

Streamlined Annual PHA Plan <i>(Small PHAs)</i>	U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing	OMB No. 2577-0226 Expires: 03/31/2024
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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, including changes to these policies, 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. The Form HUD-50075-SM is to be completed annually by **Small PHAs**. PHAs that meet the definition of a Standard PHA, Troubled PHA, High Performer PHA, HCV-Only PHA, or Qualified PHA do not need to submit this form.

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 the most recent Public Housing Assessment System (PHAS) and Section Eight Management Assessment Program (SEMAP) assessments.
- (2) **Small PHA** - A PHA that is not designated as PHAS or SEMAP troubled, and that owns or manages less than 250 public housing units and any number of vouchers where the total combined units exceed 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 exceed 550, and that was designated as a standard performer in the most recent PHAS or 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.

A. PHA Information.																															
<div> <div>A.1</div> <div> <div> PHA Name: Asheboro Housing Authority PHA Code: NC081 </div> <div> PHA Type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small </div> <div> PHA Plan for Fiscal Year Beginning: (MM/YYYY): 04/01/2024 </div> <div> PHA Inventory (Based on Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) units at time of FY beginning, above) </div> <div> Number of Public Housing (PH) Units: 200 Number of Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs): 879 </div> <div> Total Combined: 1008 </div> <div> PHA Plan Submission Type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual Submission <input type="checkbox"/> Revised Annual Submission </div> </div> <div> <p>Availability of Information. In addition to the items listed in this form, PHAs must have the elements listed below readily available to the public. A PHA must identify the specific location(s) where the proposed PHA Plan, PHA Plan Elements, and all information relevant to the public hearing and proposed PHA Plan are available for inspection by the public. Additionally, the PHA must provide information on how the public may reasonably obtain additional information of the PHA policies contained in the standard Annual Plan but excluded from their streamlined submissions. At a minimum, PHAs must post PHA Plans, including updates, at each Asset Management Project (AMP) and main office or central office of the PHA. PHAs are strongly encouraged to post complete PHA Plans on their official website. PHAs are also encouraged to provide each resident council a copy of their PHA Plans.</p> </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> PHA Consortia: (Check box if submitting a Joint PHA Plan and complete table below) </div> <table border="1"> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Participating PHAs</th> <th rowspan="2">PHA Code</th> <th rowspan="2">Program(s) in the Consortia</th> <th rowspan="2">Program(s) not in the Consortia</th> <th colspan="2">No. of Units in Each Program</th> </tr> <tr> <th>PH</th> <th>HCV</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Lead PHA:</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> </div>						Participating PHAs	PHA Code	Program(s) in the Consortia	Program(s) not in the Consortia	No. of Units in Each Program		PH	HCV	Lead PHA:																	
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B.	<p>Plan Elements Submitted with 5-Year PHA Plans. Required elements for Small PHAs completing this document in years in which the 5-Year Plan is also due. This section does not need to be completed for years when a Small PHA is not submitting its 5-Year Plan. See sub-section below for required elements in all other years (Years 1-4).</p>
B.1	<p>Revision of Existing PHA Plan Elements.</p> <p>(a) Have the following PHA Plan elements been revised by the PHA since its last <u>Five-Year PHA Plan</u> submission?</p> <p>Y N</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Statement of Housing Needs and Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Deconcentration and Other Policies that Govern Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Resources.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Rent Determination.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Homeownership Programs.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Substantial Deviation.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Significant Amendment/Modification</p> <p>(b) If the PHA answered yes for any element, describe the revisions for each element(s):</p> <p>(c) The PHA must submit its Deconcentration Policy for Field Office Review.</p> <p>NA</p>
B.2	<p>New Activities.</p> <p>(a) Does the PHA intend to undertake any new activities related to the following in the PHA's current Fiscal Year?</p> <p>Y N</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Hope VI or Choice Neighborhoods.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Finance Modernization or Development.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Demolition and/or Disposition.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion of Public Housing to Tenant Based Assistance.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion of Public Housing to Project-Based Rental Assistance or Project-Based Vouchers under RAD.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Project Based Vouchers.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Units with Approved Vacancies for Modernization.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other Capital Grant Programs (i.e., Capital Fund Community Facilities Grants or Emergency Safety and Security Grants).</p> <p>(b) If any of these activities are planned for the current Fiscal Year, describe the activities. For new demolition activities, describe any public housing development or portion thereof, owned by the PHA for which the PHA has applied or will apply for demolition and/or disposition approval under section 18 of the 1937 Act under the separate demolition/disposition approval process. If using Project-Based Vouchers (PBVs), provide the projected number of project-based units and general locations, and describe how project basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan.</p> <p>NA</p>
B.3	<p>Progress Report.</p> <p>Provide a description of the PHA's progress in meeting its Mission and Goals described in the PHA 5-Year Plan.</p> <p>NA</p>

