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Notice of Amendment to the Homeless Housing and Assistance Program Request for Proposals (HHAP RFP)

The HHAP RFP is amended, effective immediately, to update application submission information and in Section E-4, Energy Efficiency, to update EAP Guidelines and NYSERDA programs. All other provisions of the RFP remain in effect.

Under HHAP, grants and loans are provided to acquire, construct and rehabilitate housing for persons who are or would otherwise be homeless. Eligible projects may provide permanent, transitional or emergency supportive housing to homeless single individuals or families. Projects targeting populations eligible under the Empire State Supportive Housing Initiative (ESSHI) may also be eligible for HHAP capital funds. Not-for-profit corporations and their subsidiaries, charitable organizations, municipalities, public corporations, public housing authorities, and certain joint ventures are eligible to apply for HHAP funding.

The State Budget for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 included an appropriation of \$128 million, of which \$5 million is for the development of projects serving homeless persons with HIV/AIDS, and another \$5 million is for the development of projects that serve homeless veterans. Additionally, up to \$1 million is reserved for emergency shelter repairs in local social service districts with a population of less than five million.

This RFP is an open-ended RFP, meaning proposals will be accepted for consideration on a continuous basis until it is determined funds are no longer available for award or this methodology no longer serves a purpose for HHAC. Funding will be made available, and awards announced subject to an appropriation and the approval of the Commissioner of OTDA and the Homeless Housing and Assistance Corporation's Board of Directors.

The RFP and Application are available to be downloaded from OTDA's website at - <http://otda.ny.gov/contracts/2020/HHAP>

Applicants are urged to check the website prior to completing and applying to determine whether proposals are currently being accepted.

Questions regarding the RFP are accepted continuously. Questions will only be accepted via email. Answers to all questions will be posted on OTDA's website on an ongoing basis.

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