

PHA 5-Year and Annual Plan	U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing	OMB No. 2577-0226 Expires 4/30/2011
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1.0	PHA Information PHA Name: <u>WAUSAU HOUSING AUTHORITY</u> PHA Code: <u>WI031</u> PHA Type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small <input type="checkbox"/> High Performing <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> HCV (Section 8) PHA Fiscal Year Beginning: (MM/YYYY): <u>01/2010</u>					
2.0	Inventory (based on ACC units at time of FY beginning in 1.0 above) Number of PH units: <u>189</u> Number of HCV units: <u>435</u>					
3.0	Submission Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 5-Year and Annual Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Annual Plan Only <input type="checkbox"/> 5-Year Plan Only					
4.0	PHA Consortia <input type="checkbox"/> PHA Consortia: (Check box if submitting a joint Plan and complete table below.)					
	Participating PHAs	PHA Code	Program(s) Included in the Consortia	Programs Not in the Consortia	No. of Units in Each Program	
					PH	HCV
PHA 1:						
PHA 2:						
	PHA 3:					
5.0	5-Year Plan. Complete items 5.1 and 5.2 only at 5-Year Plan update.					
5.1	Mission. State the PHA's Mission for serving the needs of low-income, very low-income, and extremely low income families in the PHA's jurisdiction for the next five years: The mission of the Wausau Housing Authority is the same as that of the Department of Housing a& Urban Development: To promote adequate and affordable housing, economic opportunity and a suitable living environment free from discrimination.					

5.2	<p>Goals and Objectives. Identify the PHA’s quantifiable goals and objectives that will enable the PHA to serve the needs of low-income and very low-income, and extremely low-income families for the next five years. Include a report on the progress the PHA has made in meeting the goals and objectives described in the previous 5-Year Plan.</p> <p>Operate all programs efficiently within budgetary limits; and improve staff productivity and effectiveness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Maintain HUD’s High-Performer status for the Section 8 Management Assessment Program (SEMAP) and achieve High-Performer designation for Public Housing (PHAS) ▪ Continue appropriate training for Wausau Housing Authority staff to ensure a quality workforce ▪ Implement energy conservation improvements throughout public housing and take advantage of energy incentives offered by Focus on Energy ▪ Capital Improvements: five year planning, timely obligation and expenditure and resident participation <p>Provide housing assistance to more families/individuals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Acquire and/or construct additional units to add to the Wausau Housing Authority’s housing stock ▪ Achieve maximum utilization of the Section 8 HCV Program ▪ Improve occupancy rate for Public Housing ▪ Exceed HUD’s targeting requirements for Public Housing and Section 8 HCV Programs ▪ Work in partnership with community and government organization to promote affordable housing options ▪ Increase outreach to families/individuals through website development and access ▪ Explore opportunities to purchase additional property to expand affordable housing options for families, the elderly and disabled <p>Improve livability of Public and Section 8 Housing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Maintain curb appeal for all Wausau Housing Authority-owned properties ▪ Increase resident participation through regular tenant and Resident Advisory Board meetings ▪ Maintain a safe and secure environment. The Wausau Housing Authority will work to improve our current cooperative working relationship with the Wausau Police Department for the purpose of reporting, tracking and preventing crime in our public housing developments and improve resident safety ▪ Explore the feasibility of contracting for an activities/social coordinator to enhance the quality of life of our residents ▪ Staff participation in personal safety training offered by the City of Wausau Safety Department ▪ Lawfully deny the admission of applicants, or the continued assistance of tenants, whose habits and practices reasonably may be expected to adversely affect the health, safety, comfort or welfare of other residents or the physical environment of the neighborhood ▪ Maintain effective and efficient maintenance programs and services to ensure all units are decent, safe, sanitary and are in good repair <p>Ensure equal opportunity and affirmatively further fair housing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Actively partner with local agencies to promote fair housing ▪ Wausau Housing Authority staff continues to attend annual Fair Housing Conferences and stays abreast of community needs and services by attending forums and meetings who support Federal, State and Local fair housing laws ▪ Undertake proper measures to affirmatively ensure access to assisted housing, affirmatively provide a suitable living environment for families living in assisted housing, and to affirmatively ensure accessible housing to persons with disabilities.
6.0	<p>PHA Plan Update</p> <p>(a) Identify all PHA Plan elements that have been revised by the PHA since its last Annual Plan submission:</p> <p>The Wausau Housing Authority has completely updated and reformatted its entire Administrative Plan, which is applicable to operation of the Section 8 HCV Program and is currently in the process of updating and reformatting the Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy applicable to the operation of the Public Housing Program . The Authority has updated its flat rents for the Public Housing Program and revised its Procurement Policy. A Resident Advisory Board was created to assist the Authority with developing five-year goals and provide input into management practices.</p> <p>(b) Identify the specific location(s) where the public may obtain copies of the 5-Year and Annual PHA Plan. For a complete list of PHA Plan elements, see Section 6.0 of the instructions.</p> <p>This 5-Year and Annual Plan is available for public inspection at the Wausau Community Development Authority main office located at: 550 East Thomas Street, Wausau, Wisconsin 54403, and at the Community Development Department office located at: 407 Grant Street, Wausau, Wisconsin 54403.</p>
7.0	<p>Hope VI, Mixed Finance Modernization or Development, Demolition and/or Disposition, Conversion of Public Housing, Homeownership Programs, and Project-based Vouchers. <i>Include statements related to these programs as applicable.</i></p> <p>N/A</p>
8.0	<p>Capital Improvements. Please complete Parts 8.1 through 8.3, as applicable.</p>
8.1	<p>Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report. As part of the PHA 5-Year and Annual Plan, annually complete and submit the <i>Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report</i>, form HUD-50075.1, for each current and open CFP grant and CFFP financing.</p> <p>See Attachments</p>

