U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing

PHA Plans

5 Year Plan for Fiscal Years 2000 - 2004 Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2003

NOTE: THIS PHA PLANS TEMPLATE (HUD 50075) IS TO BE COMPLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS LOCATED IN APPLICABLE PIH NOTICES

PHA Plan Agency Identification

PHA Name: Housing Authority of the City of Elizabeth

PHA Number: NJ003

PHA Fiscal Year Beginning: (07/01/2003)

Public Access to Information

Information regarding any activities outlined in this plan can be obtained by contacting: (select all that apply)

- X Main administrative office of the PHA
 - PHA development management offices
 - PHA local offices

Display Locations For PHA Plans and Supporting Documents

The PHA Plans (including attachments) are available for public inspection at: (select all that apply)

- X Main administrative office of the PHA
 - PHA development management offices
 - PHA local offices
 - Main administrative office of the local government
 - Main administrative office of the County government
 - Main administrative office of the State government
 - Public library
 - PHA website
 - Other (list below)

PHA Plan Supporting Documents are available for inspection at: (select all that apply)

- X Main business office of the PHA
 - PHA development management offices
 - Other (list below)

5-YEAR PLAN PHA FISCAL YEARS 2000 - 2004

[24 CFR Part 903.5]

A. Mission

State the PHA's mission for serving the needs of low-income, very low income, and extremely low-income families in the PHA's jurisdiction. (select one of the choices below)

Х The mission of the PHA is the same as that of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: To promote adequate and affordable housing, economic opportunity and a suitable living environment free from discrimination.

The PHA's mission is: (state mission here)

B. Goals

The goals and objectives listed below are derived from HUD's strategic Goals and Objectives and those emphasized in recent legislation. PHAs may select any of these goals and objectives as their own, or identify other goals and/or objectives. Whether selecting the HUD-suggested objectives or their own, PHAS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO IDENTIFY QUANTIFIABLE MEASURES OF SUCCESS IN REACHING THEIR OBJECTIVES OVER THE COURSE OF THE 5 YEARS. (Quantifiable measures would include targets such as: numbers of families served or PHAS scores achieved.) PHAs should identify these measures in the spaces to the right of or below the stated objectives.

HUD Strategic Goal: Increase the availability of decent, safe, and affordable housing.

- Х PHA Goal: Expand the supply of assisted housing **Objectives:**
 - Х Apply for additional rental vouchers:
 - Х Reduce public housing vacancies:
 - Х Leverage private or other public funds to create additional housing opportunities:
 - Х Acquire or build units or developments
 - Х Other (list below) Provide assisted living services at Senior Sites
- Х PHA Goal: Improve the quality of assisted housing **Objectives:**
 - Х Improve public housing management: (PHAS score)
 - Х Improve voucher management: (SEMAP score)
 - Х Increase customer satisfaction:
 - Х Concentrate on efforts to improve specific management functions: (list; e.g., public housing finance; voucher unit inspections)
 - Х Renovate or modernize public housing units:
 - Х Demolish or dispose of obsolete public housing:

- X Provide replacement public housing:
- X Provide replacement vouchers:
- Other: (list below)
- X PHA Goal: Increase assisted housing choices Objectives:
 - X Provide voucher mobility counseling:
 - X Conduct outreach efforts to potential voucher landlords
 - X Increase voucher payment standards
 - X Implement voucher homeownership program:
 - X Implement public housing or other homeownership programs:
 - X Implement public housing site-based waiting lists:
 - X Convert public housing to vouchers:
 - Other: (list below)

HUD Strategic Goal: Improve community quality of life and economic vitality

Х PHA Goal: Provide an improved living environment **Objectives:** Х Implement measures to deconcentrate poverty by bringing higher income public housing households into lower income developments: Implement measures to promote income mixing in public housing by assuring access for lower income families into higher income developments: Implement public housing security improvements: Х Designate developments or buildings for particular resident groups (elderly, persons with disabilities) Other: (list below)

HUD Strategic Goal: Promote self-sufficiency and asset development of families and individuals

X PHA Goal: Promote self-sufficiency and asset development of assisted households

Objectives:

- X Increase the number and percentage of employed persons in assisted families:
- X Provide or attract supportive services to improve assistance recipients' employability:
- X Provide or attract supportive services to increase independence for the elderly or families with disabilities.
- Other: (list below)

HUD Strategic Goal: Ensure Equal Opportunity in Housing for all Americans

- X PHA Goal: Ensure equal opportunity and affirmatively further fair housing Objectives:
 - X Undertake affirmative measures to ensure access to assisted housing regardless of race, color, religion national origin, sex, familial status, and disability:
 - X Undertake affirmative measures to provide a suitable living environment for families living in assisted housing, regardless of race, color, religion national origin, sex, familial status, and disability:
 - X Undertake affirmative measures to ensure accessible housing to persons with all varieties of disabilities regardless of unit size required:
 - Other: (list below)

Other PHA Goals and Objectives: (list below) Quantifiable measures for HUD/Elizabeth Housing Authority (HACE) Strategic Goals.

- **1.** During the five-year plan period HACE will pursue increasing Section 8 Program while maintaining the utilization rate.
- 2. Reduce Public Housing Vacancies

During the five-year plan period HACE expects to hold vacancy rate at less than 1% on the average.

3. Leverage private or public funds to create additional housing opportunities.

In 1998 HACE was awarded a 28.9 million-dollar HOPE VI grant for the complete demolition of the 650 unit Migliore Manor and Pioneer Homes low-income family housing complexes. The project will produce 557 new townhouses types units at a total cost of 90 million. Before HOPE VI two sites accommodated 550 families, as 100 units were vacant and boarded up. When completed HOPE VI will feature:

291 ACC Public Housing Units
218 Affordable Units
48 Fair Market Value Homes
250 New Section 8 Opportunities

Construction will occur onsite and within the surrounding neighborhood.

HACE in conjunction with private developer teams has procured an additional 50 million in project financing. During the 5 year plan period, the additional 10 million in needed public and private resources will be procured.

4. Maintain Public Housing Management (PHAS Score)

Of the four components measured physical, financial, management and resident, the HACE score was 92%.

Customer Satisfaction is measured by RASS. The Resident Satisfaction Assessment Subsystem (RASS). This component of the PHAS and is designed to measure resident satisfaction with overall living conditions. The Customer Survey is primarily administered by HUD to give housing authorities feedback on how their programs are run. A follow up plan was certified in January on these above items for RASS.

The Resident Satisfaction Assessment is a Subsystem of PHAS. This component is designed to measure resident satisfaction with overall living conditions.

HACE has maintained an aggressive stance in upgrading its 5 complexes that are not part of the HOPE VI Project. Mravlag Manor is currently undergoing extensive modernization with new site fencing, replacement of underground utility lines, installation of playgrounds and sitting areas, redesign of the interior systems or peaked roofs, bathroom and kitchen upgrades and replacement of apartment windows.

The four senior sites have recently undergone handicapped apartment design and exterior sitework. Future projects include electrical system upgrades, replacement of floor tiles and bathroom and kitchen upgrades.

For the 5-year plan period HACE will complete all capital fund projects in timely fashion adhering to HUD imposed fund obligation and expenditure deadlines.

5. Improve voucher management (SEMAP)

The Section 8 Management Program (SEMAP) is designed to assess whether the Section 8 tenant based assistance programs operate to help eligible families afford decent rental units at the correct subsidy cost. SEMAP also establishes an objective system for HUD to measure HA performance in key Section 8 program areas to enable the Department to ensure program integrity and accountability.

For the five-year plan period, a score of 80% or better is targeted.

6. Demolish or dispose of obsolete public housing.

The HOPE VI Project is discussed in number 3 above.

7. Implement Tenant Integrity Program.

The HACE will address the problem of under-reported income by residents/participants in both Public Housing and Section 8 Programs by accessing newly created data bases at designated internet sites. When data reflects participant's non-compliance with income reported, they will be subject to recoupments and/or program terminations. This process will be evaluated by RIM.

Annual PHA Plan PHA Fiscal Year 2000

[24 CFR Part 903.7]

i. <u>Annual Plan Type:</u>

Select which type of Annual Plan the PHA will submit.

X Standard Plan

Streamlined Plan:

- X High Performing PHA
 - **Small Agency** (<250 Public Housing Units)
 - Administering Section 8 Only

Troubled Agency Plan

ii. Executive Summary of the Annual PHA Plan

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (r)]

Provide a brief overview of the information in the Annual Plan, including highlights of major initiatives and discretionary policies the PHA has included in the Annual Plan.

The Housing Authority of the City of Elizabeth is a successful authority in an urban environment. The Authority runs many different programs designed to enhance the potentials and living accommodations of its resident. The cornerstone program is 90-million-dollar HOPE VI Program. Under HOPE VI 650 units of obsolete public housing will be demolished producing a new neighborhood of 557 townhouses structure type units. Additionally residents of the effected complexes will receive self-sufficiency classroom training and related supportive services.

The Authority has five other complexes within its inventory, all of which have undergone substantial modernizational work, including 504 rehabilitation, during the recent years.

iii. Annual Plan Table of Contents

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (r)]

Provide a table of contents for the Annual Plan, including attachments, and a list of supporting documents available for public inspection.

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Attachments

Indicate which attachments are provided by selecting all that apply. Provide the attachment's name (A, B, etc.) in the space to the left of the name of the attachment. Note: If the attachment is provided as a **SEPARATE** file submission from the PHA Plans file, provide the file name in parentheses in the space to the right of the title.

Required Attachments:

- Admissions Policy for Deconcentration
- FY 2003 Capital Fund Program Annual Statement
- X
- Most recent board-approved operating budget (Required Attachment for PHAs
- that are troubled or at risk of being designated troubled ONLY)

Optional Attachments:

PHA Management Organizational Chart

- X FY 2003 Capital Fund Program 5 Year Action Plan
- Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (PHDEP) Plan
- Comments of Resident Advisory Board or Boards (must be attached if not included in PHA Plan text)
- Other (List below, providing each attachment name)

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Supporting Documents Available for Review

Indicate which documents are available for public review by placing a mark in the "Applicable & On Display" column in the appropriate rows. All listed documents must be on display if applicable to the program activities conducted by the PHA.

