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Notice of Funding Availability
FY2017 CoC New Permanent Housing Bonus
Rural Oregon Continuum of Care (ROCC) / OR-505 (Oregon Balance of State CoC)
July 24, 2017

On July 14, 2017, HUD published the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2017 Continuum of Care (CoC) Program Competition: https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/5419/fy-2017-coc-program-nofa/. ROCC has opportunity to submit one or more applications totaling no more than \$199,703 in new/bonus project funding in this competition¹.

All potential renewal <u>and</u> new project applicants must follow process and procedure outlined in the document titled '2017 OR-505 BOS CoC Projects RR Packet 1 - Introduction, Process, and Priorities' including submission of all documents outlined in Section 3/Page 1 of 7. Deadline to submit application packets is <u>close of business Wednesday</u>, <u>August 9</u>, <u>2017</u>.

Note that the DRAFT application will be created in HUD's electronic application submission tool, *e-snaps*; potential applicants not already registered in e-snaps should do so straightaway. Selection through the local pre-application process does not guarantee the project will be awarded funding, only that it will be forwarded to HUD in a national competitive application for funding.

Eligible project applicants for this funding include non-profit organizations, states, local governments, instrumentalities of state and local governments, and public housing agencies; for-profit entities are not eligible to apply for grants or to be sub-recipients of grant funds. LOI may be submitted from any of ROCC's 28 counties: Baker, Benton, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Hood River, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lincoln, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco, Wheeler, and Yamhill.

- Types of new project applications permitted through the permanent housing bonus, which is 6 percent of a CoC's Final Pro Rata Need (PPRN) are:
 - o Permanent supportive housing projects that meet requirements of DedicatedPLUS or the standard 100 percent dedicated for chronically homeless individuals and families;
 - o Rapid rehousing projects that served individuals and families, including unaccompanied youth who meet the criteria outlined in the NOFA; and

¹ Additional funds may become available through the review and ranking process (potential reallocation).



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o Joint TH and PH-RRH component projects.

New projects created through the permanent housing bonus must meet the project eligibility and threshold requirements established by HUD and outlined in Sections V.G.2.b. and V.G.2.c. of the NOFA.

The following links are available for review: https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/coc/

https://www.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/HomelessDefEligibility%20_SHP_SPC_ESG.pdf

https://www.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Notice-CPD-14-012-Prioritizing-Persons-Experiencing-Chronic-Homelessness-in-PSH-and-Recordkeeping-Requirements.pdf

https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/5208/notice-establishing-additional-requirements-for-a-continuum-of-care-centralized-or-coordinated-assessment-system/

https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/e-snaps/guides/coc-program-competition-resources/#general-resources

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