8.2	<p>Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan. As part of the submission of the Annual Plan, PHAs must complete and submit the <i>Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan</i>, form HUD-50075.2, and subsequent annual updates (on a rolling basis, e.g., drop current year, and add latest year for a five year period). Large capital items must be included in the Five-Year Action Plan. See Attachments</p>
8.3	<p>Capital Fund Financing Program (CFFP). <input type="checkbox"/> Check if the PHA proposes to use any portion of its Capital Fund Program (CFP)/Replacement Housing Factor (RHF) to repay debt incurred to finance capital improvements.</p>
9.0	<p>Housing Needs. Based on information provided by the applicable Consolidated Plan, information provided by HUD, and other generally available data, make a reasonable effort to identify the housing needs of the low-income, very low-income, and extremely low-income families who reside in the jurisdiction served by the PHA, including elderly families, families with disabilities, and households of various races and ethnic groups, and other families who are on the public housing and Section 8 tenant-based assistance waiting lists. The identification of housing needs must address issues of affordability, supply, quality, accessibility, size of units, and location.</p> <p>Housing needs have steadily increased during the past year. With the downturn of the economy, it is expected that it will take 24-36 months to assist families currently on the Section 8 HCV waiting list. Significant increases in utility costs make it increasingly difficult for low income households to secure and maintain their housing. Poor energy efficiency puts families at financial risk, often leading to unmet utility bills and loss of housing. Emergency housing assistance has been challenged with increased unmet assistance with less funding available. Minority households are in greater demand of larger family units. Many factors have contributed to homelessness: poverty, crime, job loss, mental illness, lack of affordable housing and instability of the family structure. The need for affordable elderly and housing for persons with disabilities continues to be high. Though units may be available, decent, safe, affordable and accessible units remain limited.</p>
9.1	<p>Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs. Provide a brief description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families in the jurisdiction and on the waiting list in the upcoming year. Note: Small, Section 8 only, and High Performing PHAs complete only for Annual Plan submission with the 5-Year Plan.</p> <p>The Wausau Housing Authority plans to pursue and continue several key strategies to address housing needs in the coming year:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Creation of cooperative working agreements that will target supportive services to better assist clients: Basic needs, Abuse, Education, Employment, Safety, Financial Services, Health, Home Care, Legal Services, Mental Health Counseling, ▪ Increase outreach by maintaining partnerships through the Wausau Area Hmong Association, Latinos Unidos and our local Minority Affairs Director ▪ Continue staff participation on boards and committees with mission statements to assist and provide affordable housing to low-income clients. ▪ Partner with the Community Development Department to continue the Homeowner Rehabilitation, the Rental Rehabilitation, Lead Prevention and Down Payment Assistance programs ▪ Continue to provide housing counseling to keep households out of foreclosure and avoid predatory lending ▪ Continue partnership with the Business Development Center to increase job skills ▪ Continue to take a pro-active role in the community to provide better code enforcement which will improve housing for tenants currently on our waiting lists and those who may presently reside in substandard housing

Additional Information. Describe the following, as well as any additional information HUD has requested.

(a) Progress in Meeting Mission and Goals. Provide a brief statement of the PHA's progress in meeting the mission and goals described in the 5-Year Plan.

The Wausau Housing Authority has worked hard to improve its overall management practices and the results have been positive.

Achievement of High-Performer status for the Section 8 Management Assessment Program (SEMAP). Improved Public Housing Assessment Score (PHAS)

A strong focus on frequent inspections, routine and preventative maintenance, lower tenant account receivables, lower unit turnaround times, improved safety and effective file management practices

Updated policies and procedures to ensure efficient program operation, compliance and consistency, and created a Resident Advisory Board to provide input into management practices and increase resident satisfaction.

