

PHA Plans

Streamlined 5-Year/Annual Version

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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 that introduced 5-year and annual PHA Plans. The full PHA plan provides 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 and strategies for serving the needs of low-income and very low-income families. This form allows eligible PHAs to make a streamlined annual Plan submission to HUD consistent with HUD's efforts to provide regulatory relief to certain PHAs. Public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to average 11.7 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. HUD may not collect this information and respondents are not required to complete this form, unless it displays a currently valid OMB Control Number.

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Streamlined 5-Year Plan for Fiscal Years 2005 - 2009

Streamlined Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2005

Housing Authority of the City of Blakely
ga114v01

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Streamlined Five-Year PHA Plan Agency Identification

PHA Name: Housing Authority of the City of Blakely

PHA Number: GA114

PHA Fiscal Year Beginning: (mm/yyyy) 04/2005

PHA Programs Administered:

Public Housing and Section 8

Number of public housing units:

Number of S8 units:

Section 8 Only

Number of S8 units:

Public Housing Only

Number of public housing units: 159

PHA Consortia: (check box if submitting a joint PHA Plan and complete table)

Participating PHAs	PHA Code	Program(s) Included in the Consortium	Programs Not in the Consortium	# of Units Each Program
Participating PHA 1:				
Participating PHA 2:				
Participating PHA 3:				

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 and attachments (if any) 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)

Streamlined Five-Year PHA Plan

PHA FISCAL YEARS 2005 - 2009

[24 CFR Part 903.12]

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 THE CITY OF BLAKELY IS TO PROVIDE, WITHIN THE LIMITS IMPOSED BY APPLICABLE LAWS, HUD RULES AND REGULATIONS, ADEQUATE HOUSING AND RELATED SERVICES FOR QUALIFIED CITIZENS

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 ENCOURAGED TO IDENTIFY QUANTIFIABLE MEASURES OF SUCCESS IN REACHING THEIR OBJECTIVES OVER THE COURSE OF THE 5 YEARS.** (Quantifiable measures would include targets such as: numbers of families served or PHAS scores achieved.) PHAs should identify these measures in the spaces 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:
 - 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)
- PHA 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)
- PHA 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 other homeownership programs:
 - Implement public housing site-based waiting lists:
 - Convert public housing to vouchers:
 - Other: (list below)

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

- PHA 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: (list below)

HUD Strategic Goal: Promote self-sufficiency and asset development of families and individuals

- PHA Goal: Promote self-sufficiency and asset development of assisted households
- Objectives:
- Increase the number and percentage of employed persons in assisted families:
 - Provide or attract supportive services to improve assistance recipients' employability:
 - Provide or attract supportive services to increase independence for the elderly or families with disabilities.
 - Other: (list below)

HUD Strategic Goal: Ensure Equal Opportunity in Housing for all Americans

- PHA Goal: Ensure equal opportunity and affirmatively further fair housing
Objectives:
- Undertake affirmative measures to ensure access to assisted housing regardless of race, color, religion national origin, sex, familial status, and disability:
 - Undertake affirmative measures to provide a suitable living environment for families living in assisted housing, regardless of race, color, religion national origin, sex, familial status, and disability:
 - Undertake affirmative measures to ensure accessible housing to persons with all varieties of disabilities regardless of unit size required:
 - Other: (list below)

Other PHA Goals and Objectives: (list below)

GOAL: MANAGE THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BLAKELY'S EXISTING PUBLIC HOUSING PROGRAM IN AN EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT MANNER

Objectives:

- 1. HUD shall recognize the Housing Authority as a High Performer by March 31, 2010.**
- 2. The Housing Authority shall promote a motivating work environment with a capable and efficient team of employees to operate as a customer-friendly and fiscally prudent leader in the affordable housing industry. This is an on-going objective.**

GOAL: ENHANCE THE MARKETABILITY OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BLAKELY'S PUBLIC HOUSING UNITS

Objectives:

- 1. The Housing Authority shall remove all graffiti within 24 hours of discovering it. This is an on-going objective.**
- 2. The Housing Authority shall achieve proper curb appeal for its public housing developments by improving its landscaping, keeping its grass cut, making the properties litter-free and other actions. This is an on-going objective.**

GOAL: DELIVER TIMELY AND HIGH QUALITY MAINTENANCE SERVICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BLAKELY

Objectives:

- 1. The Housing Authority shall achieve and maintain an average response time of 24 hours in responding to emergency work orders. This is an on-going objective.**
- 2. The Housing Authority shall achieve and maintain an average response time of 2 days in responding to routine work orders. This is an on-going objective.**

GOAL: OPERATE THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BLAKELY IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH ALL EQUAL OPPORTUNITY LAWS AND REGULATIONS AND AFFIRMATIVELY FURTHER FAIR HOUSING

Objective:

- 1. The Housing Authority shall mix its public housing development populations as much as possible with respect to ethnicity, race and income. This is an on-going objective.**

Streamlined Annual PHA Plan PHA Fiscal Year 2005 [24 CFR Part 903.12(b)]

Table of Contents

Provide the following table of contents for the streamlined Annual Plan submitted with the Five-Year Plan, including all streamlined plan components, and additional requirements, together with the list of supporting documents available for public inspection.

A. ANNUAL STREAMLINED PHA PLAN COMPONENTS

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- 12. FY 2005 Capital Fund Program and Capital Fund Program Replacement Housing Factor, Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report
- 13. Capital Fund Program 5-Year Action Plan
- 14. Other (List below, providing name for each item)

B. SEPARATE HARD COPY SUBMISSIONS TO LOCAL HUD FIELD OFFICE

Form HUD-50077, PHA Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations: Board Resolution to Accompany the Standard Annual, Standard Five-Year, and Streamlined Five-Year/Annual Plans;

Certification by State or Local Official of PHA Plan Consistency with Consolidated Plan.

For PHAs APPLYING FOR CAPITAL FUND PROGRAM (CFP) GRANTS:

Form HUD-50070, Certification for a Drug-Free Workplace;

Form HUD-50071, Certification of Payments to Influence Federal Transactions;

Form SF-LLL & SF-LLLa, Disclosure of Lobbying Activities.

Executive Summary (optional)

[903.7(r)]. If desired, provide a brief overview of the contents of the streamlined 5-Year/Annual Plan.

The Housing Authority of the City of Blakely has prepared this Agency Plan in compliance with Section 511 of the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998 and the ensuing HUD requirements.

We have adopted the following mission statement to guide the activities of the Housing Authority.

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We have also adopted the following goals and objectives for the next five years.

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Summary of Program Changes

For the ensuing year we made the following changes to our policies and/or programs based on changes in statutes and/or HUD regulations or discretionary changes. The following are examples of changes to our Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy:

- We have incorporated the Medicare transitional assistance program provisions into our Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy;
- We have revised our Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy to add provisions for cooperating with law enforcement agencies;
- We have strengthened our Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy by adding specific steps for following the five verification methods acceptable to HUD;
- We have added a provision for handling Housing Authority mistakes in calculating rent to our Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy;
- We have increased our Security Deposits

Our Agency Plan is based on the premise that if we accomplish our goals and objectives we will be working towards the achievement of our mission.

The plans, statements, budget summary, policies, etc. set forth in the Agency Plan all lead towards the accomplishment of our goals and objectives. Taken as a whole, they outline a comprehensive approach towards our goals and objectives and are consistent with the

Consolidated Plan.

In summary, we are on course to improve the condition of affordable housing in the City of Blakely, Georgia.

1. Statement of Housing Needs [24 CFR Part 903.12 (b), 903.7(a)]

A. Housing Needs 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.** PHAs may provide separate tables for site-based or sub-jurisdictional public housing waiting lists at their option.

