Streamlined Annual PHA Plan (HCV Only PHAs) U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing OMB No. 2577-0226 Expires 02/29/2016

Purpose. 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, goals and objectives for serving the needs of low- income, very low- income, and extremely low- income families

Applicability. Form HUD-50075-HCV is to be completed annually by **HCV-Only PHAs**. PHAs that meet the definition of a Standard PHA, Troubled PHA, High Performer PHA, Small PHA, or Qualified PHA do not need to submit this form. Where applicable, separate Annual PHA Plan forms are available for each of these types of PHAs.

Definitions.

- (1) High-Performer PHA A PHA that owns or manages more than 550 combined public housing units and housing choice vouchers, and was designated as a high performer on both of the most recent Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) and Section Eight Management Assessment Program (SEMAP) assessments if administering both programs, or PHAS if only administering public housing.
- (2) Small PHA A PHA that is not designated as PHAS or SEMAP troubled, or at risk of being designated as troubled, that owns or manages less than 250 public housing units and any number of vouchers where the total combined units exceeds 550.
- (3) Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Only PHA A PHA that administers more than 550 HCVs, was not designated as troubled in its most recent SEMAP assessment, and does not own or manage public housing.
- (4) **Standard PHA** A PHA that owns or manages 250 or more public housing units and any number of vouchers where the total combined units exceeds 550, and that was designated as a standard performer in the most recent PHAS and SEMAP assessments.
- (5) Troubled PHA A PHA that achieves an overall PHAS or SEMAP score of less than 60 percent.
- (6) Qualified PHA A PHA with 550 or fewer public housing dwelling units and/or housing choice vouchers combined, and is not PHAS or SEMAP troubled.

Α.	PHA Information.						
A.1	PHA Plan for Fiscal Year Be PHA Inventory (Based on Ar Number of Housing Choice PHA Plan Submission Type: Availability of Information. A PHA must identify the speciand proposed PHA Plan are averasonably obtain additional ir submissions. At a minimum, lencouraged to post complete Per	A Name: City of Pasadena Housing Department PHA Code: CA079 A Plan for Fiscal Year Beginning: (MM/YYYY): 07/2021 A Inventory (Based on Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) units at time of FY beginning, above) Inber of Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs) 1484 A Plan Submission Type: Annual Submission Revised Annual Submission Ilability of Information. In addition to the items listed in this form, PHAs must have the elements listed below readily available to the public. HA must identify the specific location(s) where the proposed PHA Plan, PHA Plan Elements, and all information relevant to the public hearing proposed PHA Plan are available for inspection by the public. Additionally, the PHA must provide information on how the public may onably obtain additional information of the PHA policies contained in the standard Annual Plan, but excluded from their streamlined missions. At a minimum, PHAs must post PHA Plans, including updates, at the main office or central office of the PHA. PHAs are strongly buraged to post complete PHA Plans on their official website. PHD has posted the 2021 PHA Plan, including updates, at their main administrative office located					
	at: City of Pasadena Housing Department 649 N. Fair Oaks Avenue, Suite 202 Pasadena, CA 91103 CoPHD has also posted the complete 2021 PHA Annual Plan draft on their official website, www.cityofpasadena.net/housing/rentalassistance.						
	Participating PHAs Lead HA:	PHA Code	Program(s) in the Consortia	Program(s) not in the Consortia	No. of Units in Each Program		
	Lead III v						