Active partnerships with community and government organizations to conduct outreach, eliminate barriers, promote fair housing, economic opportunity, identify emerging housing needs and preserve affordable housing. Development of the City of Wausau's website affords increased accessibility to the Wausau Housing Authority's programs, services and housing applications.

Improved budgeting and use of capital funding to renovate and modernize the Authority's public housing units. These improvements have resulted in increased curb appeal, energy savings and healthier environments for the Wausau Housing Authority and its residents.

10.0 The Wausau Housing Authority is exploring opportunities to purchase additional property to expand affordable housing options for families, the elderly and disabled

Additional Information:

Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) – The Wausau Housing Authority has included procedures to assure applicants and residents are aware of their rights under the VAWA. A VAWA policy has been implemented and has been added as an addendum to the CDA's Section 8 Administrative Plan and Public Housing Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policies.

A VAWA compliant Section 8 HAP contract has been implemented. As required, the Wausau Housing Authority is providing notice of VAWA to its Section 8 participants and landlords through new participant briefings, regular certifications and outreach efforts. Public Housing tenants are also receiving a notice of VAWA rights at annual re-certification.

The Women's Community is a local organization that assists persons/families in domestic crisis and operates an emergency shelter for domestic abuse victims. In 2008, this organization began a community campaign to build a new facility to meet the rising needs of domestic abuse victims. The Community Development Department, through the Block Grant Program, has provided funding for the Women's Community for many years and is considering a 3-year funding commitment for the new shelter.

(b) Significant Amendment and Substantial Deviation/Modification. Provide the PHA's definition of "significant amendment" and "substantial deviation/modification"

The Wausau Housing Authority defines the significant amendment and significant deviation/modification to the Wausau Housing Authority Annual Plan as follows:

- Changes to the Public Housing Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy or the Administrative Policy that would change the mission, goals or objectives of the Authority.
- Additions of major non-emergency work items (items not included in the current Annual Statement or Five-Year Action Plan)
- Any change with regard to demolition, disposition, designation, homeownership or conversion activities

11.0	<p>Required Submission for HUD Field Office Review. In addition to the PHA Plan template (HUD-50075), PHAs must submit the following documents. Items (a) through (g) may be submitted with signature by mail or electronically with scanned signatures, but electronic submission is encouraged. Items (h) through (i) must be attached electronically with the PHA Plan. Note: Faxed copies of these documents will not be accepted by the Field Office.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Form HUD-50077, <i>PHA Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations</i> (which includes all certifications relating to Civil Rights) (b) Form HUD-50070, <i>Certification for a Drug-Free Workplace</i> (PHAs receiving CFP grants only) (c) Form HUD-50071, <i>Certification of Payments to Influence Federal Transactions</i> (PHAs receiving CFP grants only) (d) Form SF-LLL, <i>Disclosure of Lobbying Activities</i> (PHAs receiving CFP grants only) (e) Form SF-LLL-A, <i>Disclosure of Lobbying Activities Continuation Sheet</i> (PHAs receiving CFP grants only) (f) Resident Advisory Board (RAB) comments. Comments received from the RAB must be submitted by the PHA as an attachment to the PHA Plan. PHAs must also include a narrative describing their analysis of the recommendations and the decisions made on these recommendations. (g) Challenged Elements (h) Form HUD-50075.1, <i>Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report</i> (PHAs receiving CFP grants only) (i) Form HUD-50075.2, <i>Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan</i> (PHAs receiving CFP grants only)
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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, as amended, which introduced 5-Year and Annual PHA Plans. The 5-Year and Annual PHA plans provide a ready source for interested parties to locate basic PHA policies, rules, and requirements concerning the PHA's operations, programs, and services, and informs HUD, families served by the PHA, and members of the public of the PHA's mission and strategies for serving the needs of low-income and very low-income families. This form is to be used by all PHA types for submission of the 5-Year and Annual Plans to HUD. Public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to average 12.68 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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Instructions form HUD-50075

Applicability. This form is to be used by all Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) with Fiscal Year beginning April 1, 2008 for the submission of their 5-Year and Annual Plan in accordance with 24 CFR Part 903. The previous version may be used only through April 30, 2008.

1.0 PHA Information

Include the full PHA name, PHA code, PHA type, and PHA Fiscal Year Beginning (MM/YYYY).

2.0 Inventory

Under each program, enter the number of Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) Public Housing (PH) and Section 8 units (HCV).

3.0 Submission Type

Indicate whether this submission is for an Annual and Five Year Plan, Annual Plan only, or 5-Year Plan only.

4.0 PHA Consortia

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

5.0 Five-Year Plan

Identify the PHA's Mission, Goals and/or Objectives (24 CFR 903.6). Complete only at 5-Year update.

5.1 Mission. A statement of the mission of the public housing agency for serving the needs of low-income, very low-income, and extremely low-income families in the jurisdiction of the PHA during the years covered under the plan.