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review				
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component		
X	PHA Plan Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations	5 Year and Annual Plans		
Х	State/Local Government Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan	5 Year and Annual Plans		
X	Fair Housing Documentation: Records reflecting that the PHA has examined its programs or proposed programs, identified any impediments to fair housing choice in those programs, addressed or is addressing those impediments in a reasonable fashion in view of the resources available, and worked or is working with local jurisdictions to implement any of the jurisdictions' initiatives to affirmatively further fair housing that require the PHA's involvement.	5 Year and Annual Plans		
X	Consolidated Plan for the jurisdiction/s in which the PHA is located (which includes the Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice (AI))) and any additional backup data to support statement of housing needs in the jurisdiction	Annual Plan: Housing Needs		
X	Most recent board-approved operating budget for the public housing program	Annual Plan: Financial Resources;		
X	Public Housing Admissions and (Continued) Occupancy Policy (A&O), which includes the Tenant Selection and Assignment Plan [TSAP]	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies		
X	Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies		
X	 Public Housing Deconcentration and Income Mixing Documentation: PHA board certifications of compliance with deconcentration requirements (section 16(a) of the US Housing Act of 1937, as implemented in the 2/18/99 Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act Initial Guidance; Notice and any further HUD guidance) and Documentation of the required deconcentration and income mixing analysis 	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies		
X	Public housing rent determination policies, including the methodology for setting public housing flat rents X check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy	Annual Plan: Rent Determination		
Х	Schedule of flat rents offered at each public housing development X check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy	Annual Plan: Rent Determination		

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review				
Applicable &	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component		
On Display				
Х	Section 8 rent determination (payment standard) policies	Annual Plan: Rent		
	X check here if included in Section 8	Determination		
	Administrative Plan			
Х	Public housing management and maintenance policy	Annual Plan: Operations		
	documents, including policies for the prevention or eradication of pest infestation (including cockroach infestation)	and Maintenance		
X	Public housing grievance procedures	Annual Plan: Grievance		
Λ		Procedures		
	X check here if included in the public housing $A \approx O B = V$	Tiocedures		
V	A & O Policy	A second Diagonal Diagonal China and A		
Х	Section 8 informal review and hearing procedures	Annual Plan: Grievance Procedures		
	X check here if included in Section 8	Procedures		
37	Administrative Plan			
Х	The HUD-approved Capital Fund/Comprehensive Grant	Annual Plan: Capital Needs		
	Program Annual Statement (HUD 52837) for the active grant			
N/A	year Most recent CIAP Budget/Progress Report (HUD 52825) for	Annual Plan: Capital Needs		
IN/A		Annual Plan: Capital Needs		
Х	any active CIAP grant Most recent, approved 5 Year Action Plan for the Capital	Annual Plan: Capital Needs		
Λ	Fund/Comprehensive Grant Program, if not included as an	Annual Flan. Capital Needs		
	attachment (provided at PHA option)			
Х	Approved HOPE VI applications or, if more recent,	Annual Plan: Capital Needs		
2 X	approved from E vi applications of, it more recent, approved or submitted HOPE VI Revitalization Plans or any	Annual Fian. Capital Reeds		
	other approved proposal for development of public housing			
Х	Approved or submitted applications for demolition and/or	Annual Plan: Demolition		
	disposition of public housing	and Disposition		
N/A	Approved or submitted applications for designation of public	Annual Plan: Designation of		
	housing (Designated Housing Plans)	Public Housing		
N/A	Approved or submitted assessments of reasonable	Annual Plan: Conversion of		
	revitalization of public housing and approved or submitted	Public Housing		
	conversion plans prepared pursuant to section 202 of the			
	1996 HUD Appropriations Act			
N/A	Approved or submitted public housing homeownership	Annual Plan:		
	programs/plans	Homeownership		
	Policies governing any Section 8 Homeownership program	Annual Plan:		
	check here if included in the Section 8	Homeownership		
	Administrative Plan			
Х	Any cooperative agreement between the PHA and the TANF	Annual Plan: Community		
	agency	Service & Self-Sufficiency		
Х	FSS Action Plan/s for public housing and/or Section 8	Annual Plan: Community		
		Service & Self-Sufficiency		
Х	Most recent self-sufficiency (ED/SS, TOP or ROSS or other	Annual Plan: Community		
37	resident services grant) grant program reports	Service & Self-Sufficiency		
Х	The most recent Public Housing Drug Elimination Program	Annual Plan: Safety and		
	(PHEDEP) semi-annual performance report for any open	Crime Prevention		
	grant and most recently submitted PHDEP application			
v	(PHDEP Plan) The most recent fixed year oudit of the PUA conducted	Annual Diane Arrest Arr 1'		
Х	The most recent fiscal year audit of the PHA conducted	Annual Plan: Annual Audit		

	List of Supporting Documents Available for Review				
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	under section 5(h)(2) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U. S.C. 1437c(h)), the results of that audit and the PHA's response to any findings				
N/A	Troubled PHAs: MOA/Recovery Plan	Troubled PHAs			
N/A	Other supporting documents (optional) (list individually; use as many lines as necessary)	(specify as needed)			

<u>1. Statement of Housing Needs</u>

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (a)]

A. Housing Needs of Families in the Jurisdiction/s Served by the PHA

Based upon the information contained in the Consolidated Plan/s applicable to the jurisdiction, and/or other data available to the PHA, provide a statement of the housing needs in the jurisdiction by completing the following table. In the "Overall" Needs column, provide the estimated number of renter families that have housing needs. For the remaining characteristics, rate the impact of that factor on the housing needs for each family type, from 1 to 5, with 1 being "no impact" and 5 being "severe impact." Use N/A to indicate that no information is available upon which the PHA can make this assessment.

Housing Needs of Families in the Jurisdiction							
	by Family Type						
Family Type	Overall	Afford- ability	Supply	Quality	Access- ibility	Size	Loca- tion
Income <= 30% of AMI	6567	5	5	5	5	5	5
Income >30% but <=50% of AMI	4422	5	5	5	5	5	5
Income >50% but <80% of AMI	2170	5	5	5	5	5	5
Elderly	3253	5	5	5	5	5	3
Families with Disabilities	N/A						
Race/Ethnicity W	5039	5	5	5	5	5	3
Race/Ethnicity B	2563	5	5	5	5	5	5
Race/Ethnicity H	5124	5	5	5	5	5	4
Race/Ethnicity							

What sources of information did the PHA use to conduct this analysis? (Check all that apply; all materials must be made available for public inspection.)

X Consolidated Plan of the Jurisdiction/s

	Indicate year: 2001
Х	U.S. Census data: the Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy
	("CHAS") dataset
	American Housing Survey data
	Indicate year:
	Other housing market study
	Indicate year:
	Other sources: (list and indicate year of information)

B. Housing Needs of Families on the Public Housing and Section 8 Tenant- Based Assistance Waiting Lists

State the housing needs of the families on the PHA's waiting list/s. Complete one table for each type of PHA-wide waiting list administered by the PHA. PHAs may provide separate tables for site-based or sub-jurisdictional public housing waiting lists at their option.

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List					
Waiting list type: (select one) Section 8 tenant-based assistance X Public Housing Combined Section 8 and Public Housing Public Housing Site-Based or sub-jurisdictional waiting list (optional) If used, identify which development/subjurisdiction: # of families % of total families					
Waiting list total	842				
Extremely low income <=30% AMI	429				
Very low income (>30% but <=50% AMI)	269				
Low income (>50% but <80% AMI)	144				
Families with children	421				
Elderly families	421				
Families with Disabilities	252				
Race/ethnicity					
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Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List				
Race/ethnicity				
Characteristics by				
Bedroom Size	135			
(Public Housing				
Only)				
1BR	407			
2 BR	300			
3 BR	0			
4 BR				
5 BR				
5+ BR				
Is the waiting list closed (select one)? No X Yes				
If yes:				
How long has it been closed (# of months)? 1 Month				
Does the PHA expect to reopen the list in the PHA Plan year? No X Yes				
Does the PHA permit specific categories of families onto the waiting list, even if				
generally closed? X No Ves				

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List				
 Waiting list type: (select one) X Section 8 tenant-based assistance Public Housing Combined Section 8 and Public Housing Public Housing Site-Based or sub-jurisdictional waiting list (optional) If used, identify which development/subjurisdiction: 				
	# of families	% of total families	Annual Turnover	
Waiting list total	2732			
Extremely low income <=30% AMI	1694	62		
Very low income (>30% but <=50% AMI)	765	28		
Low income (>50% but <80% AMI)	183	10		
Families with children	1939	71		
Elderly families	546	20		
Families with				

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List					
Disabilities	519	19			
Race/ethnicity					
Characteristics by					
Bedroom Size					
(Public Housing					
Only)					
1BR					
2 BR	2 BR				
3 BR					
4 BR					
5 BR					
5+ BR					
Is the waiting list closed (select one)? No X Yes					
If yes:					
How long has it been closed (# of months)? 20 Months					
Does the PHA expect to reopen the list in the PHA Plan year? X No 🗌 Yes					
Does the PHA permit specific categories of families onto the waiting list, even if					
generally closed? No X Yes					

C. Strategy for Addressing Needs

Provide a brief description of the PHA's strategy for addressing the housing needs of families in the jurisdiction and on the waiting list **IN THE UPCOMING YEAR**, and the Agency's reasons for choosing this strategy.

(1) Strategies

Need: Shortage of affordable housing for all eligible populations

Strategy 1. Maximize the number of affordable units available to the PHA within its current resources by:

Select all that apply

- X Employ effective maintenance and management policies to minimize the number of public housing units off-line
- X Reduce turnover time for vacated public housing units
- X Reduce time to renovate public housing units
 - Seek replacement of public housing units lost to the inventory through mixed finance development

	Seek replacement of public housing units lost to the inventory through section 8 replacement housing resources
Х	Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by establishing payment standards that will enable families to rent throughout the jurisdiction
Х	Undertake measures to ensure access to affordable housing among families assisted by the PHA, regardless of unit size required
Х	Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by marketing the program to owners, particularly those outside of areas of minority and poverty concentration
Х	Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by effectively screening Section 8 applicants to increase owner acceptance of program
Х	Participate in the Consolidated Plan development process to ensure coordination with broader community strategies
	Other (list below)

Strategy 2: Increase the number of affordable housing units by:

Select all that apply

- X Apply for additional section 8 units should they become available
- X Leverage affordable housing resources in the community through the creation of mixed finance housing
- X Pursue housing resources other than public housing or Section 8 tenant-based assistance.
- X Other: (list below) Implement Section 8 Homeownership Program.

Need: Specific Family Types: Families at or below 30% of median

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to families at or below 30 % of AMI Select all that apply

- X Exceed HUD federal targeting requirements for families at or below 30% of AMI in public housing
- X Exceed HUD federal targeting requirements for families at or below 30% of AMI in tenant-based section 8 assistance
- Employ admissions preferences aimed at families with economic hardships
- X Adopt rent policies to support and encourage work
- Other: (list below)

Need: Specific Family Types: Families at or below 50% of median

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to families at or below 50% of AMI Select all that apply

Employ admissions preferences aimed at families who are workingX Adopt rent policies to support and encourage work

Other: (list below)

Need: Specific Family Types: The Elderly

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to the elderly:

Select all that apply

Seek designation of public housing for the elderly

X Apply for special-purpose vouchers targeted to the elderly, should they become available

Other: (list below)

Need: Specific Family Types: Families with Disabilities

Strategy 1: Target available assistance to Families with Disabilities: Select all that apply

- Seek designation of public housing for families with disabilities
- X Carry out the modifications needed in public housing based on the section 504 Needs Assessment for Public Housing
- X Apply for special-purpose vouchers targeted to families with disabilities, should they become available
- X Affirmatively market to local non-profit agencies that assist families with disabilities
- Other: (list below)

Need: Specific Family Types: Races or ethnicities with disproportionate housing needs

Strategy 1: Increase awareness of PHA resources among families of races and ethnicities with disproportionate needs:

Select if applicable

Affirmatively market to races/ethnicities shown to have disproportionate housing needs

Other: (list below)

Strategy 2: Conduct activities to affirmatively further fair housing

Select all that apply

- X Counsel section 8 tenants as to location of units outside of areas of poverty or minority concentration and assist them to locate those units
- X Market the section 8 program to owners outside of areas of poverty /minority concentrations

Other: (list below)

Other Housing Needs & Strategies: (list needs and strategies below)

(2) Reasons for Selecting Strategies

Of the factors listed below, select all that influenced the PHA's selection of the strategies it will pursue:

Х	Funding constraints
	Staffing constraints
Х	Limited availability of sites for assisted housing
	Extent to which particular housing needs are met by other organizations in the community
Х	Evidence of housing needs as demonstrated in the Consolidated Plan and other information available to the PHA
	Influence of the housing market on PHA programs
X	Community priorities regarding housing assistance
Х	Results of consultation with local or state government
Х	Results of consultation with residents and the Resident Advisory Board
Х	Results of consultation with advocacy groups
	Other: (list below)

2. Statement of Financial Resources

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (b)]

List the financial resources that are anticipated to be available to the PHA for the support of Federal public housing and tenant-based Section 8 assistance programs administered by the PHA during the Plan year. Note: the table assumes that Federal public housing or tenant based Section 8 assistance grant funds are expended on eligible purposes; therefore, uses of these funds need not be stated. For other funds, indicate the use for those funds as one of the following categories: public housing operations, public housing capital improvements, public housing safety/security, public housing supportive services, Section 8 tenant-based assistance, Section 8 supportive services or other.