B.4	Capital Improvements. Include a reference here to the most recent HUD-approved 5-Year Action Plan in EPIC and the date that it was approved. Approved on 4/28/23
B.5	Most Recent Fiscal Year Audit. (a) Were there any findings in the most recent FY Audit? Y N <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (b) If yes, please describe:
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B.2	Capital Improvements. Include a reference here to the most recent HUD-approved 5-Year Action Plan in EPIC and the date that it was approved. Approved on 4/28/23
C Other Document or Certification Requirements for Annual Plan Submissions. Required in all submission years.	
C.1	Resident Advisory Board (RAB) Comments. (a) Did the RAB(s) have comments to the PHA Plan? Y N <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (b) 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. See Attachment NC081b01

C.2	<p>Certification by State or Local Officials.</p> <p>Form HUD 50077-SL, <i>Certification by State or Local Officials of PHA Plans Consistency with the Consolidated Plan</i>, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan. See Attachment NC081c01</p>
C.3	<p>Civil Rights Certification/ Certification Listing Policies and Programs that the PHA has Revised since Submission of its Last Annual Plan.</p> <p>Form HUD-50077-CRT-SM, <i>PHA Certifications of Compliance with PHA Plan, Civil Rights, and Related Laws and Regulations Including PHA Plan Elements that Have Changed</i>, must be submitted by the PHA as an electronic attachment to the PHA Plan. See Attachment NC081d01 & NC081e01</p>
C.4	<p>Challenged Elements. If any element of the PHA Plan is challenged, a PHA must include such information as an attachment with a description of any challenges to Plan elements, the source of the challenge, and the PHA's response to the public.</p> <p>(a) Did the public challenge any elements of the Plan?</p> <p>Y N</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>If yes, include Challenged Elements.</p>

D.	Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing (AFFH).							
D.1	<p>Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing.</p> <p>Provide a statement of the PHA's strategies and actions to achieve fair housing goals outlined in an accepted Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) consistent with 24 CFR § 5.154(d)(5). Use the chart provided below. (PHAs should add as many goals as necessary to overcome fair housing issues and contributing factors.) Until such time as the PHA is required to submit an AFH, the PHA is not obligated to complete this chart. The PHA will fulfill, nevertheless, the requirements at 24 CFR § 903.7(o) enacted prior to August 17, 2015. See Instructions for further detail on completing this item:</p> <p><u><i>"Until the rulemaking process is complete, PHAs only needs to submit a civil rights certification with the Annual PHA Plan to remain compliant."</i></u></p> <table><tr><td>Fair Housing Goal:</td></tr><tr><td><u><i>Describe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal</i></u></td></tr><tr><td></td></tr></table> <table><tr><td>Fair Housing Goal:</td></tr><tr><td><u><i>Describe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal</i></u></td></tr><tr><td></td></tr></table> <table><tr><td>Fair Housing Goal:</td></tr></table>	Fair Housing Goal:	<u><i>Describe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal</i></u>		Fair Housing Goal:	<u><i>Describe fair housing strategies and actions to achieve the goal</i></u>		Fair Housing Goal:
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Instructions for Preparation of Form HUD-50075-SM Annual Plan for Small PHAs

A. PHA Information. All PHAs must complete this section. (24 CFR §903.4)

- A.1 Include the full PHA Name, PHA Code, PHA Type, PHA Fiscal Year Beginning (MM/YYYY), PHA Inventory, Number of Public Housing Units and or Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs), PHA Plan Submission Type, and the Availability of Information, specific location(s) of all information relevant to the public hearing and proposed PHA Plan. (24 CFR §903.23(4)(e))

PHA Consortia: Check box if submitting a Joint PHA Plan and complete the table. (24 CFR §943.128(a))

B. Plan Elements. PHAs must complete this section during years where the 5-Year Plan is also due. (24 CFR §903.12)

B.1 Revision of Existing PHA Plan Elements. PHAs must:

Identify specifically which plan elements listed below that have been revised by the PHA. To specify which elements have been revised, mark the "yes" box. If an element has not been revised, mark "no."