5.2 Goals and Objectives. Identify quantifiable goals and objectives that will enable the PHA to serve the needs of low income, very low-income, and extremely low-income families.

6.0 PHA Plan Update. In addition to the items captured in the Plan template, PHAs must have the elements listed below readily available to the public. Additionally, a PHA must:

- (a) Identify specifically which plan elements have been revised since the PHA's prior plan submission.
- (b) Identify where the 5-Year and Annual Plan may be obtained by the public. At a minimum, PHAs must post PHA Plans, including updates, at each Asset Management Project (AMP) and main office or central office of the PHA. PHAs are strongly encouraged to post complete PHA Plans on its official website. PHAs are also encouraged to provide each resident council a copy of its 5-Year and Annual Plan.

PHA Plan Elements. (24 CFR 903.7)

1. **Eligibility, Selection and Admissions Policies, including Deconcentration and Wait List Procedures.** Describe the PHA's policies that govern resident or tenant eligibility, selection and admission including admission preferences for both public housing and HCV and unit assignment policies for public housing; and procedures for maintaining waiting lists for admission to public housing and address any site-based waiting lists.

2. **Financial Resources.** A statement of financial resources, including a listing by general categories, of the PHA's anticipated resources, such as PHA Operating, Capital and other anticipated Federal resources available to the PHA, as well as tenant rents and other income available to support public housing or tenant-based assistance. The statement also should include the non-Federal sources of funds supporting each Federal program, and state the planned use for the resources.
3. **Rent Determination.** A statement of the policies of the PHA governing rents charged for public housing and HCV dwelling units.
4. **Operation and Management.** A statement of the rules, standards, and policies of the PHA governing maintenance management of housing owned, assisted, or operated by the public housing agency (which shall include measures necessary for the prevention or eradication of pest infestation, including cockroaches), and management of the PHA and programs of the PHA.
5. **Grievance Procedures.** A description of the grievance and informal hearing and review procedures that the PHA makes available to its residents and applicants.
6. **Designated Housing for Elderly and Disabled Families.** With respect to public housing projects owned, assisted, or operated by the PHA, describe any projects (or portions thereof), in the upcoming fiscal year, that the PHA has designated or will apply for designation for occupancy by elderly and disabled families. The description shall include the following information: **1)** development name and number; **2)** designation type; **3)** application status; **4)** date the designation was approved, submitted, or planned for submission, and; **5)** the number of units affected.
7. **Community Service and Self-Sufficiency.** A description of: **(1)** Any programs relating to services and amenities provided or offered to assisted families; **(2)** Any policies or programs of the PHA for the enhancement of the economic and social self-sufficiency of assisted families, including programs under Section 3 and FSS; **(3)** How the PHA will comply with the requirements of community service and treatment of income changes resulting from welfare program requirements. **(Note: applies to only public housing).**
8. **Safety and Crime Prevention.** For public housing only, describe the PHA's plan for safety and crime prevention to ensure the safety of the public housing residents. The statement must include: (i) A description of the need for measures to ensure the safety of public housing residents; (ii) A description of any crime prevention activities conducted or to be conducted by the PHA; and (iii) A description of the coordination between the PHA and the appropriate police precincts for carrying out crime prevention measures and activities.

9. **Pets.** A statement describing the PHAs policies and requirements pertaining to the ownership of pets in public housing.
10. **Civil Rights Certification.** A PHA will be considered in compliance with the Civil Rights and AFFH Certification if: it can document that it examines its programs and proposed programs to identify any impediments to fair housing choice within those programs; addresses those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available; works with the local jurisdiction to implement any of the jurisdiction's initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing; and assures that the annual plan is consistent with any applicable Consolidated Plan for its jurisdiction.
11. **Fiscal Year Audit.** The results of the most recent fiscal year audit for the PHA.
12. **Asset Management.** A statement of how the agency will carry out its asset management functions with respect to the public housing inventory of the agency, including how the agency will plan for the long-term operating, capital investment, rehabilitation, modernization, disposition, and other needs for such inventory.
13. **Violence Against Women Act (VAWA).** A description of: 1) Any activities, services, or programs provided or offered by an agency, either directly or in partnership with other service providers, to child or adult victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking; 2) Any activities, services, or programs provided or offered by a PHA that helps child and adult victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, to obtain or maintain housing; and 3) Any activities, services, or programs provided or offered by a public housing agency to prevent domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, or to enhance victim safety in assisted families.