Financial Resources: Planned Sources and Uses					
Sources	Sources Planned \$ Planned Use				
1. Federal Grants (FY 2000 grants)	1. Federal Grants (FY 2000 grants)				
a) Public Housing Operating Fund	5,878,054	5,878,054			
b) Public Housing Capital Fund	2,787,889	2,787,889			
c) HOPE VI Revitalization					
d) HOPE VI Demolition					
e) Annual Contributions for Section	9,295,820	9,295,820			
8 Tenant-Based Assistance					

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3. PHA Policies Governing Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (c)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions: PHAs that do not administer public housing are not required to complete subcomponent 3A.

(1) Eligibility

a.	When does the PHA verify eligibility for admission to public housing? (select all
	that apply)

- When families are within a certain number of being offered a unit: (state number)
- When families are within a certain time of being offered a unit: (state time)
- X Other: (describe) When the families are interviewed.

b. Which non-income (screening) factors does the PHA use to establish eligibility for admission to public housing (select all that apply)?

- X Criminal or Drug-related activity
- X Rental history
- X Housekeeping
- X Other (describe)
- c. X Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from local law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?
- d. X Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from State law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?

e. Yes X No: Does the PHA access FBI criminal records from the FBI for screening purposes? (either directly or through an NCICauthorized source)

(2)Waiting List Organization

- a. Which methods does the PHA plan to use to organize its public housing waiting list (select all that apply)
- X Community-wide list
- Sub-jurisdictional lists
- Site-based waiting lists
- Other (describe)

b. Where may interested persons apply for admission to public housing?

- X PHA main administrative office
 - PHA development site management office
 - Other (list below)
- c. If the PHA plans to operate one or more site-based waiting lists in the coming year, answer each of the following questions; if not, skip to subsection (3) Assignment
 - 1. How many site-based waiting lists will the PHA operate in the coming year?

The HOPE VI property managers namely Conifer Realty and RPM Management will maintain the site based waiting lists for their individual developments. The Housing Authority of the City of Elizabeth will provide over sight guidance.

- 2. X Yes No: Are any or all of the PHA's site-based waiting lists new for the upcoming year (that is, they are not part of a previously-HUD-approved site based waiting list plan)? If yes, how many lists?
- 3. X Yes No: May families be on more than one list simultaneously If yes, how many lists?
- 4. Where can interested persons obtain more information about and sign up to be on the site-based waiting lists (select all that apply)?
 - X PHA main administrative office
 - X All PHA development management offices
 - X Management offices at developments with site-based waiting lists
 - X At the development to which they would like to apply
 - Other (list below)

(3) Assignment

- a. How many vacant unit choices are applicants ordinarily given before they fall to the bottom of or are removed from the waiting list? (select one)
- X One
 - Two
 - Three or More
- b. Yes No: Is this policy consistent across all waiting list types?
- c. If answer to b is no, list variations for any other than the primary public housing waiting list/s for the PHA:

(4) Admissions Preferences

a. Income targeting:

Yes X No: Does the PHA plan to exceed the federal targeting requirements by targeting more than 40% of all new admissions to public housing to families at or below 30% of median area income?

b. Transfer policies:

In what circumstances will transfers take precedence over new admissions? (list below)

 below)

 X
 Emergencies

 Overhoused

 Underhoused

 X
 Medical justification

 Administrative reasons determined by the PHA (e.g., to permit modernization work)

 Resident choice: (state circumstances below)

 Other: (list below)

c. Preferences

1. Yes X No: Has the PHA established preferences for admission to public housing (other than date and time of application)? (If "no" is selected, skip to subsection (5) Occupancy)

2. Which of the following admission preferences does the PHA plan to employ in the coming year? (select all that apply from either former Federal preferences or other preferences)

Former Federal preferences:

- Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Action of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition)
- Victims of domestic violence
- Substandard housing
- Homelessness
 - High rent burden (rent is > 50 percent of income)

Other preferences: (select below)

- Working families and those unable to work because of age or disability
- Veterans and veterans' families
- Residents who live and/or work in the jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Households that contribute to meeting income requirements (targeting)

Those previously enrolled in educational, training, or upward mobility programs

- Victims of reprisals or hate crimes
- Other preference(s) (list below)

3. If the PHA will employ admissions preferences, please prioritize by placing a "1" in the space that represents your first priority, a "2" in the box representing your second priority, and so on. If you give equal weight to one or more of these choices (either

through an absolute hierarchy or through a point system), place the same number next to each. That means you can use "1" more than once, "2" more than once, etc.

Date and Time

Former Federal preferences:

Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Action of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition) Victims of domestic violence Substandard housing Homelessness High rent burden

Other preferences (select all that apply)

- Working families and those unable to work because of age or disability
- Veterans and veterans' families
- Residents who live and/or work in the jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Households that contribute to meeting income requirements (targeting)
- Those previously enrolled in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Victims of reprisals or hate crimes
- Other preference(s) (list below)
- 4. Relationship of preferences to income targeting requirements:
 - The PHA applies preferences within income tiers
 - Not applicable: the pool of applicant families ensures that the PHA will meet income targeting requirements

(5) Occupancy

- a. What reference materials can applicants and residents use to obtain information about the rules of occupancy of public housing (select all that apply)
- X The PHA-resident lease
- X The PHA's Admissions and (Continued) Occupancy policy
- X PHA briefing seminars or written materials
- X Other source (list) Truth in Renting Booklet

One Strike Your Out Booklet

- b. How often must residents notify the PHA of changes in family composition? (select all that apply)
- X At an annual reexamination and lease renewal

- X Any time family composition changes
- X At family request for revision
- Other (list)

(6) Deconcentration and Income Mixing

a. Yes X No: Did the PHA's analysis of its family (general occupancy) developments to determine concentrations of poverty indicate the need for measures to promote deconcentration of poverty or income mixing?		
b. Yes X No: Did the PHA adopt any changes to its admissions policies based on the results of the required analysis of the need to promote deconcentration of poverty or to assure income mixing?		
 c. If the answer to b was yes, what changes were adopted? (select all that apply) Adoption of site-based waiting lists If selected, list targeted developments below: 		
Employing waiting list "skipping" to achieve deconcentration of poverty or income mixing goals at targeted developments If selected, list targeted developments below:		
Employing new admission preferences at targeted developments If selected, list targeted developments below:		
X Other (list policies and developments targeted below) After evaluating existing waiting list is was determined that by eliminating the Federal preference the Public Housing Authority will be able to access families at varied income to deconcentrate proverty.		
d. Yes X No: Did the PHA adopt any changes to other policies based on the results of the required analysis of the need for deconcentration of poverty and income mixing?		
e. If the answer to d was yes, how would you describe these changes? (select all that apply)		
Additional affirmative marketingActions to improve the marketability of certain developments		

Adoption of rent incentives to encourage deconcentration of poverty and
income-mixing
Other (list below)

Other (list below)

f. Based on the results of the required analysis, in which developments will the PHA make special efforts to attract or retain higher-income families? (select all that apply)

]

Not applicable: results of analysis did not indicate a need for such efforts List (any applicable) developments below:

g. Based on the results of the required analysis, in which developments will the PHA make special efforts to assure access for lower-income families? (select all that apply)

Not applicable: results of analysis did not indicate a need for such efforts List (any applicable) developments below:

B. Section 8

Exemptions: PHAs that do not administer section 8 are not required to complete sub-component 3B. Unless otherwise specified, all questions in this section apply only to the tenant-based section 8 assistance program (vouchers, and until completely merged into the voucher program, certificates).

(1) Eligibility

- a. What is the extent of screening conducted by the PHA? (select all that apply)
- Criminal or drug-related activity only to the extent required by law or Х regulation
- Criminal and drug-related activity, more extensively than required by law or regulation
- More general screening than criminal and drug-related activity (list factors below)
- Х Other (list below) Credit and Court Background checks.
- b. X Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from local law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?
- c. X Yes 🗌 No: Does the PHA request criminal records from State law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?
- d. Yes X No: Does the PHA access FBI criminal records from the FBI for screening purposes? (either directly or through an NCICauthorized source)

- e. Indicate what kinds of information you share with prospective landlords? (select all that apply)
 - Criminal or drug-related activity

Other (describe below)

(2) Waiting List Organization

- a. With which of the following program waiting lists is the section 8 tenant-based assistance waiting list merged? (select all that apply)
- X None

Federal public housing

Federal moderate rehabilitation

Federal project-based certificate program

- Other federal or local program (list below)
- b. Where may interested persons apply for admission to section 8 tenant-based assistance? (select all that apply)

PHA main administrative office

Other (list below)

(3) Search Time

a. X Yes No: Does the PHA give extensions on standard 60-day period to search for a unit?

If yes, state circumstances below:

(4) Admissions Preferences

a. Income targeting

Yes X No: Does the PHA plan to exceed the federal targeting requirements by targeting more than 75% of all new admissions to the section 8 program to families at or below 30% of median area income?

b. Preferences

1. Yes X No: Has the PHA established preferences for admission to section 8 tenant-based assistance? (other than date and time of application) (if no, skip to subcomponent (5) Special purpose section 8 assistance programs) 2. Which of the following admission preferences does the PHA plan to employ in the coming year? (select all that apply from either former Federal preferences or other preferences)

Former Federal preferences

- Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Action of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition)
 - Victims of domestic violence
 - Substandard housing
 - Homelessness
 - High rent burden (rent is > 50 percent of income)

Other preferences (select all that apply)

- Working families and those unable to work because of age or disability
- Veterans and veterans' families
- Residents who live and/or work in your jurisdiction
- Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs
- Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes)
- Households that contribute to meeting income requirements (targeting) Those previously enrolled in educational, training, or upward mobility
- programs Victims of reprisels or bate
- Victims of reprisals or hate crimes
- Other preference(s) (list below)
- 3. If the PHA will employ admissions preferences, please prioritize by placing a "1" in the space that represents your first priority, a "2" in the box representing your second priority, and so on. If you give equal weight to one or more of these choices (either through an absolute hierarchy or through a point system), place the same number next to each. That means you can use "1" more than once, "2" more than once, etc.