Housing Needs of Families on the PHA's Waiting Lists			
Waiting list type: (select one)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Section 8 tenant-based assistance			
<input checked="" 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	43		26 units
Extremely low income <=30% AMI	42	98%	
Very low income (>30% but <=50% AMI)	1	2%	
Low income (>50% but <80% AMI)	0	0	
Families with children	28	65%	
Elderly families	1	2%	
Families with Disabilities	1	2%	
Race/ethnicity – White	2	5%	
Race/ethnicity – Black	40	93%	
Race/ethnicity – Hispanic	1	2%	
Race/ethnicity - Other	0		
Characteristics by Bedroom Size (Public Housing Only)			
1BR	32	75%	9 units
2 BR	10	23%	10 units
3 BR	1	2%	6 units
4 BR	0		1 unit
5 BR	0		
5+ BR	0		

Housing Needs of Families on the PHA's Waiting Lists	
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 onto the waiting list, even if generally closed?	
<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	

B. Strategy for Addressing Needs

Provide a brief description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families on the PHA's public housing and Section 8 waiting lists **IN THE UPCOMING YEAR**, and the Agency's reasons for choosing this strategy.

(1) Strategies

Need: Shortage of affordable housing for all eligible 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 finance 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
- Undertake measures to ensure access to affordable housing among families assisted by the PHA, regardless of unit size required
- Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by marketing the program to owners, particularly those outside of areas of minority and poverty concentration
- Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by effectively screening Section 8 applicants to increase owner acceptance of program
- Participate in the Consolidated Plan development process to ensure coordination with broader community strategies
- Other (list below)

Strategy 2: Increase the number of affordable housing units by:

Select all that apply

- Apply for additional section 8 units should they become available
- Leverage affordable housing resources in the community through the creation of mixed - finance housing
- Pursue housing resources other than public housing or Section 8 tenant-based

- assistance.
 Other: (list below)

Need: Specific Family Types: Families at or below 30% of median

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to families at or below 30 % of AMI

Select all that apply

- Exceed HUD federal targeting requirements for families at or below 30% of AMI in public housing
 Exceed HUD federal targeting requirements for families at or below 30% of AMI in tenant-based section 8 assistance
 Employ admissions preferences aimed at families with economic hardships
 Adopt rent policies to support and encourage work
 Other: (list below)

The following is an extract from our adopted Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy.

10.3 SELECTION FROM THE WAITING LIST

The Blakely Housing Authority shall follow the statutory requirement that at least 40% of newly admitted families in any fiscal year be families whose annual income is at or below 30% of the area median income. To ensure this requirement is met we shall quarterly monitor the incomes of newly admitted families and the incomes of the families on the waiting list. If it appears that the requirement to house extremely low-income families will not be met, we will skip higher income families on the waiting list to reach extremely low-income families.

If there are not enough extremely low-income families on the waiting list we will conduct outreach on a non-discriminatory basis to attract extremely low-income families to reach the statutory requirement.

Need: Specific Family Types: Families at or below 50% of median

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to families at or below 50% of AMI

Select all that apply

- Employ admissions preferences aimed at families who are working
 Adopt rent policies to support and encourage work

We have established ceiling rents and flat rents to encourage working families to remain in public housing.

- Other: (list below)

Need: Specific Family Types: The Elderly

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to the elderly:

Select all that apply

- Seek designation of public housing for the elderly
- Apply for special-purpose vouchers targeted to the elderly, should they become available
- Other: (list below)

The Housing Authority of the City of Blakely does not have any public housing units designed for occupancy by elderly individuals and families. All of our units are designed for general occupancy.

Need: Specific Family Types: Families with Disabilities

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to Families with Disabilities:

Select all that apply

- Seek designation of public housing for families with disabilities
- Carry out the modifications needed in public housing based on the section 504 Needs Assessment for Public Housing
- Apply for special-purpose vouchers targeted to families with disabilities, should they become available
- Affirmatively market to local non-profit agencies that assist families with disabilities
- Other: (list below)

The following extract from our adopted Admissions and Continued Occupancy policy outlines our policy regarding reasonable accommodation and the assignment of accessible units.

2.0 Reasonable Accommodation

Sometimes people with disabilities may need a reasonable accommodation in order to take full advantage of the Blakely Housing Authority housing programs and related services. When such accommodations are granted, they do not confer special treatment or advantage for the person with a disability; rather, they make the program accessible to them in a way that would otherwise not be possible due to their disability. This policy clarifies how people can request accommodations and the guidelines the Blakely Housing Authority will follow in determining whether it is reasonable to provide a requested accommodation. Because disabilities are not always apparent, the Blakely Housing Authority will ensure that all applicants/tenants are aware of the opportunity to request reasonable accommodations.

Accessible Units: Accessible units will be first offered to families who may benefit from the accessible features. Applicants for these units will be selected utilizing the same preference system as outlined above. If there are no applicants who would benefit from the accessible features, the units will be offered to other applicants in the order that their

names come to the top of the waiting list. Such applicants, however, must sign a release form stating they will accept a transfer (at their own expense) if, at a future time, a family requiring an accessible feature applies or requires a transfer from a non-accessible unit. Any family required to transfer will be given a 30 calendar day notice.

Need: Specific Family Types: Races or ethnicities with disproportionate housing needs

Strategy 1: Increase awareness of PHA resources among families of races and ethnicities with disproportionate needs:

Select if applicable

- Affirmatively market to races/ethnicities shown to have disproportionate housing needs
- Other: (list below)

Strategy 2: Conduct activities to affirmatively further fair housing

Select all that apply

- Counsel section 8 tenants as to location of units outside of areas of poverty or minority concentration and assist them to locate those units
- Market the section 8 program to owners outside of areas of poverty /minority concentrations
- Other: (list below)

The following is an extract from our adopted Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy.

1.0 FAIR HOUSING

It is the policy of the Blakely Housing Authority to fully comply with all Federal, State and local nondiscrimination laws; the Americans with Disabilities Act; and the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations governing Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity. The Blakely Housing Authority shall affirmatively further fair housing in the administration of its public housing program.

No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, sex, religion, national or ethnic origin, familial status, or disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under the Blakely Housing Authority's programs.

To further its commitment to full compliance with applicable Civil Rights laws, the Blakely Housing Authority will provide Federal/State/local information to applicants/tenants of the Public Housing Program regarding discrimination and any recourse available to them if they believe they may be victims of discrimination. Such information will be made available with the application, and all applicable Fair Housing Information and Discrimination Complaint Forms will be made available at the Blakely Housing Authority office. In addition, all written information and advertisements will contain the appropriate Equal Opportunity language and logo.

The Blakely Housing Authority will assist any family that believes they have suffered illegal discrimination by providing the family with copies of the appropriate housing discrimination forms. The Blakely Housing Authority will also assist them in completing the forms if requested, and will provide them with the address of the nearest HUD office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity.

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 903.12 (b), 903.7 (c)]

List on the following table 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 20__ grants)		
a) Public Housing Operating Fund	286,166	
b) Public Housing Capital Fund	270,727	
c) HOPE VI Revitalization	0	
d) HOPE VI Demolition	0	
e) Annual Contributions for Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance	0	
f) Resident Opportunity and Self-Sufficiency Grants	0	

Financial Resources: Planned Sources and Uses		
Sources	Planned \$	Planned Uses
g) Community Development Block Grant	0	
h) HOME	0	
Other Federal Grants (list below)	0	
2. Prior Year Federal Grants (unobligated funds only) (list below)	0	
3. Public Housing Dwelling Rental Income	176,892	P H Operations
4. Other income (list below)		
Interest on General Fund investments	1,000	P H Operations
Misc. Income (late charges, etc.)	3,600	P H Operations
4. Non-federal sources (list below)		
Total resources	738,385	

3. PHA Policies Governing Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions

[24 CFR Part 903.12 (b), 903.7 (b)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions: PHAs 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)

The following extract from our adopted Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy describes when the Housing Authority verifies eligibility for admission to public housing.

