attached as Attachment (Filename)
 - Provided below:
3. In what manner did the PHA address those comments? (select all that apply)
- Considered comments, but determined that no changes to the PHA Plan were necessary.
 - The PHA changed portions of the PHA Plan in response to comments
List changes below:
 - Other: (list below)

B. Description of Election process for Residents on the PHA Board

1. Yes No: Does the PHA meet the exemption criteria provided section 2(b)(2) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937? (If no, continue to question 2; if yes, skip to sub-component C.)
2. Yes No: Was the resident whose votes on the PHA Board elected by the residents? (If yes, continue to question 3; if no, skip to sub-component C.)

3. Description of Resident Election Process

a. Nomination of candidates for place on the ballot: (select all that apply)

- Candidates were nominated by resident and assisted family organizations
- Candidates could be nominated by any adult recipient of PHA assistance
- Self-nomination: Candidates registered with the PHA and requested a place on ballot
- Other: (describe)

b. Eligible candidates: (select one)

- Any recipient of PHA assistance
- Any head of household receiving PHA assistance
- Any adult recipient of PHA assistance
- Any adult member of a resident or assisted family organization
- Other (list)

c. Eligible voters: (select all that apply)

- All adult recipients of PHA assistance (public housing and section 8 tenant based assistance)
- Representatives of all PHA resident and assisted family organizations
- Other (list)

C. Statement of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan

For each applicable Consolidated Plan, make the following statement (copy questions as many times as necessary).

1. Consolidated Plan jurisdiction: **State of Washington**

2. The PHA has taken the following steps to ensure consistency of this PHA Plan with the Consolidated Plan for the jurisdiction: (select all that apply)

- The PHA has based its statement of needs of families in the jurisdiction on the need expressed in the Consolidated Plan/s.
- The PHA has participated in any consultation process organized and offered by the Consolidated Plan agency in the development of the Consolidated Plan.
- The PHA has consulted with the Consolidated Plan agency during the development of this PHA Plan.
- Activities to be undertaken by the PHA in the coming year are consistent with the initiatives contained in the Consolidated Plan. (list below)
- Other: (list below)

4. The Consolidated Plan of the jurisdiction supports the PHA Plan with the following actions and commitments: (describe below)

D. Other Information Required by HUD

Use this section to provide any additional information requested by HUD.

Attachments

Use this section to provide any additional attachments referenced in the Plans.

PHA Plan Table Library

Component 7 Capital Fund Program Annual Statement Parts I, II, and III

Annual Statement Capital Fund Program (CFP) Part I: Summary

Capital Fund Grant Number FFY of Grant Approval: (MM/YYYY)

Original Annual Statement

Line No.	Summary by Development Account	Total Estimated Cost
1	Total Non -CGP Funds	
2	1406 Operations	
3	1408 Management Improvements	
4	1410 Administration	
5	1411 Audit	
6	1415 Liquidated Damages	
7	1430 Fees and Costs	
8	1440 Site Acquisition	
9	1450 Site Improvement	
10	1460 Dwelling Structures	
11	1465.1 Dwelling Equipment -Nonexpendable	
12	1470 Nondwelling Structures	
13	1475 Nondwelling Equipment	
14	1485 Demolition	
15	1490 Replacement Reserve	
16	1492 Moving to Work Demonstration	
17	1495.1 Relocation Costs	
18	1498 Mod Used for Development	
19	1502 Contingency	
20	Amount of Annual Grant (Sum of lines 2 -19)	
21	Amount of line 20 Related to LBP Activities	
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23	Amount of line 20 Related to Security	
24	Amount of line 20 Related to Energy Conservation Measures	

AnnualStatement
CapitalFundProgram(CFP)PartII:SupportingTable

Development Number/Name HA-WideActivities	GeneralDescriptionofMajorWork Categories	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost

**AnnualStatement
CapitalFundProgram(CFP)PartIII:ImplementationSchedule**

Development Number/Name HA-WideActivities	AllFundsObligated (QuarterEnding Date)	AllFundsExpended (QuarterEndingDate)

Optional Table for 5 -Year Action Plan for Capital Fund (Component 7)

Complete one table for each development in which work is planned in the next 5 PHA fiscal years. Complete a table for any PHA planned in the next 5 PHA fiscal year. Copy this table as many times as necessary. Note: PHAs need not include information from Year One or information is included in the Capital Fund Program Annual Statement.

-wide physical or management improvements
for the 5 -Year cycle, because this

Optional 5 -Year Action Plan Tables				
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
Total estimated cost over next 5 years				

Attachment to PHA Plan

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PHA Fiscal Year Beginning: October 1, 2003

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