Date and Time

Former Federal preferences

Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Action of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition) Victims of domestic violence Substandard housing Homelessness High rent burden

Other preferences (select all that apply)

Working families and those unable to work because of age or disability Veterans and veterans' families

Residents who live and/or work in your jurisdiction Those enrolled currently in educational, training, or upward mobility programs Households that contribute to meeting income goals (broad range of incomes) Households that contribute to meeting income requirements (targeting) Those previously enrolled in educational, training, or upward mobility
programs Victims of reprisals or hate crimes Other preference(s) (list below)

- 4. Among applicants on the waiting list with equal preference status, how are applicants selected? (select one)
- X Date and time of application
- Drawing (lottery) or other random choice technique
- 5. If the PHA plans to employ preferences for "residents who live and/or work in the jurisdiction" (select one)
 - This preference has previously been reviewed and approved by HUD
 - The PHA requests approval for this preference through this PHA Plan
- 6. Relationship of preferences to income targeting requirements: (select one)
- The PHA applies preferences within income tiers
- X Not applicable: the pool of applicant families ensures that the PHA will meet income targeting requirements

(5) Special Purpose Section 8 Assistance Programs

- a. In which documents or other reference materials are the policies governing eligibility, selection, and admissions to any special-purpose section 8 program administered by the PHA contained? (select all that apply)
- X The Section 8 Administrative Plan
- X Briefing sessions and written materials
- Other (list below)
- b. How does the PHA announce the availability of any special-purpose section 8 programs to the public?
- X Through published notices
- X Other (list below) Letters to local agencies.

4. PHA Rent Determination Policies

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (d)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions: PHAs that do not administer public housing are not required to complete sub-component 4A.

(1) Income Based Rent Policies

Describe the PHA's income based rent setting policy/ies for public housing using, including discretionary (that is, not required by statute or regulation) income disregards and exclusions, in the appropriate spaces below.

- a. Use of discretionary policies: (select one)
- X The PHA will not employ any discretionary rent-setting policies for income based rent in public housing. Income-based rents are set at the higher of 30% of adjusted monthly income, 10% of unadjusted monthly income, the welfare rent, or minimum rent (less HUD mandatory deductions and exclusions). (If selected, skip to sub-component (2))

---or---

The PHA employs discretionary policies for determining income based rent (If selected, continue to question b.)

b. Minimum Rent

1. What amount best reflects the PHA's minimum rent? (select one)

- \$0

 X
 \$1-\$25
 - \$26-\$50
- 2. Yes X No: Has the PHA adopted any discretionary minimum rent hardship exemption policies?
- 3. If yes to question 2, list these policies below:
- c. Rents set at less than 30% than adjusted income
- 1. Yes X No: Does the PHA plan to charge rents at a fixed amount or percentage less than 30% of adjusted income?

2. If yes to above, list the amounts or percentages charged and the circumstances under which these will be used below:

d.	Which of the discretionary (optional) deductions and/or exclusions policies does the PHA plan to employ (select all that apply)
X	For the earned income of a previously unemployed household member For increases in earned income
	Fixed amount (other than general rent-setting policy) If yes, state amount/s and circumstances below:
	Fixed percentage (other than general rent-setting policy) If yes, state percentage/s and circumstances below:
	For household heads For other family members For transportation expenses For the non-reimbursed medical expenses of non-disabled or non-elderly families
	Other (describe below)

e. Ceiling rents

- 1. Do you have ceiling rents? (rents set at a level lower than 30% of adjusted income) (select one)
- Yes for all developments
 - Yes but only for some developments
- X No
- 2. For which kinds of developments are ceiling rents in place? (select all that apply)
 - For all developments
 - For all general occupancy developments (not elderly or disabled or elderly only)
 - For specified general occupancy developments
 - For certain parts of developments; e.g., the high-rise portion
 - For certain size units; e.g., larger bedroom sizes
 - Other (list below)
- 3. Select the space or spaces that best describe how you arrive at ceiling rents (select all that apply)

Market comparability study Fair market rents (FMR) 95 th percentile rents
75 percent of operating costs 100 percent of operating costs for general occupancy (family) developments
Operating costs plus debt service The "rental value" of the unit Other (list below)

- f. Rent re-determinations:
- 1. Between income reexaminations, how often must tenants report changes in income or family composition to the PHA such that the changes result in an adjustment to rent? (select all that apply)
- Never
- X At family option
- X Any time the family experiences an income increase
- Any time a family experiences an income increase above a threshold amount or percentage: (if selected, specify threshold)_____
- Other (list below)
- g. Yes X No: Does the PHA plan to implement individual savings accounts for residents (ISAs) as an alternative to the required 12 month disallowance of earned income and phasing in of rent increases in the next year?

(2) Flat Rents

- 1. In setting the market-based flat rents, what sources of information did the PHA use to establish comparability? (select all that apply.)
- X The section 8 rent reasonableness study of comparable housing
- X Survey of rents listed in local newspaper
 - Survey of similar unassisted units in the neighborhood
 - Other (list/describe below)

B. Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance

Exemptions: PHAs that do not administer Section 8 tenant-based assistance are not required to complete sub-component 4B. Unless otherwise specified, all questions in this section apply only to the tenant-based section 8 assistance program (vouchers, and until completely merged into the voucher program, certificates).

(1) Payment Standards

Describe the voucher payment standards and policies.

a.	What is the PHA's payment standard? (select the category that best describes your
st	andard)

- At or above 90% but below100% of FMR
- X 100% of FMR
- Above 100% but at or below 110% of FMR
- Above 110% of FMR (if HUD approved; describe circumstances below)
- b. If the payment standard is lower than FMR, why has the PHA selected this standard? (select all that apply)
- FMRs are adequate to ensure success among assisted families in the PHA's segment of the FMR area
- The PHA has chosen to serve additional families by lowering the payment standard
- Reflects market or submarket
- Other (list below)
- c. If the payment standard is higher than FMR, why has the PHA chosen this level? (select all that apply)
- FMRs are not adequate to ensure success among assisted families in the PHA's segment of the FMR area
 - Reflects market or submarket
 -] To increase housing options for families
 - Other (list below)
- d. How often are payment standards reevaluated for adequacy? (select one)
- X Annually
- Other (list below)
- e. What factors will the PHA consider in its assessment of the adequacy of its payment standard? (select all that apply)
- X Success rates of assisted families
- X Rent burdens of assisted families
- Other (list below)

(2) Minimum Rent

a. What amount best reflects the PHA's minimum rent? (select one)

 \$0

 X
 \$1-\$25

 \$26-\$50

b. Yes X No: Has the PHA adopted any discretionary minimum rent hardship exemption policies? (if yes, list below)

5. Operations and Management

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (e)]

Exemptions from Component 5: High performing and small PHAs are not required to complete this section. Section 8 only PHAs must complete parts A, B, and C(2)

A. PHA Management Structure

Describe the PHA's management structure and organization. (select one)

- X An organization chart showing the PHA's management structure and organization is attached.
 - A brief description of the management structure and organization of the PHA follows:

B. HUD Programs Under PHA Management

List Federal programs administered by the PHA, number of families served at the beginning of the upcoming fiscal year, and expected turnover in each. (Use "NA" to indicate that the PHA does not operate any of the programs listed below.)

Program Name	Units or Families Served at Year	Expected Turnover
	Beginning	
Public Housing	1306	70
Section 8 Vouchers	1200	56
Section 8 Certificates	N/A	N/A
Section 8 Mod Rehab		
Special Purpose Section		
8 Certificates/Vouchers		
(list individually)		
Public Housing Drug		
Elimination Program		
(PHDEP)		
Other Federal		

Programs(list individually)	

C. Management and Maintenance Policies

List the PHA's public housing management and maintenance policy documents, manuals and handbooks that contain the Agency's rules, standards, and policies that govern maintenance and management of public housing, including a description of any measures necessary for the prevention or eradication of pest infestation (which includes cockroach infestation) and the policies governing Section 8 management.

(1) Public Housing Maintenance and Management: (list below)

Admissions and Occupancy, Procurement Manual, Preventive Maintenance Manual.

(2) Section 8 Management: (list below)

Administrative Plan Section Desk Guide

6. PHA Grievance Procedures

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (f)]

Exemptions from component 6: High performing PHAs are not required to complete component 6. Section 8-Only PHAs are exempt from sub-component 6A.

A. Public Housing

1. Yes X No: Has the PHA established any written grievance procedures in addition to federal requirements found at 24 CFR Part 966, Subpart B, for residents of public housing?

If yes, list additions to federal requirements below:

- 2. Which PHA office should residents or applicants to public housing contact to initiate the PHA grievance process? (select all that apply)
- X PHA main administrative office
 - PHA development management offices
 - Other (list below)

B. Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance

1. Yes X No: Has the PHA established informal review procedures for applicants to the Section 8 tenant-based assistance program and informal hearing procedures for families assisted by the Section 8 tenantbased assistance program in addition to federal requirements found at 24 CFR 982?

If yes, list additions to federal requirements below:

- 2. Which PHA office should applicants or assisted families contact to initiate the informal review and informal hearing processes? (select all that apply)
- X PHA main administrative office
- Other (list below)

7. Capital Improvement Needs

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (g)]

Exemptions from Component 7: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this component and may skip to Component 8.

A. Capital Fund Activities

Exemptions from sub-component 7A: PHAs that will not participate in the Capital Fund Program may skip to component 7B. All other PHAs must complete 7A as instructed.

(1) Capital Fund Program Annual Statement

Using parts I, II, and III of the Annual Statement for the Capital Fund Program (CFP), identify capital activities the PHA is proposing for the upcoming year to ensure long-term physical and social viability of its public housing developments. This statement can be completed by using the CFP Annual Statement tables provided in the table library at the end of the PHA Plan template **OR**, at the PHA's option, by completing and attaching a properly updated HUD-52837.

Select one:

X The Capital Fund Program Annual Statement is provided as an attachment to the PHA Plan at Attachment (state name)

-or-

The Capital Fund Program Annual Statement is provided below: (if selected, copy the CFP Annual Statement from the Table Library and insert here)

(2) Optional 5-Year Action Plan

Agencies are encouraged to include a 5-Year Action Plan covering capital work items. This statement can be completed by using the 5 Year Action Plan table provided in the table library at the end of the PHA Plan template **OR** by completing and attaching a properly updated HUD-52834.

a. X Yes No: Is the PHA providing an optional 5-Year Action Plan for the Capital Fund? (if no, skip to sub-component 7B)

b. If yes to question a, select one:

- The Capital Fund Program 5-Year Action Plan is provided as an attachment to the PHA Plan at Attachment (state name
- -or-

The Capital Fund Program 5-Year Action Plan is provided below: (if selected, copy the CFP optional 5 Year Action Plan from the Table Library and insert here)

B. HOPE VI and Public Housing Development and Replacement Activities (Non-Capital Fund)

Applicability of sub-component 7B: All PHAs administering public housing. Identify any approved HOPE VI and/or public housing development or replacement activities not described in the Capital Fund Program Annual Statement.

skip t each b) Status	e PHA received a HOPE VI revitalization grant? (if no, o question c; if yes, provide responses to question b for grant, copying and completing as many times as necessary) s of HOPE VI revitalization grant (complete one set of ions for each grant)
2. Developm	ent name: Pioneer Homes and Migliore Manor ent (project) number: NJ39URD0031197 rant: (select the statement that best describes the current Revitalization Plan under development Revitalization Plan submitted, pending approval Revitalization Plan approved Activities pursuant to an approved Revitalization Plan underway
in the	ne PHA plan to apply for a HOPE VI Revitalization grant Plan year? , list development name/s below:
activi	te PHA be engaging in any mixed-finance development ties for public housing in the Plan year? , list developments or activities below:

Yes X No: e) Will the PHA be conducting any other public housing development or replacement activities not discussed in the Capital Fund Program Annual Statement? If yes, list developments or activities below:

8. <u>Demolition and Disposition</u>

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (h)]

Applicability of component 8: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

1. X Yes No: Does the PHA plan to conduct any demolition or disposition activities (pursuant to section 18 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437p)) in the plan Fiscal Year? (If "No", skip to component 9; if "yes", complete one activity description for each development.)