7.0 Hope VI, Mixed Finance Modernization or Development, Demolition and/or Disposition, Conversion of Public Housing, Homeownership Programs, and Project-based Vouchers

- (a) **Hope VI or Mixed Finance Modernization or Development.** 1) A description of any housing (including project number (if known) and unit count) for which the PHA will apply for HOPE VI or Mixed Finance Modernization or Development; and 2) A timetable for the submission of applications or proposals. The application and approval process for Hope VI, Mixed Finance Modernization or Development, is a separate process. See guidance on HUD's website at: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/hope6/index.cfm>
- (b) **Demolition and/or Disposition.** With respect to public housing projects owned by the PHA and subject to ACCs under the Act: (1) A description of any housing (including project number and unit numbers [or addresses]), and the number of affected units along with their sizes and accessibility features) for which the PHA will apply or is currently pending for demolition or disposition; and (2) A timetable for the demolition or disposition. The application and approval process for demolition and/or disposition is a separate process. See guidance on HUD's website at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/demo_dispo/index.cfm
Note: This statement must be submitted to the extent that approved and/or pending demolition and/or disposition has changed.
- (c) **Conversion of Public Housing.** With respect to public housing owned by a PHA: 1) A description of any building or buildings (including project number and unit count) that the PHA is required to convert to tenant-based assistance or

that the public housing agency plans to voluntarily convert; 2) An analysis of the projects or buildings required to be converted; and 3) A statement of the amount of assistance received under this chapter to be used for rental assistance or other housing assistance in connection with such conversion. See guidance on HUD's website at: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/conversion.cfm>

- (d) **Homeownership.** A description of any homeownership (including project number and unit count) administered by the agency or for which the PHA has applied or will apply for approval.
- (e) **Project-based Vouchers.** If the PHA wishes to use the project-based voucher program, a statement of the projected number of project-based units and general locations and how project basing would be consistent with its PHA Plan.

8.0 Capital Improvements. This section provides information on a PHA's Capital Fund Program. With respect to public housing projects owned, assisted, or operated by the public housing agency, a plan describing the capital improvements necessary to ensure long-term physical and social viability of the projects must be completed along with the required forms. Items identified in 8.1 through 8.3, must be signed where directed and transmitted electronically along with the PHA's Annual Plan submission.

8.1 Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report. PHAs must complete the *Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report* (form HUD-50075.1), for each Capital Fund Program (CFP) to be undertaken with the current year's CFP funds or with CFFP proceeds. Additionally, the form shall be used for the following purposes:

- (a) To submit the initial budget for a new grant or CFFP;
- (b) To report on the Performance and Evaluation Report progress on any open grants previously funded or CFFP; and
- (c) To record a budget revision on a previously approved open grant or CFFP, e.g., additions or deletions of work items, modification of budgeted amounts that have been undertaken since the submission of the last Annual Plan. The Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report must be submitted annually.

Additionally, PHAs shall complete the Performance and Evaluation Report section (see footnote 2) of the *Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation* (form HUD-50075.1), at the following times:

1. At the end of the program year; until the program is completed or all funds are expended;
2. When revisions to the Annual Statement are made, which do not require prior HUD approval, (e.g., expenditures for emergency work, revisions resulting from the PHAs application of fungibility); and
3. Upon completion or termination of the activities funded in a specific capital fund program year.

8.2 Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan

PHAs must submit the *Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan* (form HUD-50075.2) for the entire PHA portfolio for the first year of participation in the CFP and annual update thereafter to eliminate the previous year and to add a new fifth year (rolling basis) so that the form always covers the present five-year period beginning with the current year.

8.3 Capital Fund Financing Program (CFFP). Separate, written HUD approval is required if the PHA proposes to pledge any

portion of its CFP/RHF funds to repay debt incurred to finance capital improvements. The PHA must identify in its Annual and 5-year capital plans the amount of the annual payments required to service the debt. The PHA must also submit an annual statement detailing the use of the CFFP proceeds. See guidance on HUD's website at:

<http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/capfund/cffp.cfm>

9.0 Housing Needs. Provide a statement of the housing needs of families residing in the jurisdiction served by the PHA and the means by which the PHA intends, to the maximum extent practicable, to address those needs. **(Note: Standard and Troubled PHAs complete annually; Small and High Performers complete only for Annual Plan submitted with the 5-Year Plan).**

9.1 Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs. Provide a description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families in the jurisdiction and on the waiting list in the upcoming year. **(Note: Standard and Troubled PHAs complete annually; Small and High Performers complete only for Annual Plan submitted with the 5-Year Plan).**

10.0 Additional Information. Describe the following, as well as any additional information requested by HUD:

- (a) **Progress in Meeting Mission and Goals.** PHAs must include (i) a statement of the PHAs progress in meeting the mission and goals described in the 5-Year Plan; (ii) the basic criteria the PHA will use for determining a significant amendment from its 5-year Plan; and a significant amendment or modification to its 5-Year Plan and Annual Plan. **(Note: Standard and Troubled PHAs complete annually; Small and High Performers complete only for Annual Plan submitted with the 5-Year Plan).**
- (b) **Significant Amendment and Substantial Deviation/Modification.** PHA must provide the definition of "significant amendment" and "substantial deviation/modification". **(Note: Standard and Troubled PHAs complete annually; Small and High Performers complete only for Annual Plan submitted with the 5-Year Plan.)**

- (c) PHAs must include or reference any applicable memorandum of agreement with HUD or any plan to improve performance. **(Note: Standard and Troubled PHAs complete annually).**

11.0 Required Submission for HUD Field Office Review. In order to be a complete package, PHAs must submit items (a) through (g), with signature by mail or electronically with scanned signatures. Items (h) and (i) shall be submitted electronically as an attachment to the PHA Plan.