☐ **Statement of Housing Needs and Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs.** Provide a statement addressing the housing needs of low-income, very low-income and extremely low-income families and a brief description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families who reside in the jurisdiction served by the PHA and other families who are on the public housing and Section 8 tenant-based assistance waiting lists. The statement must identify the housing needs of (i) families with incomes below 30 percent of area median income (extremely low-income); (ii) elderly families (iii) households with individuals with disabilities, and households of various races and ethnic groups residing in the jurisdiction or on the public housing and Section 8 tenant-based assistance waiting lists based on information provided by the applicable Consolidated Plan, information provided by HUD, and other generally available data. The statement of housing needs shall be based on information provided by the applicable Consolidated Plan, information provided by HUD, and generally available data. The identification of housing needs must address issues of affordability, supply, quality, accessibility, size of units, and location. Once the PHA has submitted an Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH), which includes an assessment of disproportionate housing needs in accordance with 24 CFR §5.154(d)(2)(iv), information on households with individuals with disabilities and households of various races and ethnic groups residing in the jurisdiction or on the waiting lists no longer needs to be included in the Statement of Housing Needs and Strategy for Addressing Housing Needs. (24 CFR § 903.7(a)).

The identification of housing needs must address issues of affordability, supply, quality, accessibility, size of units, and location. (24 CFR §903.7(a)(2)(i)) Provide a description of the ways in which the PHA intends, to the maximum extent practicable, to address those housing needs in the upcoming year and the PHA's reasons for choosing its strategy. (24 CFR §903.7(a)(2)(ii))

☐ **Deconcentration and Other Policies that Govern Eligibility, Selection and Admissions.** Describe the PHA's admissions policy for deconcentration of poverty and income mixing of lower-income families in public housing. The Deconcentration Policy must describe the PHA's policy for bringing higher income tenants into lower income developments and lower income tenants into higher income developments. The deconcentration requirements apply to general occupancy and family public housing developments. Refer to 24 CFR §903.2(b)(2) for developments not subject to deconcentration of poverty and income mixing requirements. 24 CFR §903.7(b) Describe the PHA's procedures for maintaining waiting lists for admission to public housing and address any site-based waiting lists. 24 CFR §903.7(b) A statement of the PHA's policies that govern resident or tenant eligibility, selection and admission including admission preferences for both public housing and HCV. (24 CFR §903.7(b) Describe the unit assignment policies for public housing. 24 CFR §903.7(b)

☐ **Financial Resources.** A statement of financial resources, including a listing by general categories, of the PHA's anticipated resources, such as PHA operating, capital and other anticipated Federal resources available to the PHA, as well as tenant rents and other income available to support public housing or tenant-based assistance. The statement also should include the non-Federal sources of funds supporting each Federal program and state the planned use for the resources. (24 CFR §903.7(c))

☐ **Rent Determination.** A statement of the policies of the PHA governing rents charged for public housing and HCV dwelling units, including applicable public housing flat rents, minimum rents, voucher family rent contributions, and payment standard policies. (24 CFR §903.7(d))

☐ **Homeownership Programs.** A description of any homeownership programs (including project number and unit count) administered by the agency or for which the PHA has applied or will apply for approval. For years in which the PHA's 5-Year PHA Plan is also due, this information must be included only to the extent that the PHA participates in homeownership programs under section 8(y) of the 1937 Act. (24 CFR §903.7(k) and 24 CFR §903.12(b).

☐ **Substantial Deviation.** PHA must provide its criteria for determining a "substantial deviation" to its 5-Year Plan. (24 CFR §903.7(r)(2)(i))

☐ **Significant Amendment/Modification.** PHA must provide its criteria for determining a "Significant Amendment or Modification" to its 5-Year and Annual Plan. For modifications resulting from the Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) program, refer to the 'Sample PHA Plan Amendment' found in Notice PIH-2012-32 REV-3, successor RAD Implementation Notices, or other RAD Notices.

If any boxes are marked "yes", describe the revision(s) to those element(s) in the space provided.

PHAs must submit a Deconcentration Policy for Field Office review. For additional guidance on what a PHA must do to deconcentrate poverty in its development and comply with fair housing requirements, see 24 CFR 903.2. (24 CFR §903.23(b))

B.2 New Activities. If the PHA intends to undertake any new activities related to these elements or discretionary policies in the current Fiscal Year, mark "yes" for those elements, and describe the activities to be undertaken in the space provided. If the PHA does not plan to undertake these activities, mark "no."

