



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
WASHINGTON, DC 20410-5000

OFFICE OF PUBLIC AND INDIAN HOUSING

January 19, 2024

**SUBJECT:** Indian Housing Block Grant Competitive Program – Notice of Funding Opportunity

Dear Tribal Leader:

I am pleased to announce that on January 17, 2024, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) published the FY 2023 Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for the Indian Housing Block Grant (IHBG) Competitive Program ([FR-6700-N-48](#)).

Under this NOFO, approximately \$150 million is available to eligible Indian Tribes and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) to carry out affordable housing activities for the benefit of low-income American Indian and Alaska Native families. In accordance with the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023, HUD will prioritize grant applications that spur housing construction and rehabilitation. A great opportunity to grow, customize and build your community.

Applicants will have until **11:59:59 p.m. EDT on Tuesday, March 19, 2024**, to submit applications. If applicants are unable to submit it electronically, they may request a waiver in accordance with Section IV.A. of the NOFO.

HUD will provide information on NOFO training opportunities in the near future. Applicants are encouraged to participate in these trainings before applying to the NOFO. To find additional information about the NOFO and training materials please visit our Codetalk website ([www.hud.gov/codetalk](http://www.hud.gov/codetalk)), as they become available.

I strongly encourage your community to apply for the IHBG Competitive Grant. If you have questions about the NOFO, please contact [IHBGCompetitiveProgram@hud.gov](mailto:IHBGCompetitiveProgram@hud.gov) or your regional ONAP area office.

Waewaenen/Thank you for your continued partnership and collaboration in serving Indian Country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Heidi J. Frechette".

Heidi J. Frechette  
Deputy Assistant Secretary  
for Native American Programs