В.	Annual Plan.				
B.1	Revision of PHA Plan Elements.				
	(a) Have the following PHA Plan elements been revised by the PHA since its last Annual Plan submission? Y N ☐ ☑ Housing Needs and Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs. ☐ ☑ Deconcentration and Other Policies that Govern Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions. ☐ ☑ Financial Resources. ☐ ☑ Rent Determination. ☐ ☑ Operation and Management.				
	☐ X Informal Review and Hearing Procedures. ☐ X Homeownership Programs. ☐ X Self Sufficiency Programs and Treatment of Income Changes Resulting from Welfare Program Requirements. ☐ X Substantial Deviation. ☐ X Significant Amendment/Modification.				
D.1) If the PHA answered yes for any element, describe the revisions for each element(s):				
B.2	New Activities (a) Does the PHA intend to undertake any new activities related to the following in the PHA's current Fiscal Year?				
	Y N ☑ Project Based Vouchers.				
	(b) If this activity is planned for the current Fiscal Year, describe the activities. Provide the projected number of project-based units and general locations, and describe how project-basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan. The CoPHD released a Request for Proposals (RFP) for Project-based Vouchers (PBVs) for Permanent Supportive Housing. This is consistent with the PHA Plan goal to "Improve the availability of Decent, Safe, and Affordable Housing". One hundred and thirty-four units were allocated through this RFP, to Heritage Square South (69 PBV) and Hope Center (65 PBV). Once constructed, the units will be located in the Northwest and central areas of the City of Pasadena respectively. The CoPHD currently administers vouchers for the following PBV sites: • Centennial Place Apartments – Permanent Supportive Housing-142 units • Orange Grove Gardens Apartments –housing for families- 9 units				
	 Hudson Oaks – housing for seniors-44 units 				
	 Marv's Place - Permanent Supportive Housing for families-19 units Heritage Square - housing for seniors-69 units 				
	Total current units: 283				
B.3	Most Recent Fiscal Year Audit, (a) Were there any findings in the most recent FY Audit?				
	Y N N/A				
	(b) If yes, please describe:				
B.4	Civil Rights Certification Form HUD-50077, PHA Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan.				
B.5	Certification by State or Local Officials. Form HUD 50077-SL, Certification by State or Local Officials of PHA Plans Consistency with the Consolidated Plan, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan.				

B.6

Progress Report.

Provide a description of the PHA's progress in meeting its Mission and Goals described in its 5-Year PHA Plan.

Goals and Objectives 2020-2025

Goal:

• Improve the availability of decent, safe, and affordable housing.

Objectives & Progress:

- Increase the number of Project Based Voucher units available through the RFP process. **Progress-**an RFP was issued in April 2020 to allocate PBVs to Permanent Supportive Housing projects for persons experiencing homelessness. Two projects, Hope Center and Heritage Square south, were selected through this process. Hope Center was allocated 65 vouchers and will provide permanent housing for formerly homeless individuals once construction is complete. Heritage Square South was allocated 69 vouchers and will provide permanent housing for formerly homeless seniors when constructed.
- Strengthen outreach to the landlord community to increase awareness of and participation in rental assistance programs.
 - **Progress-**Using CARES Act funding, the City of Pasadena Housing Department (CoPHD) implemented a landlord incentive program to encourage landlords to participate in the Section 8 program. To date, ten landlords have received new lease up or continuity bonuses for renting or continuing to rent to HCVP participants.
- Increase housing choice through monitoring of the payment standards in relation to average rents for modest dwelling units within the City.
 - **Progress-**CoPHD Payment standards were increased to 100% of applicable payment standards, resulted in reduced rent burden for 15% of participating families.
- Increase the availability of rental vouchers by applying for special needs or other vouchers when available.
 - **Progress**-A successful application was submitted for Mainstream vouchers, resulting in the award of 75 vouchers for households with a non-elderly disabled member. These vouchers will provide a preference for households experiencing homelessness.

Goal:

• Promote fair housing and equal opportunity.

Objectives:

- Continue to provide training to employees, owners, and residents through workshops and mailers. **Progress-**Two virtual workshops were held in September and February for Pasadena landlords in partnership with the Housing Rights Center. The CoPHD provided outreach by mailing fliers to HCVP-participating landlords, posting about the events on the department's website and Facebook page, and making fliers available at our front desk. Landlords who visited or called the office with fair housing questions were made aware of the workshops.
- Implement objectives identified upon completion of Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice.

Progress-The CoPHD has worked with the Housing Rights Center to provide outreach and increase awareness of fair housing workshops and assistance in response to Impediment #8: Fair Housing Outreach.

Goal:

• Ensure effective operations and program management.

Obectives:

• Maintain Section 8 Management Assessment Program (SEMAP) High Performer status.