7.0 Taking Applications

Upon receipt of the family's application, the Blakely Housing Authority will make a determination of eligibility. The Blakely Housing Authority will notify the family in writing of the date and time of placement on the waiting list, and the approximate wait before housing may be offered. If the Blakely Housing Authority determines the family to

be ineligible, the notice will state the reasons therefore and will offer the family the opportunity of an informal review of the determination.

The applicant may at any time report changes in their applicant status including changes in family composition, income, or preference factors. The Blakely Housing Authority will annotate the applicant's file and will update their place on the waiting list. Confirmation of the changes will be confirmed with the family in writing.

9.3 FAMILIES NEARING THE TOP OF THE WAITING LIST

When a family appears to be nearing the top of the waiting list, the family will be invited to an interview and the verification process will begin. It is at this point in time that the family's waiting list preference will be verified. If the family no longer qualifies to be near the top of the list, the family's name will be returned to the appropriate spot on the waiting list. The Blakely Housing Authority must notify the family in writing of this determination and give the family the opportunity for an informal review.

Once the preference has been verified, the family will complete a full application, present Social Security number information, citizenship/eligible immigrant information, and sign the Consent for Release of Information forms.

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)

The following extract from our adopted Admissions and Continued Occupancy describes our suitability requirements for admission to public housing.

8.3 SUITABILITY

- A. Applicant families will be evaluated to determine whether, based on their recent behavior, such behavior could reasonably be expected to result in compliance with the public housing lease. The Blakely Housing Authority will look at past conduct as an indicator of future conduct. Emphasis will be placed on whether a family's admission could reasonably be expected to have a detrimental effect on the development environment, other tenants, Blakely Housing Authority employees, or other people residing in the immediate vicinity of the property. Otherwise eligible families will be denied admission if they fail to meet the suitability criteria.
- B. The Blakely Housing Authority will consider objective and reasonable aspects of the family's background, including the following:

1. History of meeting financial obligations, especially rent and any utility payments;
 2. Ability to maintain (or with assistance would have the ability to maintain) their housing in a decent and safe condition based on living or housekeeping habits and whether such habits could adversely affect the health, safety, or welfare of other tenants;
 3. History of criminal activity by any household member involving crimes of physical violence against persons or property and any other criminal activity including drug-related criminal activity that would adversely affect the health, safety, or well being of other tenants or staff or cause damage to the property;
 4. History of disturbing neighbors or destruction of property;
 5. Having committed fraud in connection with any Federal housing assistance program, including the intentional misrepresentation of information related to their housing application or benefits derived there from; and
 6. History of abusing alcohol in a way that may interfere with the health, safety, or right to peaceful enjoyment by others.
- C. The Blakely Housing Authority will ask applicants to provide information demonstrating their ability to comply with the essential elements of the lease. The Blakely Housing Authority will verify the information provided. Such verification may include but may not be limited to the following:
1. A credit check of the head, spouse, co-head, and any other adult family members;
 2. A rental history check of all adult family members;
 3. A criminal background check on all adult household members, including live-in aides at no cost to the applicant. This check will be made through State or local law enforcement or court records in those cases where the household member has lived in the local jurisdiction for the last three years. Where the individual has lived outside the local area, the Blakely Housing Authority may contact law enforcement agencies where the individual had lived or request a check through the FBI's National Crime Information Center (NCIC). This criminal background check will proceed after each adult household member has signed a consent form designed by the Blakely Housing Authority.

The information received as a result of the criminal background check shall be used solely for screening, lease enforcement and eviction purposes. The information derived from the criminal background check shall be shared only with employees of the Blakely Housing Authority who have a job-related need to have access to the information. The information shall be maintained confidentially, not misused or improperly disseminated, and destroyed once the purpose(s) for which it was requested has been accomplished and the period for filing a challenge to the Blakely Housing Authority's action has expired without a challenge or final disposition of any litigation has occurred;

4. A home visit. The home visit provides the opportunity for the family to demonstrate their ability to maintain their home in a safe and sanitary manner. This inspection considers cleanliness and care of rooms, appliances, and appurtenances. The inspection may also consider any evidence of criminal activity; and
5. A check of the State's lifetime sex offender registration program for each adult household member, including live-in aides. No household with an individual registered under a State sex offender registration will be admitted to public housing. The Blakely Housing Authority will check with our State registry and if the applicant has resided in another State(s), with that State(s)'s list.

If an applicant is about to be denied housing based on either the criminal check or the sex offender registration program, the applicant will be informed of this fact and given an opportunity to dispute the accuracy of the information before the denial or eviction occurs.

- 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. Site-Based Waiting Lists-Previous Year

Not Applicable. The Housing Authority of the City of Blakely did not maintain site-based waiting lists in the previous year.

1. Has the PHA operated one or more site-based waiting lists in the previous year? **NO.** If yes, complete the following table; if not skip to d.

Site-Based Waiting Lists				
Development Information: (Name, number, location)	Date Initiated	Initial mix of Racial, Ethnic or Disability Demographics	Current mix of Racial, Ethnic or Disability Demographics since Initiation of SBWL	Percent change between initial and current mix of Racial, Ethnic, or Disability demographics

2. What is the number of site based waiting list developments to which families may apply at one time? ___

3. How many unit offers may an applicant turn down before being removed from the site-based waiting list? ___

4. Yes No: Is the PHA the subject of any pending fair housing complaint by HUD or any court order or settlement agreement? If yes, describe the order, agreement or complaint and describe how use of a site-based waiting list will not violate or be inconsistent with the order, agreement or complaint below:

d. Site-Based Waiting Lists – Coming Year

Not Applicable. The Housing Authority of the City of Blakely does not plan to operate any site-based waiting lists during the coming year.

If the PHA plans 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? None
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 (Without good cause)
 - Two (With good cause)
 - Three or More

The following is an extract from our adopted Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy

9.5 REMOVAL OF APPLICANTS FROM THE WAITING LIST

The Blakely Housing Authority will not remove an applicant's name from the waiting list unless:

- A. The applicant requests in writing that the name be removed;
- B. The applicant fails to respond to a written request for information or a request to declare their continued interest in the program;
- C. The applicant does not meet either the eligibility or suitability criteria for the program; or
- D. The applicant is housed.

Applicants will be offered the right to an informal review before being removed from the waiting list.

9.6 MISSED APPOINTMENTS

All applicants who fail to keep a scheduled appointment with the Blakely Housing Authority will be sent a notice of termination of the process for eligibility.

The Blakely Housing Authority will allow the family to reschedule for good cause. Generally, no more than one opportunity will be given to reschedule without good cause, and no more than two opportunities will be given for good cause. When good cause exists for missing an appointment, the Blakely Housing Authority will work closely with the family to find a more suitable time.

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 admissions to public housing to families at or below 30% of median area income?

b. Transfer policies:

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

- Emergencies
- Over-housed
- Under-housed
- 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, Action 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
- Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Households 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 point 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
- 3 Substandard housing
- Homelessness
- High rent burden

Other preferences (select all that apply)

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

Applications are filed and selected in the following order:

1. First Priority: Families who qualify for the Local Preference: Elderly/Handicapped

2. Second Priority: Families who qualify for Local Preference: Working Family
3. Third Priority: Families who qualify for Local Preference: Substandard Housing
4. Fourth Priority: Families who qualify for Local Preference: 24-month continuous resident of Early County.
5. Fifth Priority: Families who do not qualify for any Local Preference.