2. Activity Description

Yes X No: Has the PHA provided the activities description information in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? (If "yes", skip to component 9. If "No", complete the Activity Description table below.)

Demolition/Disposition Activity Description
1a. Development name: PIONEER HOMES
1b. Development (project) number: NJ39URD003D199
2. Activity type: Demolition X
Disposition
3. Application status (select one)
Approved X
Submitted, pending approval
Planned application
4. Date application approved, submitted, or planned for submission: (09/13/99)
5. Number of units affected: 405
6. Coverage of action (select one)
Part of the development
X Total development
7. Timeline for activity:
a. Actual or projected start date of activity: December 20, 2000
b. Projected end date of activity: June 20, 2003

Demolition/Disposition Activity Description		
1a. Development name: MIGLIORE MANOR		
1b. Development (project) number: NJ39URD003D299		
2. Activity type: Demolition X		
Disposition		
3. Application status (select one)		
Approved X		
Submitted, pending approval		
Planned application		
4. Date application approved, submitted, or planned for submission: (09/13/99)		
5. Number of units affected: 405		
6. Coverage of action (select one)		
Part of the development		
X Total development		
7. Timeline for activity:		
a. Actual or projected start date of activity: December 20, 2000		
b. Projected end date of activity: December 31, 2003		

9. Designation of Public Housing for Occupancy by Elderly Families or Families with Disabilities or Elderly Families and Families with Disabilities

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (i)]

Exemptions from Component 9; Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

1. Yes X No:	Has the PHA designated or applied for approval to designate or
	does the PHA plan to apply to designate any public housing for
	occupancy only by the elderly families or only by families with
	disabilities, or by elderly families and families with disabilities
	or will apply for designation for occupancy by only elderly
	families or only families with disabilities, or by elderly families
	and families with disabilities as provided by section 7 of the
	U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437e) in the upcoming
	fiscal year? (If "No", skip to component 10. If "yes", complete
	one activity description for each development, unless the PHA is
	eligible to complete a streamlined submission; PHAs
	completing streamlined submissions may skip to component
	10.)

2. Activity Description

Yes X No:

Has the PHA provided all required activity description information for this component in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? If "yes", skip to component 10. If "No", complete the Activity Description table below.

Designation of Public Housing Activity Description
1a. Development name:
1b. Development (project) number:
2. Designation type:
Occupancy by only the elderly
Occupancy by families with disabilities
Occupancy by only elderly families and families with disabilities
3. Application status (select one)
Approved; included in the PHA's Designation Plan
Submitted, pending approval
Planned application
4. Date this designation approved, submitted, or planned for submission: (DD/MM/YY)
5. If approved, will this designation constitute a (select one)
New Designation Plan
Revision of a previously-approved Designation Plan?
6. Number of units affected:
7. Coverage of action (select one)
Part of the development
Total development

<u>10. Conversion of Public Housing to Tenant-Based Assistance</u>

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (j)] Exemptions from Component 10; Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

See Attachment – Other Information No. 9

A. Assessments of Reasonable Revitalization Pursuant to section 202 of the HUD FY 1996 HUD Appropriations Act

- 1. Yes X No: Have any of the PHA's developments or portions of developments been identified by HUD or the PHA as covered under section 202 of the HUD FY 1996 HUD Appropriations Act? (If "No", skip to component 11; if "yes", complete one activity description for each identified development, unless eligible to complete a streamlined submission. PHAs completing streamlined submissions may skip to component 11.)
- 2. Activity Description

Yes X No:Has the PHA provided all required activity description
information for this component in the **optional** Public Housing
Asset Management Table? If "yes", skip to component 11. If
"No", complete the Activity Description table below.

Conversion of Public Housing Activity Description
1a. Development name:
1b. Development (project) number:
2. What is the status of the required assessment?
Assessment underway
Assessment results submitted to HUD
Assessment results approved by HUD (if marked, proceed to next
question)
Other (explain below)
3. Yes No: Is a Conversion Plan required? (If yes, go to block 4; if no, go to
block 5.)
4. Status of Conversion Plan (select the statement that best describes the current
status)
Conversion Plan in development
Conversion Plan submitted to HUD on: (DD/MM/YYYY)
Conversion Plan approved by HUD on: (DD/MM/YYYY)
Activities pursuant to HUD-approved Conversion Plan underway
5. Description of how requirements of Section 202 are being satisfied by means other
than conversion (select one)
Units addressed in a pending or approved demolition application (date submitted or approved:
Units addressed in a pending or approved HOPE VI demolition application (date submitted or approved:)
Units addressed in a pending or approved HOPE VI Revitalization Plan
(date submitted or approved:)
Requirements no longer applicable: vacancy rates are less than 10 percent
Requirements no longer applicable: site now has less than 300 units
Other: (describe below)

B. Reserved for Conversions pursuant to Section 22 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937

C. Reserved for Conversions pursuant to Section 33 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937

<u>11. Homeownership Programs Administered by the PHA</u>

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (k)]

A. Public Housing

Exemptions from Component 11A: Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete 11A.

1. Yes X No: Does the PHA administer any homeownership programs administered by the PHA under an approved section 5(h) homeownership program (42 U.S.C. 1437c(h)), or an approved HOPE I program (42 U.S.C. 1437aaa) or has the PHA applied or plan to apply to administer any homeownership programs under section 5(h), the HOPE I program, or section 32 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437z-4). (If "No", skip to component 11B; if "yes", complete one activity description for each applicable program/plan, unless eligible to complete a streamlined submission due to **small PHA** or **high performing PHA** status. PHAs completing streamlined submissions may skip to component 11B.)

2. Activity Description

Yes No:

Has the PHA provided all required activity description information for this component in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table? (If "yes", skip to component 12. If "No", complete the Activity Description table below.)

Public Housing Homeownership Activity Description (Complete one for each development affected)
1a. Development name:
1b. Development (project) number:
2. Federal Program authority:
HOPE I
5(h)
Turnkey III
Section 32 of the USHA of 1937 (effective 10/1/99)
3. Application status: (select one)
Approved; included in the PHA's Homeownership Plan/Program
Submitted, pending approval
Planned application
4. Date Homeownership Plan/Program approved, submitted, or planned for submission:
(DD/MM/YYYY)
5. Number of units affected:

6. Coverage of action: (select one)
Part of the development
Total development

B. Section 8 Tenant Based Assistance

- 1. X Yes No: Does the PHA plan to administer a Section 8 Homeownership program pursuant to Section 8(y) of the U.S.H.A. of 1937, as implemented by 24 CFR part 982 ? (If "No", skip to component 12; if "yes", describe each program using the table below (copy and complete questions for each program identified), unless the PHA is eligible to complete a streamlined submission due to high performer status. **High performing PHAs** may skip to component 12.)
- 2. Program Description:
- a. Size of Program
- X Yes No:

Will the PHA limit the number of families participating in the section 8 homeownership option?

If the answer to the question above was yes, which statement best describes the number of participants? (select one)

- X 25 or fewer participants
 - 26 50 participants
 - 51 to 100 participants
 - more than 100 participants
- b. PHA-established eligibility criteria
- X Yes No: Will the PHA's program have eligibility criteria for participation in its
 - Section 8 Homeownership Option program in addition to HUD criteria?

If yes, list criteria below:

12. PHA Community Service and Self-sufficiency Programs

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (l)]

Exemptions from Component 12: High performing and small PHAs are not required to complete this component. Section 8-Only PHAs are not required to complete sub-component C.

A. PHA Coordination with the Welfare (TANF) Agency

- 1. Cooperative agreements:
- X Yes No: Has the PHA has entered into a cooperative agreement with the TANF Agency, to share information and/or target supportive services (as contemplated by section 12(d)(7) of the Housing Act of 1937)?

If yes, what was the date that agreement was signed? DD/MM/YY

- 2. Other coordination efforts between the PHA and TANF agency (select all that apply)
- X Client referrals
- X Information sharing regarding mutual clients (for rent determinations and otherwise)
- X Coordinate the provision of specific social and self-sufficiency services and programs to eligible families
- X Jointly administer programs
 - Partner to administer a HUD Welfare-to-Work voucher program
 - Joint administration of other demonstration program
 - Other (describe)

B. Services and programs offered to residents and participants

(1) General

a. Self-Sufficiency Policies

Which, if any of the following discretionary policies will the PHA employ to enhance the economic and social self-sufficiency of assisted families in the following areas? (select all that apply)

- Public housing rent determination policies
- Public housing admissions policies
- Section 8 admissions policies
- Preference in admission to section 8 for certain public housing families
- Preferences for families working or engaging in training or education programs for non-housing programs operated or coordinated by the PHA
- Preference/eligibility for public housing homeownership option participation
- X Preference/eligibility for section 8 homeownership option participation
- Other policies (list below)

b. Economic and Social self-sufficiency programs

X Yes No: Does the PHA coordinate, promote or provide any programs to enhance the economic and social self-sufficiency of residents? (If "yes", complete the following

table; if "no" skip to sub-component 2, Family Self Sufficiency Programs. The position of the table may be altered to facilitate its use.)

Services and Programs				
Program Name & Description (including location, if appropriate)	Estimated Size	Allocation Method (waiting list/random selection/specific criteria/other)	Access (development office / PHA main office / other provider name)	Eligibility (public housing or section 8 participants or both)

(2) Family Self Sufficiency program/s

a. Participation Description

Family Self Sufficiency (FSS) Participation				
Program	Required Number of Participants	Actual Number of Participants		
	(start of FY 2000 Estimate)	(As of: DD/MM/YY)		
Public Housing				
_				
Section 8				
	50	50		

b. X Yes No: If the PHA is not maintaining the minimum program size required by HUD, does the most recent FSS Action Plan address the steps the PHA plans to take to achieve at least the minimum program size? If no, list steps the PHA will take below:

C. Welfare Benefit Reductions

- 1. The PHA is complying with the statutory requirements of section 12(d) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (relating to the treatment of income changes resulting from welfare program requirements) by: (select all that apply)
- X Adopting appropriate changes to the PHA's public housing rent determination policies and train staff to carry out those policies
- X Informing residents of new policy on admission and reexamination
- X Actively notifying residents of new policy at times in addition to admission and reexamination.
- X Establishing or pursuing a cooperative agreement with all appropriate TANF agencies regarding the exchange of information and coordination of services
- X Establishing a protocol for exchange of information with all appropriate TANF agencies
- Other: (list below)

D. Reserved for Community Service Requirement pursuant to section 12(c) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937

13. PHA Safety and Crime Prevention Measures

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (m)]

Exemptions from Component 13: High performing and small PHAs not participating in PHDEP and Section 8 Only PHAs may skip to component 15. High Performing and small PHAs that are participating in PHDEP and are submitting a PHDEP Plan with this PHA Plan may skip to subcomponent D.