		 Progress-Due to the COVID-19, no 2020 SEMAP score was issued. The CoPHD retains the High Performer status that was earned in 2019. Utilize technology to improve program access. Progress-The CoPHD is working with the Department of Information Technology to develop a simplified online application platform that will be used for the next HCVP open enrollment. Additionally, the CoPHD has used social media to promote fair housing training, and utilized the
	, <u>-</u>	Department website to post information of interest to rental assistance program participants.
	B. 7	Resident Advisory Board (RAB) Comments. (a) Did the RAB(s) provide comments to the PHA Plan?
		Y N □ ⊠
		(a) If yes, comments must be submitted by the PHA as an attachment to the PHA Plan. PHAs must also include a narrative describing their analysis of the RAB recommendations and the decisions made on these recommendations.
		uctions for Preparation of Form HUD-50075-HCV all PHA Plan for HCV Only PHAs
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Rent Determination. A statement of the policies of the PHA governing rental contributions of families receiving tenant-based assistance, discretionary minimum tenant rents , and payment standard policies. (24 CFR §903.7(d))

	by the PHA. (24 CFR §903.7(e)(3)(4)).
	☐ Informal Review and Hearing Procedures. A description of the informal hearing and review procedures that the PHA makes available to its applicants. (24 CFR §903.7(f))
	☐ Homeownership Programs . A statement describing any homeownership programs (including project number and unit count) administered by the agency under section 8y of the 1937 Act, or for which the PHA has applied or will apply for approval. (24 CFR §903.7(k))
	Self Sufficiency Programs and Treatment of Income Changes Resulting from Welfare Program Requirements. A description of any PHA programs relating to services and amenities coordinated, promoted, or provided by the PHA for assisted families, including those resulting from the PHA's partnership with other entities, for the enhancement of the economic and social self-sufficiency of assisted families, including programs provided or offered as a result of the PHA's partnerships with other entities, and activities under section 3 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1968 and under requirements for the Family Self-Sufficiency Program and others. Include the program's size (including required and actual size of the FSS program) and means of allocating assistance to households. (24 CFR §903.7(1)(i)) Describe how the PHA will comply with the requirements of section 12(c) and (d) of the 1937 Act that relate to treatment of income changes resulting from welfare program requirements. (24 CFR §903.7(1)(iii)).
	☐ Substantial Deviation. PHA must provide its criteria for determining a "substantial deviation" to its 5-Year Plan. (24 CFR §903.7(f)(2)(i))
	☐ Significant Amendment/Modification . PHA must provide its criteria for determining a "Significant Amendment or Modification" to its 5-Year and Annual Plan. Should the PHA fail to define 'significant amendment/modification', HUD will consider the following to be 'significant amendments or modifications': a) changes to rent or admissions policies or organization of the waiting list; or b) any change with regard to homeownership programs. See guidance on HUD's website at: Notice PIH 1999-51. (24 CFR §903.7(r)(2)(ii))
	If any boxes are marked "yes", describe the revision(s) to those element(s) in the space provided.
B.2	New Activity. If the PHA intends to undertake new activity using Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs) for new Project-Based Vouchers (PBVs) in the current Fiscal Year, mark "yes" for this element, and describe the activities to be undertaken in the space provided. If the PHA does not plan to undertaken this activity, mark "no." (24 CFR §983.57(b)(1) and Section 8(13)(C) of the United States Housing Act of 1937.
В.3	Project-Based Vouchers (PBV). Describe any plans to use HCVs for new project-based vouchers. If using PBVs, provide the projected number of project-based units and general locations, and describe how project-basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan. Most Recent Fiscal Year Audit. If the results of the most recent fiscal year audit for the PHA included any findings, mark "yes" and describe those findings in the space provided. (24 CFR §903.11(c)(3), 24 CFR §903.7(p))
B.4	Civil Rights Certification. Form HUD-50077, PHA Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulation, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan. This includes all certifications relating to Civil Rights and related regulations. A PHA will be considered in compliance with the 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; work 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. (24 CFR §903.7(o))
B.5	Certification by State or Local Officials. Form HUD-50077-SL, Certification by State or Local Officials of PHA Plans Consistency with the Consolidated Plan, including the manner in which the applicable plan contents are consistent with the Consolidated Plans, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan. (24 CFR §903.15)
B.6	Progress Report. For all Annual Plans following submission of the first Annual Plan, a PHA must include a brief statement of the PHA's progress in meeting the mission and goals described in the 5-Year PHA Plan. (24 CFR §903.11(c)(3), 24 CFR §903.7(r)(1))

B.7 Resident Advisory Board (RAB) comments. If the RAB provided comments to the annual plan, mark "yes," submit the comments as an attachment to the Plan and describe the analysis of the comments and the PHA's decision made on these recommendations. (24 CFR §903.13(c), 24 CFR §903.19)

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 the Annual PHA Plan. The Annual 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 for serving the needs of low-income, very low-income, and extremely low-income families.

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