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
- Any time family composition changes
- At family request for revision
- Other (list)

(6) Deconcentration and Income Mixing

a. Yes No: Does the PHA have any general occupancy (family) public housing developments covered by the deconcentration rule? If no, this section is complete. If yes, continue to the next question.

b. Yes No: Do any of these covered developments have average incomes above or below 85% to 115% of the average incomes of all such developments? If no, this section is complete. If yes, list these developments on the following table:

Deconcentration Policy for Covered Developments			
Development Name	Number of Units	Explanation (if any) [see step 4 at §903.2(c)(1)(iv)]	Deconcentration policy (if no explanation) [see step 5 at §903.2(c)(1)(v)]

B. Section 8 – Not Applicable

Exemptions: PHAs 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):
- 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)

(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)

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:

(4) Admissions Preferences

a. Income targeting

Yes No: Does the PHA plan to exceed the federal targeting requirements by targeting more than 75% of all new admissions to the section 8 program to families at or below 30% of median area income?

b. Preferences

1. Yes No: Has the PHA established preferences for admission to section 8 tenant-based assistance? (other than date and time of application) (if no, skip to subcomponent **(5) Special purpose section 8 assistance programs**)

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, Action 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 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 your jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Households 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 point 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 your jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Households 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)

4. Among applicants on the waiting list with equal preference status, how are applicants selected? (select one)

- Date and time of application
- Drawing (lottery) or other random choice technique

5. If the PHA plans to employ preferences for "residents who live and/or work in the jurisdiction" (select one)

- This preference has previously been reviewed and approved by HUD
- The PHA requests approval for this preference through this PHA Plan

6. Relationship of preferences to income targeting requirements: (select one)

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

(5) Special Purpose Section 8 Assistance Programs

a. In which documents or other reference materials are the policies governing eligibility, selection, and admissions 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 programs to the public?

- Through published notices

Other (list below)

4. PHA Rent Determination Policies

[24 CFR Part 903.12(b), 903.7(d)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions: PHAs 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 of the following two)

- 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))
- 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% of 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)

Our ceiling rents are the same as our flat rents.

f. Rent re-determinations:

1. Between income reexaminations, 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
- Any time the family experiences an income increase
- Any time 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

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

- The 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 – Not Applicable

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 (list below)

c. If the payment standard is higher than FMR, why has the PHA chosen this level? (select all that apply)

- FMRs are not adequate to ensure success among assisted families in the PHA's segment of the FMR area
- Reflects market or submarket
- To increase housing options for families
- Other (list below)

d. How often are payment standards reevaluated for adequacy? (select one)

- Annually
- Other (list below)

e. What factors will the PHA consider in its assessment of the adequacy of its payment standard? (select all that apply)

- Success rates of assisted families
- Rent burdens of assisted families
- Other (list below)

(2) Minimum Rent

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

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

b. Yes No: Has the PHA adopted any discretionary minimum rent hardship exemption policies? (if yes, list below)

5. Capital Improvement Needs

[24 CFR Part 903.12(b), 903.7 (g)]

Exemptions from Component 5: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this component and may skip to Component 6.

A. Capital Fund Activities

Exemptions from sub-component 5A: PHAs that will not participate in the Capital Fund Program may skip to component 5B. All other PHAs must complete 5A as instructed.

(1) Capital Fund Program

- a. Yes No Does the PHA plan to participate in the Capital Fund Program in the upcoming year? If yes, complete items 12 and 13 of this template (Capital Fund Program tables). If no, skip to B.

- b. Yes No: Does the PHA propose to use any portion of its CFP funds to repay debt incurred to finance capital improvements? If so, the PHA must identify in its annual and 5-year capital plans the development(s) where such improvements will be made and show both how the proceeds of the financing will be used and the amount of the annual payments required to service the debt. (Note that separate HUD approval is required for such financing activities.).

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

Applicability of sub-component 5B: 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.

(1) Hope VI Revitalization

- a. Yes No: Has the PHA received a HOPE VI revitalization grant? (if no, skip to next component; if yes, provide responses to questions on chart below 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)
Development name:
Development (project) number:
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
- c. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to apply for a HOPE VI Revitalization grant in the Plan year? If yes, list development name/s below:
- d. Yes No: Will the PHA be engaging in any mixed-finance development activities for public housing in the Plan year? If yes, list developments or activities below:
- e. Yes No: 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:

6. Demolition and Disposition

[24 CFR Part 903.12(b), 903.7 (h)]

Applicability of component 6: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

- a. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to conduct any demolition or disposition activities (pursuant to section 18 or 24 (Hope VI) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437p) or Section 202/Section 33 (Mandatory Conversion) in the plan Fiscal Year? (If “No”, skip to component 7; if “yes”, complete one activity description for each development on the following chart.)

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:

7. Section 8 Tenant Based Assistance--Section 8(y) Homeownership Program

[24 CFR Part 903.12(b), 903.7(k)(1)(i)]

- (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 the next component; if “yes”, complete each program description below (copy and complete questions for each program identified.)

(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, what is the maximum number of participants this fiscal year? ___

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:

c. What actions will the PHA undertake to implement the program this year (list)?

(3) Capacity of the PHA to Administer a Section 8 Homeownership Program

The PHA has demonstrated its capacity to administer the program by (select all that apply):

- a. Establishing a minimum homeowner downpayment requirement of at least 3 percent of purchase price and requiring that at least 1 percent of the purchase price comes from the family's resources.
- b. Requiring that financing for purchase of a home under its Section 8 homeownership will be provided, insured or guaranteed by the state or Federal government; comply with secondary mortgage market underwriting requirements; or comply with generally accepted private sector underwriting standards.
- c. Partnering with a qualified agency or agencies to administer the program (list name(s) and years of experience below).
- d. Demonstrating that it has other relevant experience (list experience below).

8. Civil Rights Certifications

[24 CFR Part 903.12 (b), 903.7 (o)]

Civil rights certifications are included in the *PHA Plan Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations: Board Resolution to Accompany the Standard Annual, Standard Five-Year, and Streamlined Five-Year/Annual Plans*, which is submitted to the Field Office in hard copy—see Table of Contents.

9. Additional Information

[24 CFR Part 903.12 (b), 903.7 (r)]

A. PHA Progress in Meeting the Mission and Goals Described in the 5-Year Plan

(Provide a statement of the PHA's progress against the goals and objectives established in the previous 5-Year Plan for the period FY 2000 - 2004.

Statement of Progress in Meeting the FY 2000 – 2004 5-Year Plan Goals and Objectives

The following table reflects the progress we have made in achieving our goals and objectives:

GOAL ONE: TO PRESERVE THE STOCK OF EXISTING HOUSING OWNED AND/OR MANAGED BY THE HOUSING AUTHORITY	
Objective	Progress
1a. Inspect all housing units annually to ensure they are in decent, safe, and sanitary condition. Complete this process by September 30, 2000.	100 % of our units are inspected annually by an independent contractor. Our most recent PHAS score was 24 out of a possible 30 for the Physical indicator. This on-going objective is being accomplished.
1b. Identify funds and resources that may be available to implement Goal 1. Complete by September 30, 2000 initially and continue in subsequent plan years.	Operating funds are utilized to perform annual inspections. This on-going objective is being accomplished.
1c. Identify Capital Improvement items in a priority order, which are necessary to accomplish Goal 1. Initial step to be completed by September 30, 2000 and continue in subsequent plan years.	We periodically conduct a physical needs assessment and prioritize our modernization work according to the assessments and availability of HUD funds. This on-going objective is being accomplished.
1d. Implement Capital Improvement programs that can be funded on the priority basis established in objective 1c.	We obligate and expend our capital funds in a timely manner within HUD established time frames. We are systematically renovating dwelling unit interiors and exteriors; improving sites; and making management improvements. This on-going objective is being accomplished.