A. Need for measures to ensure the safety of public housing residents

- 1. Describe the need for measures to ensure the safety of public housing residents (select all that apply)
- X High incidence of violent and/or drug-related crime in some or all of the PHA's developments
- X High incidence of violent and/or drug-related crime in the areas surrounding or adjacent to the PHA's developments
- X Residents fearful for their safety and/or the safety of their children
- X Observed lower-level crime, vandalism and/or graffiti
- People on waiting list unwilling to move into one or more developments due to perceived and/or actual levels of violent and/or drug-related crime
- Other (describe below)
- 2. What information or data did the PHA used to determine the need for PHA actions to improve safety of residents (select all that apply).
- X Safety and security survey of residents

- X Analysis of crime statistics over time for crimes committed "in and around" public housing authority
 - Analysis of cost trends over time for repair of vandalism and removal of graffiti
 - Resident reports
- ____ PHA employee reports
- X Police reports
- X Demonstrable, quantifiable success with previous or ongoing anticrime/anti drug programs
- Other (describe below)
- 3. Which developments are most affected? (list below) NJ3-1 MRAVLAG MANOR

B. Crime and Drug Prevention activities the PHA has undertaken or plans to undertake in the next PHA fiscal year

1. List the crime prevention activities the PHA has undertaken or plans to undertake: (select all that apply)

- Contracting with outside and/or resident organizations for the provision of crime- and/or drug-prevention activities
- X Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design
- X Activities targeted to at-risk youth, adults, or seniors
 - Volunteer Resident Patrol/Block Watchers Program
 - Other (describe below)
- 2. Which developments are most affected? (list below) NJ3-1 Mravlag Manor

C. Coordination between PHA and the police

1. Describe the coordination between the PHA and the appropriate police precincts for carrying out crime prevention measures and activities: (select all that apply)

- X Police involvement in development, implementation, and/or ongoing evaluation of drug-elimination plan
- X Police provide crime data to housing authority staff for analysis and action
- X Police have established a physical presence on housing authority property (e.g., community policing office, officer in residence)
- X Police regularly testify in and otherwise support eviction cases
- X Police regularly meet with the PHA management and residents
- X Agreement between PHA and local law enforcement agency for provision of above-baseline law enforcement services
- Other activities (list below)
- 2. Which developments are most affected? (list below)

D. Additional information as required by PHDEP/PHDEP Plan

PHAs eligible for FY 2000 PHDEP funds must provide a PHDEP Plan meeting specified requirements prior to receipt of PHDEP funds.

Yes No: Is the PHA eligible to participate in the PHDEP in the fiscal year
covered by this PHA Plan?
Yes No: Has the PHA included the PHDEP Plan for FY 2000 in this PHA
Plan?
Yes No: This PHDEP Plan is an Attachment. (Attachment Filename:

14. RESERVED FOR PET POLICY

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (n)]

15. Civil Rights Certifications

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (o)]

Civil rights certifications are included in the PHA Plan Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations.

16. Fiscal Audit

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (p)]

- 1. X Yes No: Is the PHA required to have an audit conducted under section 5(h)(2) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U S.C. 1437c(h))? (If no, skip to component 17.)
- 2. X Yes No: Was the most recent fiscal audit submitted to HUD?
- 3. Yes X No: Were there any findings as the result of that audit?
- 4. Yes X No: If there were any findings, do any remain unresolved? If yes, how many unresolved findings remain?____
- 5. Yes No: Have responses to any unresolved findings been submitted to HUD?

If not, when are they due (state below)?

17. PHA Asset Management

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (q)]

Exemptions from component 17: Section 8 Only PHAs are not required to complete this component. High performing and small PHAs are not required to complete this component.

- 1. X Yes No: Is the PHA engaging in any activities that will contribute to the long-term asset management of its public housing stock, including how the Agency will plan for long-term operating, capital investment, rehabilitation, modernization, disposition, and other needs that have **not** been addressed elsewhere in this PHA Plan?
- 2. What types of asset management activities will the PHA undertake? (select all that apply)
- Not applicable
- X Private management
- X Development-based accounting
- X Comprehensive stock assessment
- X Other: (list below)
- 3. Yes X No: Has the PHA included descriptions of asset management activities in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table?

<u>18. Other Information</u>

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (r)]

A. Resident Advisory Board Recommendations

- 1. X Yes No: Did the PHA receive any comments on the PHA Plan from the Resident Advisory Board/s?
- 2. If yes, the comments are: (if comments were received, the PHA MUST select one)
- X Attached at Attachment (File name)
- Provided below:
- 3. In what manner did the PHA address those comments? (select all that apply)
- Considered comments, but determined that no changes to the PHA Plan were necessary.
- X The PHA changed portions of the PHA Plan in response to comments List changes below:
- Other: (list below)

B. Description of Election process for Residents on the PHA Board N/A

1. 🗌 Yes X No:	Does the PHA meet the exemption criteria provided section 2(b)(2) of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937? (If no, continue to question 2; if yes, skip to sub-component C.)
2. 🗌 Yes X No:	Was the resident who serves on the PHA Board elected by the residents? (If yes, continue to question 3; if no, skip to sub-component C.)

3. Description of Resident Election Process

a. Nomination of candidates for place on the ballot: (select all that apply)

Candidates were nominated by resident and assisted family organizations

- Candidates could be nominated by any adult recipient of PHA assistance
- Self-nomination: Candidates registered with the PHA and requested a place on ballot
- Other: (describe)

b. Eligible candidates: (select one)

- Any recipient of PHA assistance
- Any head of household receiving PHA assistance
- Any adult recipient of PHA assistance
- Any adult member of a resident or assisted family organization
- Other (list)

c. Eligible voters: (select all that apply)

- All adult recipients of PHA assistance (public housing and section 8 tenantbased assistance)
 - Representatives of all PHA resident and assisted family organizationsOther (list)

C. Statement of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan

For each applicable Consolidated Plan, make the following statement (copy questions as many times as necessary).

- 1. Consolidated Plan jurisdiction: (provide name here) City of Elizabeth
- 2. The PHA has taken the following steps to ensure consistency of this PHA Plan with the Consolidated Plan for the jurisdiction: (select all that apply)
- X The PHA has based its statement of needs of families in the jurisdiction on the needs expressed in the Consolidated Plan/s.
- X The PHA has participated in any consultation process organized and offered by the Consolidated Plan agency in the development of the Consolidated Plan.

- X The PHA has consulted with the Consolidated Plan agency during the development of this PHA Plan.
- X Activities to be undertaken by the PHA in the coming year are consistent with the initiatives contained in the Consolidated Plan. (list below)
- Other: (list below)
- 4. The Consolidated Plan of the jurisdiction supports the PHA Plan with the following actions and commitments: (describe below)

D. Other Information Required by HUD

Use this section to provide any additional information requested by HUD.

Attachments

No. 1 Resident Advisory Board Membership

Name Represented Site

Cauleth Morrison	Mravlag Manor
Wynona Ancrum	Portside Commons – HOPE VI
Cecelia Frazier	Migliore Manor
Brenda Austin	Portside Commons – HOPE VI
Morita Bryant	Farley Towers
Ruby Baez	Section 8 Program
Clara Robinson	O'Donnell Dempsey
Angela Cornier	Ford Leonard Towers
Catherine Hart	Housing Authority of the City of Elizabeth
William Jones	Housing Authority of the City of Elizabeth

No. 2 Resident Memebership of the PHA Governing Board

Wynona Ancrum Term Expiration 04-29-03 Portside Commons – HOPE VI

Cecelia Frazier Term Expiration 01-01-06 Migliore Manor

Elizabeth Pollard Term Expiration 02-16-06

Portside Commons - HOPE VI

No. 3 Implementation of Community Service Requirements

Residents have been informed that the community service component will not be in place during the 2003 fiscal year.

No. 4 Deconcentration of Poverty and Income Mixing in Public Housing

All developments have average incomes that are below 30% of the median income. In the cases where average incomes in a development are above the established income range they will still remain below 30% of the area median income.

No. 5 Statement of Program in Meeting 5 Year Plan Mission and Goals

For the upcoming year, the Authority will maintain it's current rate percentage of 100% for both utilization and budget.

The overall PHAS score for 2002 was 92% with each component as follows:

Physical25Finance30Management28Resident9

No. 6 Pet Policy

The following provision will take place effective July 1, 2001

- Dogs, cats, birds and fish are now permitted
- Dogs and cats have to be register with Management
- Dogs may not be more than 40 pounds when fully grown
- Tenants must post a \$200.00 security deposit for Dogs and Cats and \$50.00 for Fish and Birds.
- Dogs must be on a leash when outside
- Vicious dogs and potentially vicious dogs are not allowed (No Pit Bulls, Doberman Pinchers, Rottweillers or the like)

EXCEPTIONS: Any animal that is specifically trained to assist, support or provide service to persons with disabilities may be kept.

No. 7 Section Homeownership Capacity Statement

The Housing Authority of the City of Elizabeth has met with other local agencies to develop operating plans and procedures under this initiative.

In the event the program becomes operational within the next annual plan period capacity is here by set forth by the following, which demonstrates the ability to operate the program.

- Significant Section 8 operating reserves
- Ability to pass without findings all Section 8 audits
- Recent staff build up and training to handle 3 year increase by 33% of new program vouchers.

 Reliance on HOPE VI developed Homeownership programs and services.

No. 8 Resident Advisory Board Comments

- Residents at NJ 3-5 requested a bike rack.
- Drug Elimination activities should continue.
- All senior sites elevators need to be upgraded.
- Hallways stairs need upgrading at Mravlag Manor.
- Continue Landscape maintenance at all sties.
- Kitchen upgrades should occur at all sites.
- Security cameras should be installed at Mravlag Manor
- Access gates should remain open at O'Donnell Dempsey.

No. 9 Voluntary Conversion

	Name	Units	Assessment	Result
1.	Pioneer Homes	407	N/A	Hope VI
2.	Mravlag Manor	425	Conversion inapp	ropriate
3.	Migliore Manor	250	N/A	Hope VI
4.	Farley Towers	250	Conversion inapp	ropriate
5.	Kennedy Arms	125	Conversion inapp	ropriate
6.	Ford Leonard	126	Conversion inapp	ropriate
7.	O'Donnel Dempsey	100	Conversion inapp	ropriate
8.	Portside Commons	57	N/A	Hope VI
9.	Westport Homes	79	N/A	Hope VI
10.	Marina Village	20	N/A	Hope VI

A certification dated September 25, 2001 was executed and submitted to HUD concluded that for 2,4,5,6,7 above conversion would be inappropriate according to guidelines set forth at 24CFR972.

Section 8 Homeownership Option

A. DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY:

1) New or existing participants in HACE's Section 8 Program

There are essentially two levels of qualification. The family must initially qualify for the HACE's Section 8 Voucher Program. The second layer of qualification is those requirements specific to the Section 8 Homeownership Program, as herein detailed.

The family must be in good standing with the Authority (no major lease or family obligation violations within past six months).

Family has signed the Statement of Family Obligations form for the program.

The Housing Authority reserves the right to limit participation in the Section 8 Homeownership Program.

2) Credit History & Readiness

Family has an acceptable credit history (Families unable to meet this criteria initially will be referred to credit counseling, and then reconsidered for the program).