☐ **HOPE VI or Choice Neighborhoods.** 1) A description of any housing (including project name, number (if known) and unit count) for which the PHA will apply for HOPE VI; and 2) A timetable for the submission of applications or proposals. The application and approval process for Hope VI is a separate process. See guidance on HUD's website at: https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/public_indian_housing/programs/ph/hope6. (Notice PIH 2011-47)

☐ **Mixed Finance Modernization or Development.** 1) A description of any housing (including name, project number (if known) and unit count) for which the PHA will apply for Mixed Finance Modernization or Development; and 2) A timetable for the submission of applications or proposals. The application and approval process for Mixed Finance Modernization or Development is a separate process. See guidance on HUD's website at: https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/public_indian_housing/programs/ph/hope6/mfph#4

☐ **Demolition and/or Disposition.** Describe any public housing projects owned by the PHA and subject to ACCs (including name, project number and unit numbers [or addresses]), and the number of affected units along with their sizes and accessibility features) for which the PHA will apply or is currently pending for demolition or disposition; and (2) A timetable for the demolition or disposition. This statement must be submitted to the extent that approved and/or pending demolition and/or disposition has changed. The application and approval process for demolition and/or disposition is a separate process. See guidance on HUD's website at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/demo_dispo/index.cfm. (24 CFR §903.7(h))

☐ **Conversion of Public Housing under the Voluntary or Mandatory Conversion programs.** Describe any public housing building(s) (including project number and unit count) owned by the PHA that the PHA is required to convert or plans to voluntarily convert to tenant-based assistance; 2) An analysis of the projects or buildings required to be converted; and 3) A statement of the amount of assistance received to be used for rental assistance or other housing assistance in connection with such conversion. See guidance on HUD's website at: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/conversion.cfm>. (24 CFR §903.7(j))

☐ **Conversion of Public Housing under the Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) program.** Describe any public housing building(s) (including project number and unit count) owned by the PHA that the PHA plans to voluntarily convert to Project-Based Rental Assistance or Project-Based Vouchers under RAD. See additional guidance on HUD's website at: [Notice PIH 2012-32 REV-3, successor RAD Implementation Notices, and other RAD notices.](#)

☐ **Project-Based Vouchers.** Describe any plans to use HCVs for new project-based vouchers. (24 CFR §983.57(b)(1)) If using project-based vouchers, provide the projected number of project-based units and general locations, and describe how project-basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan (24 CFR §903.7(b)).

☐ **Units with Approved Vacancies for Modernization.** The PHA must include a statement related to units with approved vacancies that are undergoing modernization in accordance with 24 CFR §990.145(a)(1).

☐ **Other Capital Grant Programs** (i.e., Capital Fund Community Facilities Grants or Emergency Safety and Security Grants).

B.3 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 §903.7(r)(1))

B.4 Capital Improvements. PHAs that receive funding from the Capital Fund Program (CFP) must complete this section. (24 CFR §903.7(g)). To comply with this requirement, the PHA must reference the most recent HUD approved Capital Fund 5 Year Action Plan in EPIC and the date that it was approved. PHAs can reference the form by including the following language in the Capital Improvement section of the appropriate Annual or Streamlined PHA Plan Template: "See Capital Fund 5 Year Action Plan in EPIC approved by HUD on XX/XX/XXXX."

B.5 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 §903.7(p))

B. Annual Plan Elements Submitted All Other Years (Years 1-4). PHAs must complete this section during years where the 5-Year Plan is also due. (24 CFR §903.12)

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<http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/hope6/index.cfm>. (Notice PIH 2010-30)

☐ **Demolition and/or Disposition.** With respect to public housing only, describe any public housing development(s), or portion of a public housing development projects, owned by the PHA and subject to ACCs (including project number and unit numbers [or addresses]), and the number of affected units along with their sizes and accessibility features) for which the PHA will apply or is currently pending for demolition or disposition approval under section 18 of the 1937 Act (42 U.S.C. 1437p); and (2) A timetable for the demolition or disposition. This statement must be submitted to the extent that approved and/or pending demolition and/or disposition has changed as described in the PHA's last Annual and/or 5-Year PHA Plan submission. The application and approval process for demolition and/or disposition is a separate process. Approval of the PHA Plan does not constitute approval of these activities. See guidance on HUD's website at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/centers/sac/demo_dispo/index.cfm. (24 CFR §903.7(h))

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C. Other Document and/or Certification Requirements.