GOAL TWO: INCREASE THE AVAILABILITY OF DECENT, SAFE, AFFORDABLE HOUSING IN THE JURISDICTION OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY	
Objective	Progress
2a. Identify the specific needs for decent, safe and affordable housing in the jurisdiction of the PHA. Complete this process by Sept. 30, 2000. Continue to monitor in subsequent years.	We currently have identified a significant need for housing for elderly individuals and families in the jurisdiction of the Housing Authority. However, there are no HUD funds available for new development.
2b. Identify resources that may be available to provide the needs identified in 2a. Complete the initial step by Sept. 30, 2001 and continue in subsequent years as the needs arise.	Resources are extremely limited for rural areas. Housing funds are generally available to larger, more urban areas.
2c. Ensure that the housing needs identified in 2a. are met using the resources identified in 2b. Complete the initial process by Sept. 30, 2003 and in subsequent years as applicable.	At the present time we are not in a position to meet the needs of elderly individuals and families. All of our units are designed for general occupancy.

GOAL THREE: PROMOTE AVAILABLE, ADEQUATE, DECENT, SAFE AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING	
Objective	Progress
3a. Maintain a practice of accepting housing discrimination complaints and forwarding these complaints to the proper investigative unit.	The Blakely Housing Authority will assist any family that believes they have suffered illegal discrimination by providing the family with copies of the appropriate housing discrimination forms. The Blakely Housing Authority will also assist them in completing the forms if requested, and will provide them with the address of the nearest HUD office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity.
3b. Monitor housing placement and enforcing the “Deconcentration Policy” with a goal of 10% of lower income participants placed into higher income neighborhoods over the next five (5) years.	It is the Housing Authority's policy to provide for deconcentration of poverty and encourage income mixing by bringing higher income families into lower income developments and lower income families into higher income developments. Toward this end, we will skip families on the waiting list to reach other families with a lower or higher income. We will accomplish this in a uniform and non-discriminating manner. Prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, we will analyze the income levels of families residing in each of our developments and the income levels of the families on the waiting list. Based on this analysis, we will determine the level of marketing strategies and deconcentration incentives to implement. The Housing Authority is currently exempt from Deconcentration requirement because the average income of all developments is below 30% of AMI.
3c. Perform a study to determine the feasibility of converting rental units to homeownership units.	We have determined that it is not feasible to convert rental units to homeownership due to the need for rental units for low income families.
3d. Perform an annual review of residents who may be interested in homeownership units.	We have determined that it is not feasible to convert rental units to homeownership due to the need for rental units for low income families.

GOAL FOUR: PROMOTE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY AND VITALITY AND ASSET DEVELOPMENT	
Objective	Progress
4a. Determine the feasibility if implementing flat rents.	We have implemented flat rents for our public housing program.
4b. Implementing a ceiling rent and choice of rent policy that will allow resident asset accumulation.	We have implemented ceiling rents for our public housing program. Our ceiling rents are the same as our flat rents.
4c. Survey residents to determine the interest in self-sufficiency programs that may be available.	DFACS provides numerous programs for residents, including job training, GED and educational programs, literacy program, parenting classes, and pregnancy programs.

4d. Survey residents to determine if any residents are interested in technical, vocational, or job training programs.	See above.
4e. Survey residents to determine whether any are interested in resident business development activities.	See above.
4f. Increase the number of households with a working family member 10% by giving preference in housing to families whom are working.	We have established a preference for working families.
4g. Employ admission preferences aimed at families with hardships.	We have established a preference for families living in substandard housing.
4h. Employ admission preferences aimed at families that are working.	We have established a preference for working families.
4i. Adopt rent policies to support and encourage work.	Our ceiling and flat rents allow resident asset accumulation and the ability to remain in public housing at an affordable rent.

GOAL FIVE: TO ENSURE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY IN HOUSING FOR ALL AMERICANS	
Objective	Progress
5a. Undertake affirmative measures to ensure access to assisted housing regardless of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial status, and disability.	<p>It is the policy of the Housing Authority to fully comply with all Federal, State and local nondiscrimination laws; the Americans with Disabilities Act; and the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations governing Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity. The Housing Authority shall affirmatively further fair housing in the administration of its public housing program.</p> <p>No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, sex, religion, national or ethnic origin, familial status, or disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under the Housing Authority's programs.</p>
5b. Undertake affirmative measures to provide a suitable living environment for families living in assisted housing regardless of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial status, and disability.	<p>Applicant families will be evaluated to determine whether, based on their recent behavior, such behavior could reasonably be expected to result in compliance with the public housing lease. The Housing Authority will look at past conduct as an indicator of future conduct. Emphasis will be placed on whether a family's admission could reasonably be expected to have a detrimental effect on the development environment, other tenants, Housing Authority employees, or other people residing in the immediate vicinity of the property. Otherwise eligible families will be denied admission if they fail to meet the suitability criteria.</p>

<p>5c. Undertake affirmative measures to ensure accessible housing to persons with all varieties of disabilities regardless of unit size required.</p>	<p>Accessible units will be first offered to families who may benefit from the accessible features. Applicants for these units will be selected utilizing the same preference system as outlined above. If there are no applicants who would benefit from the accessible features, the units will be offered to other applicants in the order that their names come to the top of the waiting list. Such applicants, however, must sign a release form stating they will accept a transfer (at their own expense) if, at a future time, a family requiring an accessible feature applies or requires a transfer from a non-accessible unit. Any family required to transfer will be given a 30 calendar day notice.</p>
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<p>GOAL SIX: PROVIDE A SUITABLE LIVING ENVIRONMENT</p>	
<p>Objective</p>	<p>Progress</p>
<p>6a. Implement measures to deconcentrate poverty by bringing higher income public housing households into lower income developments.</p>	<p>It is the Housing Authority's policy to provide for deconcentration of poverty and encourage income mixing by bringing higher income families into lower income developments and lower income families into higher income developments. Toward this end, we will skip families on the waiting list to reach other families with a lower or higher income. We will accomplish this in a uniform and non-discriminating manner.</p> <p>The Housing Authority will affirmatively market our housing to all eligible income groups. Lower income residents will not be steered toward lower income developments and higher income people will not be steered toward higher income developments.</p> <p>Prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, we will analyze the income levels of families residing in each of our developments and the income levels of the families on the waiting list. Based on this analysis, we will determine the level of marketing strategies and deconcentration incentives to implement.</p>
<p>6b. Implement measures to promote income mixing in public housing by assuring access for lower income families into higher income developments.</p>	<p>See above.</p>
<p>6c. Determine whether the dwelling units and facilities meet lead-based paint, asbestos, and 504 disabled accessibility standards.</p>	<p>We have LBP on the exterior porches of GA114-3. We plan to remove it utilizing our capital funds.</p> <p>Housing Authority wide, we have 5% or more of our units that meet accessibility standards.</p>
<p>6d. Add air conditioning to all dwelling</p>	<p>Central air conditioning has been added to all of our</p>

units.	units.
6e. Improve screening procedures for prospective residents.	We have established suitability requirements as a part of our ACOP, in addition to the income eligibility requirements.

GOAL SEVEN: IMPROVE THE PHYSICAL CONDITION OF THE EXISTING HOUSING UNITS	
Objective	Progress
7a. Implement the modernization program as presented in the Five Year Improvement plan which includes air-conditioning needs, structural and dwelling unit upgrades.	This objective is being accomplished. All units have air conditioning and we are continually upgrading our units, structures and grounds. We update our 5-Year Action Plan annually.
7b. Renovate and upgrade major systems.	This on-going objective is being accomplished as illustrated in our CFP annual statements and 5-Year Action Plan
7c. Perform a physical needs assessment survey annually.	Physical needs assessments are prepared with work items prioritized over a 5 year period. Modernization needs and priorities are updated annually.
7d. Annually analyze the REAC Inspection survey results and correct any deficiencies as noted.	It is the objective of the Housing Authority to achieve the highest score possible in PHAS. Correction of deficiencies related to health and safety are given priority. Inspection survey results are considered when planning both long and short term modernization needs.
7e. Implement and review fire, safety, and crime prevention measures.	This objective is reviewed annually when planning both maintenance and modernization needs.
7f. Determine if any modifications are needed in public housing based on Section 504 Needs assessment for Public Housing.	All of our accessible units currently meet Section 504/ADA standards. The units are updated as necessary to meet changing requirements.