- (a) Form HUD-50077, *PHA Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations*
- (b) Form HUD-50070, *Certification for a Drug-Free Workplace (PHAs receiving CFP grants only)*
- (c) Form HUD-50071, *Certification of Payments to Influence Federal Transactions (PHAs receiving CFP grants only)*
- (d) Form SF-LLL, *Disclosure of Lobbying Activities (PHAs receiving CFP grants only)*
- (e) Form SF-LLL-A, *Disclosure of Lobbying Activities Continuation Sheet (PHAs receiving CFP grants only)*
- (f) Resident Advisory Board (RAB) comments.
- (g) Challenged Elements. Include any element(s) of the PHA Plan that is challenged.
- (h) Form HUD-50075.1, *Capital Fund Program Annual Statement/Performance and Evaluation Report (Must be attached electronically for PHAs receiving CFP grants only)*. See instructions in 8.1.
- (i) Form HUD-50075.2, *Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan (Must be attached electronically for PHAs receiving CFP grants only)*. See instructions in 8.2.

Capital Fund Program—Five-Year Action Plan

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
 Office of Public and Indian Housing
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Part I: Summary						
PHA Name/Number Wausau Housing Authority / WI031		Locality (City/County & State) Wausau/Marathon/Wisconsin			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original 5-Year Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Revision No:	
A.	Development Number and Name	Work Statement for Year 1 FFY 2010	Work Statement for Year 2 FFY 2011	Work Statement for Year 3 FFY 2012	Work Statement for Year 4 FFY 2013	Work Statement for Year 5 FFY 2014
B.	Physical Improvements Subtotal	Annual Statement	222,657	50,000	214,000	238,000
C.	Management Improvements					
D.	PHA-Wide Non-dwelling Structures and Equipment			165,000	24,000	
E.	Administration		12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000
F.	Other		18,000	16,000	3,000	3,000
G.	Operations					
H.	Demolition					
I.	Development					
J.	Capital Fund Financing – Debt Service					
K.	Total CFP Funds		252,657	253,000	253,000	253,000
L.	Total Non-CFP Funds					
M.	Grand Total		252,657	253,000	253,000	253,000

Part II: Supporting Pages – Physical Needs Work Statement(s)						
Work Statement for Year 1 FFY <u>2010</u>	Work Statement for Year <u>2</u> FFY <u>2011</u>			Work Statement for Year: <u>3</u> FFY <u>2012</u>		
	Development Number/Name General Description of Major Work Categories	Quantity	Estimated Cost	Development Number/Name General Description of Major Work Categories	Quantity	Estimated Cost
Statement	001/002-Landscaping & Signage		5,000	002/ Roof Replacements		50,000
	001/Generator Upgrade/Replacement 002/Roof Replacements		222,657	001/Parking & Maintenance Garage Reconstruction		165,000
	Subtotal of Estimated Cost		\$ 227,657	Subtotal of Estimated Cost		\$ 215,000

Part II: Supporting Pages – Physical Needs Work Statement(s)						
Work Statement for Year 1 FFY <u>2010</u>	Work Statement for Year <u>4</u> FFY <u>2013</u>			Work Statement for Year: <u>5</u> FFY <u>2014</u>		
	Development Number/Name General Description of Major Work Categories	Quantity	Estimated Cost	Development Number/Name General Description of Major Work Categories	Quantity	Estimated Cost
Statement	001/002-Kitchen Upgrades, Flooring		214,000	001/002-Bathroom Upgrades		222,000
	001/CDA Carpet Replacement		24,000	001/002-Appliances		16,000
	Subtotal of Estimated Cost		\$ 238,000	Subtotal of Estimated Cost		\$ 238,000

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ACT OF 2005

(VAWA)

VAWA NOTIFICATION TO PARTICIPANTS AND LANDLORDS [Pub.L. 109-162]

VAWA requires PHAs to notify the public housing participants of their rights under this law, including their right to confidentiality and the limits thereof.

NOTIFICATION TO PARTICIPANTS [Pub.L. 109-162]

The PHA will provide all participants with a VAWA certification form (HUD-50066), and an information Sheet explaining the protections afforded under the law, inform the participant of PHA confidentiality requirements and explanation of the form at the time of admission and at annual reexamination. Forms will also be provided upon request. The certification form gives the applicant or participant the opportunity to inform the PHA of his/her status as a victim of actual or threatened dating or domestic violence or stalking.