C.1 Resident Advisory Board (RAB) comments. If the RAB had comments on 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)

C.2 Certification by State of 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. (24 CFR §903.15). Note: A PHA may request to change its fiscal year to better coordinate its planning with planning done under the Consolidated Plan process by State or local officials as applicable.

C.3 Civil Rights Certification/ Certification Listing Policies and Programs that the PHA has Revised since Submission of its Last Annual Plan. Provide a certification that the following plan elements have been revised, provided to the RAB for comment before implementation, approved by the PHA board, and made available for review and inspection by the public. This requirement is satisfied by completing and submitting form HUD-50077 CRT-SM, *PHA Certifications of Compliance with PHA Plan, Civil Rights, and Related Laws and Regulations Including PHA Plan Elements that Have Changed*. Form HUD-50077 CRT-SM, *PHA Certifications of Compliance with PHA Plan, Civil Rights, and Related Laws and Regulations Including PHA Plan Elements that Have Changed* 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 certification requirement to affirmatively further fair housing if the PHA fulfills the requirements of §§ 903.7(o)(1) and 903.15(d) and: (i) examines its programs or proposed programs; (ii) identifies any fair housing issues and contributing factors within those programs, in accordance with 24 CFR 5.154; or 24 CFR 5.160(a)(3) as applicable (iii) specifies actions and strategies designed to address contributing factors, related fair housing issues, and goals in the applicable Assessment of Fair Housing consistent with 24 CFR 5.154 in a reasonable manner in view of the resources available; (iv) works with jurisdictions to implement any of the jurisdiction's initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA's involvement; (v) operates programs in a manner consistent with any applicable consolidated plan under 24 CFR part 91, and with any order or agreement, to comply with the authorities specified in paragraph (o)(1) of this section; (vi) complies with any contribution or consultation requirement with respect to any applicable AFH, in accordance with 24 CFR 5.150 through 5.180; (vii) maintains records reflecting these analyses, actions, and the results of these actions; and (viii) takes steps acceptable to HUD to remedy known fair housing or civil rights violations. impediments to fair housing choice within those programs; addresses those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available; works 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)).

C.4 Challenged Elements. If any element of the Annual PHA Plan or 5-Year PHA Plan is challenged, a PHA must include such information as an attachment to the Annual PHA Plan or 5-Year PHA Plan with a description of any challenges to Plan elements, the source of the challenge, and the PHA's response to the public.

D. Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing (AFFH).

D.1 Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing. The PHA will use the answer blocks in item D.1 to provide a statement of its strategies and actions to implement each fair housing goal outlined in its accepted Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) consistent with 24 CFR § 5.154(d)(5) that states, in relevant part: “To implement goals and priorities in an AFH, strategies and actions shall be included in program participants’ ... PHA Plans (including any plans incorporated therein) Strategies and actions must affirmatively further fair housing” Use the chart provided to specify each fair housing goal from the PHA’s AFH for which the PHA is the responsible program participant – whether the AFH was prepared solely by the PHA, jointly with one or more other PHAs, or in collaboration with a state or local jurisdiction – and specify the fair housing strategies and actions to be implemented by the PHA during the period covered by this PHA Plan. If there are more than three fair housing goals, add answer blocks as necessary.

Until such time as the PHA is required to submit an AFH, the PHA will not have to complete section D., nevertheless, the PHA will address its obligation to affirmatively further fair housing in part by fulfilling the requirements at 24 CFR 903.7(o)(3) enacted prior to August 17, 2015, which means that it examines its own programs or proposed programs; identifies any impediments to fair housing choice within those programs; addresses those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available; works with local jurisdictions to implement any of the jurisdiction’s initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA’s involvement; and maintain records reflecting these analyses and actions. Furthermore, under Section 5A(d)(15) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended, a PHA must submit a civil rights certification with its Annual PHA Plan, which is described at 24 CFR 903.7(o)(1) except for qualified PHAs who submit the Form HUD-50077-CR as a standalone document.

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 5-Year and Annual PHA Plan. 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.

Public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to average 7.02 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. HUD may not collect this information, and respondents are not required to complete this form, unless it displays a currently valid OMB Control Number.