GOAL EIGHT: IMPROVE THE SERVICE DELIVERY EFFORTS OF MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE	
Objective	Progress
8a. Management will plan program activities according to the needs of the low income residents by communicating and meeting with residents on an annual basis.	The Resident Advisory Board is given the opportunity to review and comment annually as we prepare our Agency Plan, including capital needs and any changes to our policies and procedures. We meet with the RAB at least quarterly to discuss concerns and to keep them apprised of progress in the modernization of our units. Availability of social service programs of interest to residents is also discussed.
8b. Management will improve communications and coordination with local law enforcement agencies.	We enjoy a good working relationship with the local police. They provide incident reports whenever they are called to respond to incidents involving residents. Police also patrol through the developments on a regular basis.
8c. Management will annually review and scrutinize all policies to determine if changes	Review and evaluation of our policies is accomplished annually in conjunction with the development of our

are necessary.	Agency Plan.
8d. Management will prepare a Management Needs Assessment annually to determine changes and improvements that may be necessary.	Review and evaluation of our policies is accomplished annually in conjunction with the development of our Agency Plan.
8e. Management will annually review its administrative and operating practices in an effort to determine where improvements may be made.	Review and evaluation of our policies is accomplished annually in conjunction with the development of our Agency Plan.
8f. Maintenance and Management will assess its maintenance delivery and service function for possible areas of improvement	We utilize the PHAS system as a tool to determine where improvements are needed. Our objective is to achieve the highest score possible in this indicator.
8g. Maintenance and management will attend appropriate training seminars that will improve the maintenance and management functions and service delivery	Housing Authority staff attend maintenance training and seminars; occupancy training and conferences sponsored by GAHRA. Staff also visit other Housing Authorities for hands on training when appropriate.

B. Criteria for Substantial Deviations and Significant Amendments

(1) Amendment and Deviation Definitions

24 CFR Part 903.7(r)

PHAs are required to define and adopt their own standards of substantial deviation from the 5-year Plan and Significant Amendment to the Annual Plan. The definition of significant amendment is important because it defines when the PHA will subject a change to the policies or activities described in the Annual Plan to full public hearing and HUD review before implementation.

- a. Substantial Deviation from the 5-Year Plan
- b. Significant Amendment or Modification to the Annual Plan

The following is the Housing Authority of the City of Blakely’s definition of substantial deviation and significant amendment or modification as adopted by the Board of Commissioners.

Definition of Substantial Deviation or Significant Amendment or Modification

A substantial deviation is defined as any deletion or addition of any modernization work item that is greater than \$25,000; the addition or deletion of any new or old program activity; any changes with regard to demolition, disposition, or designation of housing units; any homeownership programs or conversion activities; and any changes to rent or admission policies (except changes made to reflect changes in HUD regulatory requirements). A significant amendment is defined as changes in the use of replacement reserves under the Capital Fund Program or the addition of non-emergency work items not included in the current Annual Plan that is greater than \$25,000.

C. Other Information

[24 CFR Part 903.13, 903.15]

(1) Resident Advisory Board Recommendations

- a. Yes No: Did the PHA receive any comments on the PHA Plan from the Resident Advisory Board/s?

If yes, provide the comments below:

- b. 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)

(2) Resident Membership on PHA Governing Board

The governing board of each PHA is required to have at least one member who is directly assisted by the PHA, unless the PHA meets certain exemption criteria. Regulations governing the resident board member are found at 24 CFR Part 964, Subpart E.

- a. Does the PHA governing board include at least one member who is directly assisted by the PHA this year?

Yes No:

If yes, complete the following:

Name of Resident Member of the PHA Governing Board: Mamie Bryant

Method of Selection:

Appointment

The term of appointment is (include the date term expires): 5 year term
expiring 04/30/05

Election by Residents (if checked, complete next section--Description of Resident Election Process)

Description of Resident Election Process

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)

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)

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)

b. If the PHA governing board does not have at least one member who is directly assisted by the PHA, why not?

- The PHA is located in a State that requires the members of a governing board to be salaried and serve on a full time basis
- The PHA has less than 300 public housing units, has provided reasonable notice to the resident advisory board of the opportunity to serve on the governing board, and has not been notified by any resident of their interest to participate in the Board.
- Other (explain):

Date of next term expiration of a governing board member: April 30, 2005

Name and title of appointing official(s) for governing board (indicate appointing official for the next available position): Richard Hall, Mayor of the City of Blakely

(3) PHA Statement of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan

[24 CFR Part 903.15]

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

Consolidated Plan jurisdiction: (State of Georgia)

a. 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 on its waiting list on the needs 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)
- The Housing Authority will continue to maintain and renovate its public housing units.
 - The Housing Authority will continue to provide accessible housing in its public housing program to persons with disabilities.
 - The Housing Authority will continue to market its public housing program to make families and individuals aware of the availability of decent, safe, sanitary and affordable housing in the City of Blakely.
- Other: (list below)

The Housing Authority Admission and Continued Occupancy Policy (ACOP) requirements are established and designed to:

- a. Provide improved living conditions for very low and low- income families while maintaining their rent payments at an affordable level.
 - b. To operate a socially and financially sound agency that provides violence and drug-free housing with a suitable living environment for residents.
 - c. To deny admission of applicants, or the continued occupancy of residents, whose habits and practices adversely affect the health, safety, comfort or welfare of other residents or the physical environment of the neighborhood, or create a danger to our employees.
 - d. To ensure compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and all other applicable Federal fair housing laws and regulations so that the admission and continued occupancy policies are conducted without regard to race, color, religion, creed, sex, national origin, handicap or familial status.
- b. The Consolidated Plan of the jurisdiction supports the PHA Plan with the following actions and commitments: (describe below)

Executive Summary

The Consolidated Plan Executive Summary reports that the housing and community development needs of Georgians are, among other things:

- Regardless of tenure, income or household size, the most common problem affecting all households is cost burden.
- Cost burden is the most significant problem affecting both elderly and small family households. Overcrowding is the most significant concern of this household type.
- Insufficient income is the single largest barrier to affordable housing.
- Low and moderate income households are at high-risk of exposure to lead-based paint hazards such as chipping or peeling paint and dust.

The Housing and Community Development Strategic Plan

The State anticipates providing assistance to put extremely low, low and moderate income households in affordable housing free of overcrowded, structurally substandard conditions, with supportive services where appropriate for populations with special need.

Direct Benefit Priorities:

- To increase the number of Georgia's low and moderate income households who have obtained affordable, rental housing free of overcrowded and structurally substandard conditions.
- To increase the number of Georgia's low and moderate income households who have achieved and are maintaining homeownership free of overcrowded and structurally substandard conditions.

Strategic Plan Five-Year Objectives

- Rehabilitate or construct affordable rental units
- Provide rental assistance for very low and low income households
- Assist households to achieve or maintain homeownership in housing free of overcrowded and structurally substandard conditions.
- Assist organizations annually to provide housing and supportive services to the homeless.
- Assist organizations annually to provide housing and supportive services to Georgia's Special Need populations.

Public Housing Authorities

The Consolidated Plan Executive Summary provides the following comments relating to Public Housing Authorities in Georgia.

Public Housing Authorities implement a large portion of Georgia's housing assistance effort. Local governments have created 202 PHAs, providing public housing. Seventeen PHAs offer Section 8 rental subsidies. PHAs utilize funds from public housing rent receipts, federal subsidies from HUD, and proceeds from bond issues for some development costs.