NOTIFICATION TO LANDLORDS AND OWNERS [Pub.L. 109-62]

VAWA requires PHAs to notify landlords and owners of their rights and responsibilities under this law and inform landlords and property owners of their screening and termination responsibilities related to VAWA. The PHA may utilize the following means to notify owners of their VAWA responsibilities:

- In day-to-day interactions with landlords and owners
- Inserts in HAP contracts, HAP payments, Tenancy Addenda, 1099s, orientations

PROHIBITION AGAINST DENIAL OF ASSISTANCE TO VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, DATING VIOLENCE, AND STALKING [Pub.L. 109-162]

The Violence against Women Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA) prohibits denial of admission to an otherwise qualified applicant on the basis that the applicant is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking. Specifically, Section 607(2) of VAWA adds the following provision to Section 6 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, which lists contract provisions and requirements for the public housing program:

Every contract for contributions shall provide that . . . the public housing agency shall not deny admission to the project to any applicant on the basis that the applicant is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking if the applicant otherwise qualifies for

assistance or admission, and that nothing in this section shall be construed to supersede any provision of any Federal, State, or local law that provides greater protection than this section for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking.

Definitions

As used in VAWA:

- The term *domestic violence* includes felony or misdemeanor crimes of violence committed by a current or former spouse of the victim, by a person with whom the victim shares a child in common, by a person who is cohabitating with or has cohabitated with the victim as a spouse, by a person similarly situated to a spouse of the victim under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction receiving grant monies, or by any other person against an adult or youth victim who is protected from that person's acts under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction.
- The term *dating violence* means violence committed by a person who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim; and where the existence of such a relationship shall be determined based on a consideration of the following factors:
 - The length of the relationship
 - The type of relationship
 - The frequency of interaction between the persons involved in the relationship
- The term *stalking* means:
 - To follow, pursue, or repeatedly commit acts with the intent to kill, injure, harass, or intimidate; or
 - To place under surveillance with the intent to kill, injure, harass, or intimidate another person; and
 - In the course of, or as a result of, such following, pursuit, surveillance, or repeatedly committed acts, to place a person in reasonable fear of the death of, or serious bodily injury to, or to cause substantial emotional harm to (1) that person, (2) a member of the immediate family of that person, or (3) the spouse or intimate partner of that person.
- The term *immediate family member* means, with respect to a person –
 - A spouse, parent, brother or sister, or child of that person, or an individual to whom that person stands in the position or place of a parent; or
 - Any other person living in the household of that person and related to that person by blood and marriage.

Notification and Victim Documentation

PHA Policy

The PHA acknowledges that a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking may have an unfavorable history that would warrant denial under the PHA's policies. Therefore, if the PHA makes a determination to deny admission to an applicant family on the basis of an unfavorable history, the PHA will include in its notice of denial a statement of the protection against denial provided by VAWA and will offer the applicant the opportunity to provide documentation affirming that the cause of the unfavorable history is that a member of the applicant family is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking.

The documentation must include two elements:

A completed Certification of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence or Stalking (HUD-50066) naming the perpetrator and certifying that the incidents in question are bona fide incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking

And one of the following:

A police or court record documenting the actual or threatened abuse

A statement signed by an employee, agent, or volunteer of a victim service provider; an attorney; or a medical professional from whom the victim has sought assistance in addressing the actual or threatened abuse. The professional must attest under penalty of perjury that the incidents in question are bona fide incidents of abuse, and the victim must sign or attest to the statement.

The applicant must submit the required documentation with her or his request for an informal hearing (see section 14-I.B). If after reviewing the documentation provided by the applicant the PHA determines the family is eligible for assistance, no informal hearing will be scheduled and the PHA will proceed with admission of the applicant family.

Perpetrator Removal or Documentation of Rehabilitation

PHA Policy

In cases where an applicant family includes the perpetrator as well as the victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, the PHA will proceed as above but will require, in addition, either (a) that the perpetrator be removed from the applicant household and not reside in the public housing unit or (b) that the family provide documentation that the perpetrator has successfully completed, or is successfully undergoing, rehabilitation or treatment.

If the family elects the second option, the documentation must be signed by an employee or agent of a domestic violence service provider or by a medical or other knowledgeable professional from whom the perpetrator has sought or is receiving assistance in addressing the abuse. The signer must attest under penalty of perjury to his or her belief that the rehabilitation was successfully completed or is progressing successfully. The victim and perpetrator must also sign or attest to the documentation.

This additional documentation must be submitted within the same time frame as the documentation required above from the victim.

PHA Confidentiality Requirements

All information provided to the PHA regarding domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, including the fact that an individual is a victim of such violence or stalking, must be retained in confidence and may neither be entered into any shared database nor provided to any related entity, except to the extent that the disclosure (a) is requested or consented to by the individual in writing, (b) is required for use in an eviction proceeding, or (c) is otherwise required by applicable law.