Privacy Act Notice. The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development is authorized to solicit the information requested in this form by virtue of Title 12, U.S. Code, Section 1701 et seq., and regulations promulgated thereunder at Title 12, Code of Federal Regulations. Responses to the collection of information are required to obtain a benefit or to retain a benefit. The information requested does not lend itself to confidentiality.

Attachment nc081a01:

PHA Plan Elements:

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? Yes.

Mixed Finance Modernization or Development for Affordable Housing:

Asheboro Housing Authority (AHA) was contacted by a private developer who was planning to acquire and rehabilitate the Asheboro Summit Apartments, a 101-unit senior housing property located in Asheboro. A preliminary inducement resolution was unanimously adopted by AHA for the issuance of Housing Bonds for the project. The following is a summary of actions regarding the project and Multifamily Housing Bonds:

- AHA conducted a financial analyst on the project and reported the project was financially feasible.
- AHA held the required public hearing for the Asheboro Summit Apartments Multifamily Revenue Bonds in April 2023.
- In August 2023 North Carolina Housing Finance Agency (NCHFA) allocated bond capacity for the project totaling \$10,790,000 in tax exempt housing bonds and also announced the project will be eligible to claim \$696,100 in annual low-income housing tax credits.

AHA will continue to concentrate on this and other efforts that benefit AHA and affiliates directly in the continued evaluation of development sites including but not limited to the following:

- AHA's 10-acre site on Morgan Avenue which currently houses 15 public housing units.
- A non-profit affiliate's one-acre downtown Asheboro site has the potential to be a mixed-use development including commercial and/or residential uses.
- Property owned by an affiliate and adjacent to CASPN Homes has potential for affordable housing development and could be evaluated.
- Begin an independent search for available development property in Asheboro and Randolph County.

Demolition and/or Disposition:

During the ongoing process to rehabilitate or establish new affordable housing AHA may determine that the cost of necessary modification and/or rehabilitation to a project is not cost effective and may need to consider unit demolition or disposition. Likewise, during a previously issued RFQ and the negotiations with a developer there was consideration of property currently occupied by public housing to be demolished or disposed to make way for new affordable housing. The need to implement demolition or disposition is not apparent at this time but if it does AHA will follow appropriate HUD guidance and procedures.

Conversion of Public Housing to Tenant Based Assistance & Project-Based Assistance under RAD:

The AHA is considering a conversion or repositioning the public housing units to Tenant Based Assistance, preferably PBRA under RAD or one of the many HUD offered options. During 2023 the AHA Board and staff have continued to review opportunities and it is anticipated this will continue into 2024-25 including but not limited to the following:

- RAD training and conferences and calculation of rents relative to RAD and repositioning.
- Meeting and communicating with housing professionals as opportunities become available.
- Review of capital improvements to dwelling and non-dwelling property, potential development activities and other needed engineering/architectural projects.

In general, RAD/repositioning appears not to be financially beneficial to AHA for tenant-based voucher conversion; however, as HUD continues to modify the requirements thereby creating new opportunities and options that could make conversion more attractive. AHA will continue to consider options and opportunities that are in our best interests, our residents and properties.

Project Based Vouchers (PBV):

AHA has one Project Base Voucher location at Randleman School Commons in Randleman, NC with 30 units for disable and/or elderly (62 & over) families. Constructed in 2004 the original Project Based Voucher HAP contract was approved 11/1/2006 for a term of 10 years and then in November 2016 the HAP contract was renewed for another five years. AHA renewed this PBV HAP contract again for a ten-year term beginning November 2021. PBVs are consistent with AHA's Plan because it meets AHA's mission and goals including:

- Expand the supply of affordable housing, and
- Provide safe, decent and affordable housing.

In 2023 two affordable housing development projects in Asheboro were approved by the North Carolina Housing Finance Agency (NCHFA) for Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) and/or housing bond financing including Church Street Lofts and East Salisbury Apartments. Church Street Lofts completed renovation began leasing in 2023 and AHA worked with the developer providing Tenant Based Vouchers to multiple residents of this project. AHA considers this a viable option to expand the supply of affordable housing.

In the past AHA provided notice to the HUD field office of its intent to issue Request for Proposals (RFPs) to project-base vouchers. AHA will continue using PBVs as an option to expand the local affordable housing inventory in 2024.