Over 108,000 residents live in the 55,834 units of local public housing available across Georgia.

No public housing authorities are operated by the State. Therefore, the State has not developed a plan to encourage public housing residents to become more involved in the public housing management or to become owners of their units. However, the State encourages individual PHAs to develop such a plan with residents. The State also continues to encourage within its programs the transition of public housing residents into private housing living situations.

Among the Federal resources available to Georgia (Part VI, Section C) include Section 8 Rental Certificates and Vouchers to address affordable housing needs; HOPE I (Public Housing Homeownership) to address homeownership needs; and for Public Housing, the Comprehensive Grant Program and Public Housing Development funds.

State's Housing Priorities and Objectives

This section outlines activities by priority and objective. While the activities, priorities and objectives do not directly relate to the public housing program, the activities do include the Section 8 program. Again while none of the activities tap public housing funds, the activities do parallel the goals and objectives of the Housing Authority of the City of Blakely. The Priorities and Objectives are listed as follows:

Priority: to increase the number of Georgia's low and moderate income households who have obtained affordable, rental housing which is free of overcrowded and structurally substandard conditions.

(This objective refers specifically to the Section 8 Rental Assistance Program which is administered by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs.)

Priority: To increase the number of Georgia's low and moderate income households who have achieved and are maintaining homeownership in housing free of overcrowded and structurally substandard conditions.

Priority: To increase the access of Georgia's homeless to a continuum of housing and supportive services which address their housing, economic, health and social needs:

Priority: To increase the access of Georgia's Special Need populations to a continuum of housing and supportive services which address their housing, economic health and social needs.

(This objective includes as an activity the implementation of Georgia’s Section 8 Rental Assistance Program and it refers specifically to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs continuing to administer the program in Georgia’s 149 counties.)

In summary, the Housing Authority of the City of Blakely’s Agency Plan goals, objectives, policies, and programs are consistent with the Consolidated Plan for the State of Georgia.

(4) (Reserved)

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

10. Project-Based Voucher Program

- a. Yes No: Does the PHA plan to “project-base” any tenant-based Section 8 vouchers in the coming year? If yes, answer the following questions.
- b. Yes No: Are there circumstances indicating that the project basing of the units, rather than tenant-basing of the same amount of assistance is an appropriate option?

If yes, check which circumstances apply:

- Low utilization rate for vouchers due to lack of suitable rental units
- Access to neighborhoods outside of high poverty areas
- Other (describe below:)

- c. Indicate the number of units and general location of units (e.g. eligible census tracts or smaller areas within eligible census tracts):

11. List of Supporting Documents Available for Review for Streamlined Five-Year/ Annual PHA Plans

PHAs are to 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	Related Plan Component
X	<i>PHA Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations and Board Resolution to Accompany the Standard Annual, Standard Five-Year, and Streamlined Five-Year/Annual Plans.</i>	Standard 5 Year and Annual Plans; streamlined 5 Year Plans
X	State/Local Government Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan.	5 Year Plans
X	Fair Housing Documentation Supporting Fair Housing Certifications: Records reflecting that the PHA has examined its programs or proposed programs, identified	5 Year and Annual Plans

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Related Plan Component
	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 local jurisdictions to implement any of the jurisdictions' initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA's involvement.	
NA	Housing Needs Statement of the Consolidated Plan for the jurisdiction(s) in which the PHA is located and any additional backup data to support statement of housing needs for families on the PHA's public housing and Section 8 tenant-based waiting lists.	Annual Plan: Housing Needs
X	Most recent board-approved operating budget for the public housing program	Annual Plan: Financial Resources
X	Public Housing Admissions and (Continued) Occupancy Policy (A&O/ACOP), which includes the Tenant Selection and Assignment Plan [TSAP] and the Site-Based Waiting List Procedure.	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
X	Any policy governing occupancy of Police Officers and Over-Income Tenants in Public Housing. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in the public housing A&O Policy.	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
NA	Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
X	Public housing rent determination policies, including the method for setting public housing flat rents. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy.	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
X	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
NA	Section 8 rent determination (payment standard) policies (if included in plan, not necessary as a supporting document) and written analysis of Section 8 payment standard policies. <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in Section 8 Administrative Plan.	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
X	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
X	Results of latest Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) Assessment (or other applicable assessment).	Annual Plan: Management and Operations
X	Follow-up Plan to Results of the PHAS Resident Satisfaction Survey (if necessary)	Annual Plan: Operations and Maintenance and Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	Results of latest Section 8 Management Assessment System (SEMAP)	Annual Plan: Management and Operations
NA	Any policies governing any Section 8 special housing types <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Operations and Maintenance
	Consortium agreement(s).	Annual Plan: Agency Identification and Operations/ Management
X	Public housing grievance procedures <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy.	Annual Plan: Grievance Procedures
NA	Section 8 informal review and hearing procedures. <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in Section 8 Administrative Plan.	Annual Plan: Grievance Procedures
X	The Capital Fund/Comprehensive Grant Program Annual Statement /Performance and Evaluation Report for any active grant year.	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
NA	Most recent CIAP Budget/Progress Report (HUD 52825) for any active CIAP grants.	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
NA	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

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Related Plan Component
NA	Self-evaluation, Needs Assessment and Transition Plan required by regulations implementing Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and the Americans with Disabilities Act. See PIH Notice 99-52 (HA).	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
NA	Approved or submitted applications for demolition and/or disposition of public housing.	Annual Plan: Demolition and Disposition
NA	Approved or submitted applications for designation of public housing (Designated Housing Plans).	Annual Plan: Designation of Public Housing
NA	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, Section 22 of the US Housing Act of 1937, or Section 33 of the US Housing Act of 1937.	Annual Plan: Conversion of Public Housing
X	Documentation for required Initial Assessment and any additional information required by HUD for Voluntary Conversion.	Annual Plan: Voluntary Conversion of Public Housing
NA	Approved or submitted public housing homeownership programs/plans.	Annual Plan: Homeownership
NA	Policies governing any Section 8 Homeownership program (Section _____ of the Section 8 Administrative Plan)	Annual Plan: Homeownership
X	Public Housing Community Service Policy/Programs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in Public Housing A & O Policy	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	Cooperative agreement between the PHA and the TANF agency and between the PHA and local employment and training service agencies.	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	FSS Action Plan(s) for public housing and/or Section 8.	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
X	Section 3 documentation required by 24 CFR Part 135, Subpart E for public housing.	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	Most recent self-sufficiency (ED/SS, TOP or ROSS or other resident services grant) grant program reports for public housing.	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
X	Policy on Ownership of Pets in Public Housing Family Developments (as required by regulation at 24 CFR Part 960, Subpart G). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy.	Pet Policy
X	The results of the most recent fiscal year audit of the PHA conducted under the Single Audit Act as implemented by OMB Circular A-133, the results of that audit and the PHA's response to any findings.	Annual Plan: Annual Audit
NA	Consortium agreement(s), if a consortium administers PHA programs.	Joint PHA Plan for Consortia
NA	Consortia Joint PHA Plans ONLY: Certification that consortium agreement is in compliance with 24 CFR Part 943 pursuant to an opinion of counsel on file and available for inspection	Joint PHA Plan for Consortia
NA	Other supporting documents (optional). List individually.	(Specify as needed)

12. Capital Fund Program and Capital Fund Program Replacement Housing Factor Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report

Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report					
Capital Fund Program and Capital Fund Program Replacement Housing Factor (CFP/CFPRHF) Part I: Summary					
PHA Name: Housing Authority of the City of Blakely		Grant Type and Number Capital Fund Program Grant No: GA06P11450-105 Replacement Housing Factor Grant No:			Federal FY of Grant: 2005
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Annual Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Reserve for Disasters/ Emergencies <input type="checkbox"/> Revised Annual Statement (revision no:) <input type="checkbox"/> Performance and Evaluation Report for Period Ending: <input type="checkbox"/> Final Performance and Evaluation Report					
Line	Summary by Development Account	Total Estimated Cost		Total Actual Cost	
		Original	Revised	Obligated	Expended
1	Total non-CFP Funds				
2	1406 Operations	27,500			
3	1408 Management Improvements				
4	1410 Administration				
5	1411 Audit				
6	1415 Liquidated Damages				
7	1430 Fees and Costs	15,000			
8	1440 Site Acquisition				
9	1450 Site Improvement				
10	1460 Dwelling Structures	228,227			
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	1499 Development Activities				
19	1501 Collateralization or Debt Service				
20	1502 Contingency				
21	Amount of Annual Grant: (sum of lines 2 – 20)	270,727			
22	Amount of line 21 Related to LBP Activities				
23	Amount of line 21 Related to Section 504 compliance				
24	Amount of line 21 Related to Security – Soft Costs				
25	Amount of Line 21 Related to Security – Hard Costs				
26	Amount of line 21 Related to Energy Conservation Measures				

12. Capital Fund Program and Capital Fund Program Replacement Housing Factor Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report

Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report Capital Fund Program and Capital Fund Program Replacement Housing Factor (CFP/CFPRHF) Part II: Supporting Pages								
PHA Name: Housing Authority of the City of Blakely		Grant Type and Number Capital Fund Program Grant No: GA06P11450-105 Replacement Housing Factor Grant No:				Federal FY of Grant: 2005		
Development Number Name/HA-Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work Categories	Dev. Acct No.	Quantity	Total Estimated Cost		Total Actual Cost		Status of Work
				Original	Revised	Funds Obligated	Funds Expended	
HA Wide	<u>Operations</u>	1406	Lump Sum					
	Operations: Resident Services Coordinator;			27,500				
	Subtotal Acct 1406			27,500				
HA Wide	<u>Fees and Costs</u>	1410						
	A & E Fees; reimbursable costs			15,000				
	Subtotal Acct 1410			15,000				
GA114-3A; 3B Cedar Hills Homes Willis Cain Homes 24 units	Renovate as many units as possible: including kitchens, bathrooms, dryer vents, exterior doors, frames, thresholds, screen doors; painting; (est. 20,000 per unit)		11 units (est)	228,227				
	Subtotal Acct 1460			228,227				
	Grand Total			270,727				

13. Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan

Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan					
Part I: Summary					
PHA Name: Housing Authority of the City of Blakely			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original 5-Year Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Revision No:		
Development Number/Name/HA-Wide	Year 1	Work Statement for Year 2 FFY Grant: 2006 PHA FY: 04/01/06 – 03/31/07	Work Statement for Year 3 FFY Grant: 2007 PHA FY: 04/01/07 – 03/31/08	Work Statement for Year 4 FFY Grant: 2008 PHA FY: 04/01/08 – 03/31/09	Work Statement for Year 5 FFY Grant: 2009 PHA FY: 04/01/09 – 03/31/10
	Annual Statement				
HA Wide		84,500	102,500	102,500	102,500
GA114-1 Cedar Hill Homes		0	0	0	0
GA114-2 Willis Cain Homes		0	0	0	0
GA114-3A & B Cedar Hill Homes Willis Cain Homes		186,600	120,000		0
GA114-4 Baptist Branch Homes		0	48,227	168,227	168,227
CFP Funds Listed for 5-year planning		270,727	270,727	270,727	270,727
Replacement Housing Factor Funds					

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Part II: Supporting Pages—Work Activities						
Activities for Year 1	Activities for Year : <u>2</u> FFY Grant: 2006 PHA FY: 04/01/06 – 03/31/07			Activities for Year: <u>3</u> FFY Grant: 2007 PHA FY: 04/01/07 – 03/31/08		
	Development Name/Number	Major Work Categories	Estimated Cost	Development Name/Number	Major Work Categories	Estimated Cost
See	HA Wide	<u>Operations (1406)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Operations (1406)</u>	
Annual		Resident Services Coordinator,	27,500		Resident Services Coordinator,	27,500
Statement	HA Wide	<u>Fees and Costs (1430)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Fees and Costs (1430)</u>	
		A&E Fees; reimbursable costs	25,000		A&E Fees; reimbursable costs	25,000
	HA Wide	<u>Non-Dwelling Equipment (1475)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Non-Dwelling Equipment (1475)</u>	
		Replacement vehicle; surveillance system	32,000		Replacement vehicle;	25,000
		Total HA Wide	84,500	HA Wide	<u>Site Improvements (1450)</u>	
					Fencing; walks; streets; landscaping	25,000
	GA114-3A; 3B	<u>Site Improvements (1450)</u>			Total HA Wide	102,500
		Tree removal and sidewalk repairs	25,000			
	GA114-3A; 3B Cedar Hills Homes Willis Cain Homes 24 units	<u>Dwelling Structures (1460)</u>		GA114-3A; 3B Cedar Hills Homes Willis Cain Homes 24 units	<u>Dwelling Structures (1460)</u>	

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		Windows & security screens (24 units)	28,800		Renovate as many units as possible: including kitchens, bathrooms, dryer vents, exterior doors, frames, thresholds, screen doors; painting; (est. 20,000 per unit) 6 units	120,000
		Renovate as many units as possible: including kitchens, bathrooms, dryer vents, exterior doors, frames, thresholds, screen doors; painting; (est. 20,000 per unit) 7 units	157,800		Total GA114-3	120,000
		Total GA114-3	186,600			
				GA114-4 Baptist Branch 50 units	<u>Dwelling Structures</u> <u>(1460)</u>	
					Renovate as many units as possible: including kitchens, bathrooms, dryer vents, exterior doors, frames, thresholds, screen doors, painting; (est. 20,000 per unit – 2 units)	48,227
					Total GA114-4	48,227
	Total CFP Estimated Cost		\$270,727			\$270,727

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Part II: Supporting Pages—Work Activities					
Activities for Year : <u> 4 </u> FFY Grant: 2008 PHA FY: 04/01/08 – 03/31/09			Activities for Year: <u> 5 </u> FFY Grant: 2009 PHA FY: 04/01/09 – 03/31/10		
Development Name/Number	Major Work Categories	Estimated Cost	Development Name/Number	Major Work Categories	Estimated Cost
HA Wide	<u>Operations (1406)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Operations (1406)</u>	
	Resident Services Coordinator,	27,500		Resident Services Coordinator,	27,500
HA Wide	<u>Fees and Costs (1430)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Fees and Costs (1430)</u>	
	A&E Fees; reimbursable costs	25,000		A&E Fees; reimbursable costs	25,000
HA Wide	<u>Non-Dwelling Equipment (1475)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Non-Dwelling Equipment (1475)</u>	
	Replacement vehicle;	25,000		Replacement vehicle;	25,000
HA Wide	<u>Site Improvements (1450)</u>		HA Wide	<u>Site Improvements (1450)</u>	
	Fencing; walks; streets; landscaping	25,000		Fencing; walks; streets; landscaping	25,000
	Total HA Wide	102,500		Total HA Wide	102,500
GA114-4 Baptist Branch 50 units	<u>Dwelling Structures (1460)</u>		GA114-4 Baptist Branch 50 units	<u>Dwelling Structures (1460)</u>	

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	Renovate as many units as possible: including kitchens, bathrooms, dryer vents, exterior doors, frames, thresholds, screen doors, painting; (est. 20,000 per unit – 8 units)	168,227		Renovate as many units as possible: including kitchens, bathrooms, dryer vents, exterior doors, frames, thresholds, screen doors, painting; (est. 10,000 per unit – 8 units)	168,227
	Total GA114-4	168,227		Total GA114-4	168,227
Total CFP Estimated Cost		\$270,727			\$270,727