

U.S. Department of Housing and **Urban Development**

Public and Indian Housing

Special Attention of: Directors of HUD Regional and Field Offices of Public Housing; Agencies that Administer the Housing Choice Voucher Program

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Cross References: Notice PIH 2010-23. Implementation of the HUD-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH) *Program* published in the *Federal Register* on May 6, 2008. Notice PIH 2010-40, Set-Aside Funding Availability for Project-Basing HUD-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing Vouchers.

Subject: Amendment to PIH Notice 2010-40 on Set-Aside Funding Availability for Project-**Basing HUD-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing Vouchers**

1. **Purpose:** This notice amends the above referenced notice, issued September 28, 2010, by adding the following criteria for funding applications with tying scores:

Selection of Applications. Applications will be selected in order of points awarded until all funding is exhausted. At the end of the selection process, should funding not be available to support two or more applications with the same number of points awarded, a lottery will be held to select among these applications until all of the funding is exhausted. However, if any funding that remains is insufficient to fund the next application at the minimum number of project-based vouchers the PHA will accept, the remaining funding, if sufficient, may go to the next applicant at full funding or the minimum number of project-based vouchers the PHA will accept. If there are funds remaining that are insufficient to fund another application, the funds will be used to provide additional tenant-based HUD-VASH vouchers according to the geographic need of homeless veterans based on HUD and VA data.

2. Further Information: Direct inquiries to the Housing Voucher Management and Operations Division, Office of Public Housing and Voucher Programs: Phyllis Smelkinson at (202) 402-4138 or Phyllis.A.Smelkinson@hud.gov or Kathryn Greenspan at (202) 402-4055 or Kathryn.L.Greenspan@hud.gov.

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