Burlington Housing Authority (BHA) converted its Public Housing portfolio under a RAD/Section 18 combo. The RAD units will be Project Based Rental Assistance (PBRA), but the Section 18 units (71 total units) will be Project Based Vouchers. BHA did not have a Voucher Program and therefore is unable to administer the PBV units. AHA and BHA negotiated an Intergovernmental Agreement to administer Project Based Vouchers and AHA will continue to administer the vouchers on behalf of BHA during the current renovation of existing housing units and once renovation is completed in 2024 and 2025.

Units with Approved Vacancies for Modernization:

AHA has at times approved modernization vacancies due to pest infestation. In addition, as the Physical Needs Assessment (PNA) recommendations are implemented, and RAD/Repositioning activities move forward there may be a need to request approved vacancies depending on the level of unit improvements. In addition, AHA may require units be placed offline due to a variety of reasons including but not limited to:

- Undergoing Modernization (not under construction),
- Undergoing Modernization (Contract awarded),
- Casualty loss
- To complete treatment for pests including but not limited to bed bugs and roaches. These actions are due to extermination protocols to prepare units for marketing and occupancy.

Continue to maintain 50 units designated for elderly families through 2025:

In 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2021 and again in 2023 AHA requested an additional 2-year extensions for 50 units designated for elderly families. AHA received official approval from HUD for an extension Elderly Designation Plan for an additional 2 years, for 2024-25.

Housing Opportunity Through Modernization Act of 2016 (HOTMA):

HUD published a final rule on February 14, 2023, implementing sections of the Housing Opportunity Through Modernization Act of 2016 (HOTMA). Specifically, the final rule revises regulations related to income and assets and issued new regulations regarding over-income (OI) families residing in public housing. AHA's housing programs have work to meet the proposed changes under the time limits proposed by HUD which include:

- The new income and asset regulations (implementing sections 102 and 104) of HOTMA were to originally take effect on January 1, 2024; however, implementation has been delayed until late 2024 or early 2025.
- AHA and all other PHAs are currently bringing their programs into compliance with the HOTMA final rule as quickly as possible, but no later than January 1, 2025. "Compliance" means administering all aspects of the affected programs in accordance with the HOTMA final rule.
- PIH plans to publish a notice providing implementation guidance for these new HOTMA requirements and AHA will continue to follow guidance provided by HUD.

Small Area Fair Market Rents:

AHA will begin implementing the newly required Small Area Fair Market Rents (SAFMR) beginning in 2024 through 2025.

Capital Grant Projects:

Housing-Related Hazards CFP Grant: The Housing-Related Hazard Capital Grant program to fund improvements is nearing completion. The purpose of the grant was to 1) install new exhaust fans in all public housing units to remove water and humidity reducing elements that contribute

to mold growth and 2) to provide new combination CO/smoke detector in every sleeping area and every room/area containing a gas burning appliance. Other improvements were considered; however, due to raising constructions cost additional items were eliminated. The project was successful in providing an additional level of health and safety to public housing residents.

Improvements to the Tenant Services Building: In 2023 AHA's ROSS program needed additional space to provide services to residents. Work began planning for interior improvements/remodeling/expansion to the building and its kitchen. An Environmental Assessment was completed and approved by HUD. Plans & specifications were completed and in September 2023 the renovation project was advertised. Bids were received, evaluated and a contract for the renovations was awarded in December 2023 with work scheduled to begin in February 2024.

Physical Needs Assessment: AHA has initiated a Physical Needs Assessment (PNA) for all public housing units with consideration for improvements relative to the RAD/repositioning of public housing. AHA is developing budget projections that include improvements to the units to complement the repositioning with modernization/upgrades. These improvements could include but are not limited to new appliances, kitchen cabinets/counters, and bathroom renovations. Also, AHA will consider electrical, lighting modernization and flooring, among others. AHA will continue to review PNA recommendations through 2024 and 2025.

Other Housing Related Projects:

Resident Opportunity and Self-Sufficiency Service Coordinator Program: AHA applied and received in 1/2022 a \$245,850 three-year Resident Opportunity & Self-Sufficiency Service Coordinator (ROSS-SC) grant. Sponsored by HUD the ROSS-SC grant program is designed to assist residents of Public Housing families make progress towards economic and housing self-sufficiency by removing the educational, professional and health barriers they face. The program was staffed as of 6/1/22 and is ongoing. This will complement AHA's current HCV FSS program that has been ongoing for many years.