Family is determined "mortgage ready." This means based on a review by HACE staff, the family would likely qualify for a mortgage based on its income and housing prices applicable to the size house the family requires.

3) First Time Homebuyer

The program is available to families who qualify as "first time homebuyers." The assisted family cannot include anyone who has had a "present ownership interest" for three years prior to the beginning of the homeownership assistance. A first time homebuyer can include a single parent who when married owned a home with their spouse. **NOTE:** The first time requirement may be waived for a family with a disabled member if it is necessary to make a reasonable accommodation.

4) Family Income

Minimum Income Requirement:

All adults who will own the home must have a gross annual income equal to or greater than:

•

Minimum income standard for elderly or disabled family:

• The monthly SSI payment for an individual living alone * 12

<u>Eligible Income:</u>

A family (not elderly or disabled) cannot count welfare assistance income when trying to meet the minimum income requirement, but can count welfare assistance income in determining eligibility for the Section 8 voucher program, in determining total tenant payment (gross family contribution), and in determining amount of HAP. <u>NOTE:</u> Elderly or disabled family CAN count welfare assistance income for those family members that hold an ownership interest in the home.

5) Employment

HACE will require that a member of the family who will have an ownership interest must demonstrate a minimum of one-year full time employment. Please be aware that there is a good chance that your lender will require a history of two-years full time employment. There also instances where a lender may consider a full or partial waiver on the second year employment if the family participates in a FSS program. <u>NOTE</u>: The minimum employment requirement does not apply to an elderly or disabled family.

B. REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM

1) Pre-purchase Homeownership Counseling

The family must complete homeownership counseling before purchasing a home. The family may choose from any of the HUD approved housing counseling agencies in New Jersey. While working on their monthly budget during counseling, the family must be able to demonstrate to HACE that they will be able to finance regular maintenance, major repairs, and replacements.

2) Downpayment

Family has sufficient resources to pay a down payment equal to 3% of the purchase price of a typical home that meets their family household size, and closing costs. At least 1% of these funds must come from the family's personal resources. <u>Note:</u> At the discretion of the Housing Authority, elderly or disabled persons may be exempt from this requirement.

3) Approval of Seller

HACE reserves the right to disapprove of a seller if he/she has been debarred, suspended, or subject to limited denial under (citation).

4) Compliance with Section 8 Voucher Program Regulations

In general the family will be required to comply with the regulations governing the Section 8 Voucher *Program as stated in 24 CFR 982.551.*

C. CONSIDERATIONS FOR SELECTING A HOME

- Participant may choose a newly constructed home provided that the house was under construction at the time HACE determined the participant eligible for the program.
- The unit must be a single family unit, which includes condominiums and co-ops.
- The unit passes a HACE Housing Quality Standards (HQS) inspection.
- The unit also passes an independent inspection performed by a New Jersey certified housing inspector selected by the family. The family is responsible for covering the cost of the inspection.
- HACE must receive and review a copy of the independent inspection. HACE reserves the right to disapprove the unit based on the inspection report, even if the unit passes the HQS inspection.

D. TIMEFRAME FOR HOUSE HUNTING

The family will be given six months to locate and purchase a home. Extensions to this will be given on a case-by-case basis depending on the effort made by the family to find a suitable home. The family will be required to provide the Authority with bi-weekly reports on their progress.

If the six-month period expires, the participant may re-apply to the Section 8 Homeownership Program based upon program availability. Re-application will be contingent upon meeting specific criteria, i.e. failure to locate a home was of no fault of the participant. Failure to locate a home due to negligence or default on program requirements will require a one year waiting period for re-application.

1) Issuing a Voucher in Lieu of Homeownership Assistance

The family will be provided a voucher for rental assistance if they are unable to find and purchase a home under this program. If you are already on the program and receiving rental assistance benefits, your assistance remains intact. If you have qualified for the Section 8 Program but have not received rental assistance a Voucher will be issued to you for rental assistance.

E. CONTRACT OF SALE

HACE must receive and review a copy of the contract of sale entered into by one or more members of the family.

The Contract must specify the price and the seller's terms of sale.

The Contract must provide that the purchaser will arrange for an independent inspection by an inspector selected by the purchaser.

The Contract must state the purchaser is not obligated to purchase the unit unless the inspection is satisfactory to the purchaser.

The Contract must state that the purchaser is not responsible for any required repairs.

The Contract must provide a certification from the seller that the seller has not been debarred, suspended, or subject to a limited denial of participation under part 24 (correct citation).

F. FINANCING THE PURCHASE OF A HOME

1) Qualified Lender

The mortgage must be provided, insured, or guaranteed by the state or federal government; comply with secondary mortgage market underwriting requirements; or comply with generally accepted private sector underwriting standards.

2) Affordability

The mortgage must be affordable to the family. The Authority will determine affordability by taking into consideration the monthly homeownership expense plus all other monthly financial obligations of the family. HACE reserves the right to disapprove proposed financing.

3) Prohibited Financing

HACE will not approve balloon payment mortgages and variable rate mortgages.

4) Three Ways to Qualify with HAP

- Borrower's net housing obligation is calculated based on their earned income and the HAP deduction from the PITI this option reduces the borrower's debt to income ratio because the monthly debt service is lower (from the HAP deduction).
- Borrower's income is calculated by adding the monthly HAP payment to their earned income, and can be grossed-up 25%
- Two Mortgage Option: The borrower qualifies using only earned income and the HAP is used to pay the principal and interest on the second mortgage exclusively. Their earned income pays the first mortgage and the second mortgage is paid off when the 15 years of assistance expires eliminating any shock to the borrower when the HAP stops.

G. HOMEOWNERSHIP ASSISTANCE PAYMENT

1) Maximum Monthly Obligation

HACE will use the payment standard (maximum rent) schedule applicable to the Section 8 Voucher Program to determine the maximum allowable monthly obligation under the Homeownership Program. This payment standard will be the lesser of: the payment standard for the family unit size OR the payment standard for the size of the home.

2) Homeownership Expenses

The monthly homeownership obligation can include, and is limited to, the following expenses: principal and interest on mortgage debt, mortgage insurance, real estate taxes, an allowance for maintenance costs and repairs, HACE determined utility allowance, principal and interest on debt incurred to finance major capital improvements or replacements.

3) Total Family Contribution

The family's monthly contribution to the PITI payment cannot exceed 30% of their income.

4) Monthly Payment

The maximum monthly obligation cannot exceed HACE's Section 8 Voucher Program payment standard. The HAP will be the lower of: the payment standard less the total family contribution OR the family's monthly homeownership expenses less the total family contribution.

HACE will send the HAP directly to the Mortgage Company

Per Section 982.635 (e), homeownership assistance for a family terminates automatically 180 calendar days after the last homeownership assistance payment on behalf of the family.

5) Two Ways to Use Section 8 Assistance:

- Continuing Homeownership Assistance Payments: HACE can offer Homeownership Assistance Payments to a qualifying family, guaranteed for 15 years for a 30 year mortgage (10 years for a 20 year mortgage). <u>NOTE:</u> The maximum term of assistance does not apply to elderly or disabled families.
- Downpayment Assistance Grant: In lieu of continuing homeownership assistance payments, HACE may make a one-time grant to the purchasing family equal to the sum of 12 months of the Housing Assistance Payment that would be paid to that particular family. This option is not yet available but will become available when HUD releases notice that it has appropriated funds for this purpose.

H. POST-PURCHASE REQUIREMENTS

1) Post Purchase Counseling

The family will be required to participate in ongoing homeownership counseling after they have purchased the home. This requirement will help to ensure that the family is able to retain ownership of their home and meet the daily demands of homeownership.

2) Continued Occupancy

HACE will make the HAP available only when the family is residing in the unit.

3) Mortgage Compliance

The family must comply with the terms of the mortgage. In the event of

default the family has an obligation to notify HACE immediately.

4) Continued Communication with HACE

- The family must notify HACE of its monthly homeownership expenses including any temporary or permanent changes in those expenses.
- The family must also notify HACE if it decides to refinance their home or if they satisfy the terms of their mortgage.
- In accordance with 24 CFR 982.551 (h) and (i) the family must notify HACE if there is any sale or transfer of ownership interest in the home.
- The family must notify HACE of default on any debt incurred to finance the purchase of the home.

5) Ownership of Second Residence

While the family is receiving homeownership assistance from HACE they are prohibited from owning a second residence.

4) Death of a Family Member with an Ownership Interest

In the event that a family member with an ownership interest dies, the remaining family members may retain ownership and occupancy of the unit pending the settlement of the deceased members estate. This provision assumes that settlement of the estate will not involve transfer of title.

I. PORTABILITY

A family that qualifies for Section 8 Homeownership Assistance may purchase a home outside of HACE's jurisdiction if the Housing Authority in the jurisdiction that they select administers a Section 8 Homeownership Program and is accepting new families.

The family must attend a briefing and counseling session with the receiving PHA. The receiving PHA will have the right to reject a unit that the family may select.

J. DENIAL OR TERMINATION OF ASSISTANCE

HACE may terminate homeownership assistance under the same guidelines that govern the Section 8 Voucher program, including but not limited to fraud in connection with Federally assisted housing and criminal activity.

HACE will terminate homeownership assistance to a family if they default on their mortgage. HACE may provide rental assistance to the family if the default was not on an FHA-insured mortgage, can demonstrate that they conveyed title to the home to HUD or HUD's designee, and can demonstrate that they moved from the home within a specified time period.

Use this section to provide any additional attachments referenced in the Plans.

PHA Plan Table Library

Component 7 Capital Fund Program Annual Statement Parts I, II, and II

Annual Statement Capital Fund Program (CFP) Part I: Summary

Capital Fund Grant Number FFY of Grant Approval: (07/01/03)

X Revised Annual Statement

Line No.	Summary by Development Account	Total Estimated
		Cost
1	Total Non-CGP Funds	0
2	1406 Operations	0
3	1408 Management Improvements	\$418,183.42
4	1410 Administration	\$278,788.95
5	1411 Audit	0
6	1415 Liquidated Damages	0
7	1430 Fees and Costs	\$20,000.00
8	1440 Site Acquisition	0
9	1450 Site Improvement	\$12,000.00
10	1460 Dwelling Structures	\$1,381,417.13
11	1465.1 Dwelling Equipment-Nonexpendable	\$19,000.00
12	1470 Nondwelling Structures	\$627,500.00
13	1475 Nondwelling Equipment	\$31,000.00
14	1485 Demolition	0
15	1490 Replacement Reserve	0
16	1492 Moving to Work Demonstration	0
17	1495.1 Relocation Costs	0
18	1498 Mod Used for Development	0
19	1502 Contingency	0
20	Amount of Annual Grant (Sum of lines 2-19)	\$2,787,889.50
21	Amount of line 20 Related to LBP Activities	0
22	Amount of line 20 Related to Section 504 Compliance	0
23	Amount of line 20 Related to Security	0
24	Amount of line 20 Related to Energy Conservation	0
	Measures	

Development Number/Name HA-Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work Categories	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
NJ 3-1	Consultant Services	1430	\$20,000.00
Mravlag Manor	Upgrade Kitchens Repaint Bricks & Waterproof Buildings	1460 1470	\$415,000.00 \$68,000.00
	Replace Apartments Windows	1470 1470	\$200,000.00
	Paint Apartments and Common Areas	1470	\$20,000.00
	Replace Concrete/Landscaping	1470	\$7,000.00
	Maintenance Equipment	1475	<u>\$8,000.00</u>
	Total		\$738,000.00

