PROGRAM:  Resident Opportunities and Self-Sufficiency (ROSS) Program

FOR:  Tribal Government Leaders and Tribally Designated Housing Entities

FROM:  Rodger J. Boyd, Deputy Assistant Secretary, PN

TOPIC:  Correction to the Super Notice of Funding Availability (SuperNOFA) for HUD Discretionary Grant Programs

PURPOSE:  The purpose of this guidance is to notify you that corrections to the Fiscal Year (FY) SuperNOFA were published in the Federal Register on June 22, 2004, for select programs, including the Resident Opportunities and Self-Sufficiency (ROSS) program.  Of particular note to tribes and tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs) are the extensions to due dates for applications to be submitted under the ROSS Program.

BACKGROUND:  In Program Guidance Number 2004-07, issued on June 4, 2004, tribes and TDHEs were notified that the SuperNOFA published on May 14, 2004, contained information regarding funds available for ROSS program activities.

PROGRAM INFORMATION:  Following are corrections that pertain to ROSS applications:

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If you submitted an application for any of these components, you will be provided the opportunity to resubmit your application in accordance with the applicable deadline date.
Information regarding other corrections to the ROSS Program section of the SuperNOFA include:

- Joint applications found at Section III.C.4.c.
- ROSS funds for hiring of a Contract Administrator, Section I.V.E.
- Socioeconomic Profile, Section V.A.1.b.(1).

Corrections to the General Section of the SuperNOFA for the ROSS Program are:

- Compliance with Fair Housing and Civil Rights Laws, subsection (1) is corrected to exclude federally recognized Indian tribes from the requirements of the Fair Housing Act.
- Corrected information regarding proof of timely submission to the United States Postal Service.
- The correct Web address for information regarding federally designated Renewal Community, Empowerment Zone, Enterprise Community or Urban Enhanced Enterprise Community.
- Appendix D entitled “Office of Native American Programs (ONAP)” to correct a number of errors in the list published in the SuperNOFA.

Applications for these three components should be sent to the Denver Program Office of Native American Programs (DPONAP). In addition, please submit a copy of your application to the Grants Management Center. See the SuperNOFA General and ROSS program sections and our Program Guidance 2004-07 for details regarding submittal of your application. Please do not mail the original or a copy of the application to the Area ONAP.

If you need additional assistance, please contact Carol Quinlan at the DPONAP on (303) 675-1613.