Housing Choice Voucher Family Self-Sufficiency Coordinator Program: In order to provide expanded FSS services for HCV families AHA in 10/2022 applied for an HCV FSS Coordinator grant for both FY22 and FY23. Sponsored by HUD, the HCV FSS Coordinator grant program is designed to assist residents of HCV families make progress towards economic and housing self-sufficiency by removing the educational, professional and health barriers they face. Unfortunately, the FY22 grant was denied and again in FY23. Fortunately, the FSS grant application will be carried forward for reconsideration as part of HUD's FY2024 FSS Funding Process.

(b) If any of these activities are planned for the current Fiscal Year, describe the activities. For new demolition activities, describe any public housing development or portion thereof, owned by the PHA for which the PHA has applied or will apply for demolition and/or disposition approval under section 18 of the 1937 Act under the separate demolition/disposition approval process.

(c) If using Project-Based Vouchers, provide the projected number of project-based units, general locations, and describe how project-basing would be consistent with the PHA Plan.

The AHA has determined that project-basing some of its housing vouchers (not to exceed 20% of the inventory) is in the community's interest. This effort is an appropriate option because it will deconcentrate poverty and expand housing and economic opportunity. The specifics of what the Housing Authority is seeking will be contained in an advertisement published in the manner prescribed by HUD that varies depending upon whether the units to be brought into the program are new construction, rehabilitated, or existing units. The actual selection of the units to be project-based shall also be in full accordance with HUD requirements.

AHA also intends to use the PBV program as permitted under Notice PIH 2020-21:

- Projected number of PBV units totals 80 including the Randleman School Commons in Randleman, NC currently under PBV contract with 30 units for disabled and/or elderly (62 or older) families which were extended for 10-years in 11/2021.
- General locations will include the City of Asheboro, Randolph County and AHA's property and developments and includes existing units or new constructions.
- Consistency with the PHA Plan: Project Based Vouchers are an alternative for these or other developments and AHA, using HUD's regulations and process consider PBVs a viable option to pursue our mission and goals to 1) expand the supply of affordable housing and 2) provision of safe, decent and affordable housing.

(d) The PHA must submit its Deconcentration Policy for Field Office Review.

HCV Administrative Plan:

5.3 SELECTION FROM THE WAITING LIST

Based on the preferences, all families in preference A will be offered housing before any families unless preference C is in effect. The date and time of application will be utilized to determine the sequence of choosing an applicant within the above preferences:

Notwithstanding the above, if necessary to meet the statutory requirement that 75% of newly admitted families in any fiscal year be families who are extremely low-income (unless a different target is agreed to by HUD), the AHA retains the right to skip higher income families on the waiting to reach extremely low-income families. This measure will only be taken if it appears the goal will not otherwise be met. To ensure this goal is met, the Housing Authority will monitor the incomes of newly admitted families and the income of the families on the waiting list.

If there are not enough extremely low-income families on the waiting list, we will conduct outreach on a non-discriminatory basis to attract extremely low-income families to reach the statutory requirement.

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10.3 *SELECTION FROM THE WAITING LIST*

The AHA shall follow the statutory requirement that at least 40% of newly admitted families in any fiscal year be families whose annual income is at or below 30% of the area median income. To ensure this requirement is met we shall quarterly monitor the incomes of newly admitted families and the incomes of the families on the waiting list. If it appears that the requirement to house extremely low-income families will not be met, we will skip higher income families on the waiting list to reach extremely low-income families.

If admissions of extremely low-income families to the AHA's voucher program during a fiscal year exceed the 75% minimum targeting requirement for the AHA's voucher program, such excess shall be credited (subject to the limitations in this paragraph) against the AHA's public housing targeting requirement for the same fiscal year.

The fiscal year credit for voucher program admissions that exceeds the minimum voucher program targeting requirement shall not exceed the lower of:

- A. Ten (10) % of public housing waiting list admissions during the AHA fiscal year.
- B. Ten (10) % of waiting list admissions to the AHA's Section 8 tenant-based assistance program during the PHA fiscal year; or
- C. The number of qualifying low-income families who commence occupancy during the fiscal year of AHA public housing units located in census tracts with a poverty rate of thirty (30) % or more. For this purpose, qualifying low-income family means a low-income family other than an extremely low-income family.

If there are not enough extremely low-income families on the waiting list, we will conduct outreach on a non-discriminatory basis to attract extremely low-income families to reach the statutory requirement.

Preferences: Public Housing & HCV Programs

Currently, the public housing and HCV Programs preferences are the residency preference for applicants who live or work in Randolph County. This residency preference will be the only preference to be offered for both the public housing and the HCV programs.