Development Number/ Name HA Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
NJ 3-3 Migliore Manor	Paint Apartments and Common Areas Maintenance Equipment	1470 1475	\$ 4,000.00 \$ 4,000.00 <u>\$ 8,000.00</u>
	Total:		

Development Number/ Name HA Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
NJ 3-4	Upgrade Bathrooms	1460	\$ 250,000.00
Farley Towers	Upgrade Electrical System	1460	\$ 67,000.00
	Replace Lift Elevator	1470	\$ 20,000.00
	Paint Apartments and Common Areas	1470	\$ 13,000.00
	Maintenance Equipment	1475	<u>\$ 6,000.00</u>
	Total:		\$ 356,000.00

Development Number/ Name HA Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
NJ 3-5 Kennedy Arms	Install Handrails in Corridors Install Water Softeners and Strainers Upgrade Bathrooms	1470 1470 1460	 \$ 20,000.00 \$ 4,000.00 \$ 225,000.00
	Replace Appliances Paint Apartments and Common Areas Maintenance Equipment	1465.1 1470 1475	 \$ 7,000.00 \$ 20,000.00 \$ 4,000.00
	Upgrade Elevators Total:	1470	\$ 152,500.00 \$ 432,500.00

Development Number/ Name HA Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
NJ 3-6 Ford-Leonard Towers	Asbestos Floor Tile Cleanup Upgrade Bathrooms Replace Appliances Paint Apartments and Common Areas Maintenance Equipment	1460 1460 1465.1 1470 1475	 \$ 104,000.00 \$ 300,000.00 \$ 5,000.00 \$ 15,000.00 \$ 4,000.00
	Total:		\$ 428,000.00

Development Number/ Name HA Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
HA Wide Activities NJ 3-8 O'Donnell Dempsey	Install Water Softeners and Strainers Replace Door Hardware Build Retaining Wall/Connect to Sewer Replace Appliances Paint Apartments and Common Areas Maintenance Equipment Total:	Number 1470 1460 1450 1465.1 1470 1475	Cost \$ 4,000.00 \$ 80,417.13 \$ 12,000.00 \$ 7,000.00 \$ 20,000.00 \$ 5,000.00 \$ 128,417.13

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Development Number/Name HA-Wide Activities	All Funds Obligated (Quarter Ending Date)	All Funds Expended (Quarter Ending Date)

Optional Table for 5-Year Action Plan for Capital Fund (Component 7)

Complete one table for each development in which work is planned in the next 5 PHA fiscal years. Complete a table for any PHA-wide physical or management improvements planned in the next 5 PHA fiscal year. Copy this table as many times as necessary. Note: PHAs need not include information from Year One of the 5-Year cycle, because this information is included in the Capital Fund Program Annual Statement.

	Optional 5-Year Action	on Plan Tables		
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
Description of N Improvements	eeded Physical Improvements or I	Management	Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
Total actimated	cost over next 5 years			

Optional Public Housing Asset Management Table

See Technical Guidance for instructions on the use of this table, including information to be provided.

	Public Housing Asset Management							
Development Activity Description Identification Identification								
Name, Number, and Location	Number and Type of units	Capital Fund Program Parts II and III <i>Component 7a</i>	Development Activities Component 7b	Demolition / disposition Component 8	Designated housing Component 9	Conversion Component 10	Home- ownership Component 11a	Other (describe) <i>Component</i> 17

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Cap	ital Fund Program and Capital Fund F	Program Replacement 1	Housing Factor (CF	P/CFPRHF) Par	t 1: Summary
PHA N	lame:	Grant Type and Number	· · · ·	Federal FY of Grant:	
HOUS	ING AUTHOPRITY OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH	Capital Fund Program Grant No: N			2002
		Replacement Housing Factor Gran			
	ginal Annual Statement Reserve for Disasters/ Eme				
	formance and Evaluation Report for Period Ending: 1		nce and Evaluation Report		
Line	Summary by Development Account	Total Estimate	ed Cost	Total Ac	tual Cost
No.		Original	Revised	Obligated	Expended
1	Total non-CFP Funds	Original	Keviseu	Obligated	Expended
$\frac{1}{2}$	1406 Operations				
3	1400 Operations 1408 Management Improvements Soft Costs	464,468.00	464,468.00	418,000.00	33,028.00
3	Management Improvements Hard Costs	404,408.00	404,408.00	418,000.00	35,028.00
4	1410 Administration	309,765.00	309,765.00	309,000.00	24,899.00
4 5	1410 Administration 1411 Audit	309,703.00	509,705.00	309,000.00	24,899.00
<u>5</u> 6	1411 Addit 1415 Liquidated Damages				
0 07	1415 Eightdated Damages	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00	0.00
8	1450 Fees and Costs 1440 Site Acquisition	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00	0.00
<u>0</u> 9	1440 Site Acquisition 1450 Site Improvement	5,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
9 10	1450 Site Improvement 1460 Dwelling Structures	2,156,242.00	2,156,242.00	376,000.00	128,346.00
10	1465.1 Dwelling Equipment—Nonexpendable	34,000.00	34,000.00	34,000.00	0.00
12	1465.1 Dwenning Equipment—Nonexpendable	79,000.00	79000.00	79,000.00	0.00
12	1475 Nondwelling Equipment	29,000.00	29,000.00	•	280.00
13	1475 Nondweining Equipment 1485 Demolition	29,000.00	29,000.00	21,000.00	280.00
14					
15	1490 Replacement Reserve 1492 Moving to Work Demonstration				
10	1492 Moving to work Demonstration 1495.1 Relocation Costs				
18 19	1499 Development Activities				
19	1502 Contingency				
	Amount of Annual Grant: (sum of lines)	3,097,655.00	3,097,655.00	1,240,000.00	189,553.00
	Amount of line XX Related to LBP Activities				
	Amount of line XX Related to Section 504 compliance				
	Amount of line XX Related to Security –Soft Costs	199,000.00	199,000.00	199,000.00	2,621.00
	Amount of Line XX related to Security Hard Costs				
	Amount of line XX Related to Energy Conservation Measures				
	Collateralization Expenses or Debt Service				

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_	Capital Fund Program Replacement Housing Factor (CFP/CFPRHF) Part 1: Summary PHA Name: Grant Type and Number Federal FY of Grant:									
HOUS	ING AUTHOPRITY OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH	Capital Fund Program Grant N	No: NJ39P00350102		2002					
		Replacement Housing Factor (
	ginal Annual Statement Reserve for Disasters/ Emer									
∐∐Per	formance and Evaluation Report for Period Ending: 1	2/31/2002 Final Perform	mance and Evaluation Rep	ort						
Line	Summary by Development Account	Total Estin	nated Cost	Total Actual Cost						
No.	No.									

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PHA Name: HOU	JSING AUTHORITY OF THE	Grant Type and Nu	Federal FY of Grant: 2002					
CITY OF ELIZA		Capital Fund Progra						
		Replacement Housin						
Development	General Description of Major Work	Dev.	Dev. Quantity Total Estimated Cost		Total Actual Cost		Status of	
Number	Categories	Acct.						Work
Name/HA-Wide		No.						
Activities								
NJ3-1	Consultant	1430		20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-1	Site improvements	1450		3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	Obligated
NJ3-1	Replace Concrete	1450		2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-1	Upgrade Kitchens	1460		545,000.00	545,000.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-1	Paint Hallways & Common Areas	1470		20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-1	Maintenance Equipment	1475		8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-3	Paint apartments & common areas	1470		4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-3	Maintenance Equipment	1475		4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-4	Upgrade Electrical	1460		168,587.00	168,587.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-4	Replace Gate & Riser Valves	1460		11,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-4	Upgrade Kitchens	1460		375,655.00	375,655.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-4	Replace Appliances	1465.1		12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-4	Paint Hallways & Common Areas	1470		13,000.00	13,000.00	13,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-4	Maintenance Equipment	1475		6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-5	Upgrade Kitchens	1460		400,000.00	400,000.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-5	Caulk Exterior Windows & Lintels	1460		25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-5	Replace Appliances	1465.1		7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-5	Paint Hallways & Common Areas	1470		20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-5	Maintenance Equipment	1475		4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00	Obligated

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PHA Name: HOU	SING AUTHORITY OF THE	Grant Type and Nu	Federal FY of Grant: 2002					
CITY OF ELIZA		Capital Fund Program						
		Replacement Housin						
Development	General Description of Major Work	Dev.	Quantity Total Estima		nated Cost	Total Actual Cost		Status of
Number	Categories	Acct.						Work
Name/HA-Wide		No.						
Activities								
NJ3-6	Upgrade Plumbing	1460		20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-6	Upgrade Kitchens	1460		316,000.00	316,000.00	0.00	0.00	
NJ3-6	Replace Appliances	1465.1		7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-6	Paint Apartments & Common Areas	1470		15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-6	Maintenance Equipment	1475		4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-8	Replace Roof	1460		295,000.00	295,000.00	239,000.00	128,346.00	Obligated
NJ3-8	Replace Appliances	1465.1		8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-8	Paint Apartments & Common Areas	1470		7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	0.00	Obligated
NJ3-8	Maintenance Equipment	1475		3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	280.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Resident Training	1408		114,000.00	114,000.00	114,000.00	4,357.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Family Site Security	1408		73,000.00	73,000.00	73,000.00	0.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Senior Site Security	1408		126,000.00	126,000.00	126,000.00	2,621.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Apprenticeship Program	1408		72,000.00	72,000.00	72,000.00	17,498.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Resident Social Programs	1408		25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	0.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Staff Training	1408		18,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00	475.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Computer Upgrade	1408		15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	8,077.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Common Area Clean-up	1408		16,648.00	16,648.00	16,000.00	0.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Safety Compliance	1408		5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	Obligated
PHA-Wide	Administration	1410		309,765.00	309,765.00	309,000.00	24,899.00	Obligated

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PHA Name: HOUSING A	UTHORITY OF	Grant	Grant Type and Number Capital Fund Program No: NJ39P00350102 Replacement Housing Factor No:				Federal FY of Grant: 2002
THE CITY OF ELIZABE	ГН						
Development Number Name/HA-Wide Activities		All Fund Obligated (Quarter Ending Date)			l Funds Expended arter Ending Date		Reasons for Revised Target Dates
	Original	Revised	Actual	Original	Revised	Actual	
NJ3-1	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		
NJ3-2	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		
NJ3-3	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		
NJ3-4	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		
NJ3-5	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		
NJ3-6	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		
NJ3-8	9/30/04	9/30/04		9/30/06	9/30/06		

Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan Part I: Summary

PHA Name				Original 5-Year Plan Revision No:	
Development Number/Name/HA- Wide	Year 1	Work Statement for Year 2 FFY Grant: PHA FY:	Work Statement for Year 3 FFY Grant: PHA FY:	Work Statement for Year 4 FFY Grant: PHA FY:	Work Statement for Year 5 FFY Grant: PHA FY:
	Annual Statement				
Total CFP Funds (Est.)					
Total Replacement Housing Factor Funds					

Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan Part II: Supporting Pages—Work Activities

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Activities for				Activities for Year:				
Year 1		FFY Grant:	FFY Grant:					
		PHA FY:		PHA FY:				