PROHIBITION AGAINST TERMINATING TENANCY OF VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, DATING VIOLENCE, AND STALKING [Pub.L. 109-162 and 109-271]

The Violence against Women Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA), provides that “criminal activity directly relating to domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, engaged in by a member of a tenant’s household or any guest or other person under the tenant’s control, shall not be cause for termination of the tenancy or occupancy rights, if the tenant or immediate family member of the tenant’s family is the victim or threatened victim of that abuse.” VAWA further provides that incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking may not be construed either as serious or repeated violations of the lease by the victim of such violence or as good cause for terminating the tenancy or occupancy rights of the victim of such violence.

VAWA does not limit the PHA’s authority to terminate the tenancy of any tenant if the PHA can demonstrate an actual and imminent threat to other tenants or those employed at or providing service to the property.

Victim Documentation

PHA Policy

When a tenant family is facing lease termination because of the actions of a tenant, household member, guest, or other person under the tenant's control and a tenant or immediate family member of the tenant's family claims that she or he is the victim of such actions and that the actions are related to domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, the PHA will require the individual to submit documentation affirming that claim.

The documentation must include two elements:

A completed Certification of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence or Stalking (HUD-50066) naming the perpetrator and certifying that the incidents in question are bona fide incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking

And one of the following:

A police or court record documenting the actual or threatened abuse

A statement signed by an employee, agent, or volunteer of a victim service provider; an attorney; or a medical professional from whom the victim has sought assistance in addressing the actual or threatened abuse. The professional must attest under penalty of perjury that the incidents in question are bona fide incidents of abuse, and the victim must sign or attest to the statement.

The required certification and supporting documentation must be submitted to the PHA within 14 business days after the individual claiming victim status receives a request for such certification. The PHA, owner or manager will be aware that the delivery of the certification form to the tenant in response to an incident via mail may place the victim at risk, e.g., the abuser may monitor the mail. The PHA may require that the tenant come into the office to pick up the certification form and will work with tenants to make delivery arrangements that do not place the tenant at risk. If the individual does not provide the required certification and supporting documentation within 14 business days, the PHA may proceed with assistance termination.

The PHA also reserves the right to waive these victim verification requirements and accept only a self-certification from the victim if the PHA deems the victim's life to be in imminent danger.

Once a victim has completed certification requirements, the PHA will continue to assist the victim and may use bifurcation as a tool to remove a perpetrator from assistance. Owners will be notified of their legal obligation to continue housing the victim, while using lease bifurcation to remove the perpetrator from a unit. The PHA will make all best efforts to

work with victims of domestic violence before terminating the victim's assistance.

In extreme circumstances when the PHA can demonstrate an actual and imminent threat to other participants or those employed at or providing service to the property if the participant's (including the victim's) tenancy is not terminated, the PHA will bypass the standard process and proceed with the immediate termination of the family's assistance.

Terminating or Evicting a Perpetrator of Domestic Violence

Although VAWA provides protection from termination for victims of domestic violence, it does not provide protection for perpetrators. In fact, VAWA gives the PHA the explicit authority to bifurcate a lease, or to remove a household member from a lease, "in order to evict, remove, terminate occupancy rights, or terminate assistance to any individual who is a tenant or lawful occupant and who engages in criminal acts of physical violence against family members or others, without evicting, removing, terminating assistance to, or otherwise penalizing the victim of such violence who is also a tenant or lawful occupant." This authority supersedes any local, state, or other federal law to the contrary. However, if the PHA chooses to exercise this authority, it must follow any procedures prescribed by HUD or by applicable local, state, or federal law for eviction, lease termination, or termination of assistance [Pub.L. 109-271].

PHA Policy

When the actions of a tenant or other family member result in a determination by the PHA to terminate the family's lease and another family member claims that the actions involve criminal acts of physical violence against family members or others, the PHA will request that the victim submit the above required certification and supporting documentation in accordance with the stated time frame. If the certification and supporting documentation are submitted within the required time frame or any approved extension period, the PHA will bifurcate the lease and evict or terminate the occupancy rights of the perpetrator. If the victim does not provide the certification and supporting documentation, as required, the PHA will proceed with termination of the family's lease.

If the PHA can demonstrate an actual and imminent threat to other tenants or those employed at or providing service to the property if the tenant's tenancy is not terminated, the PHA will bypass the standard process and proceed with the immediate termination of the family.

PHA Confidentiality Requirements

All information provided to the PHA regarding domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, including the fact that an individual is a victim of such violence or stalking, must be retained in confidence and may neither be entered into any shared data base nor provided to any related entity, except to the extent that the disclosure (a) is requested or consented to by the individual in writing, (b) is required for use in an eviction proceeding, or (c) is otherwise required by applicable law.