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Sweetwater Housing

Authority

TN016V02

PHA Plans

5 Year Plan for Fiscal Years 2001 - 2005

Annual Plan for Fiscal Year 2001

**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: SWEETWATER HOUSING AUTHORITY

PHA Number: TN016V02

PHA Fiscal Year Beginning: (mm/yyyy) 01/2001

Public Access to Information

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

- 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)

- 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)

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

5-YEAR PLAN
PHA FISCAL YEARS 2001 - 2005
[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)

- 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.

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

- Demolish or dispose of obsolete public housing:
- Provide replacement public housing:
- Provide replacement vouchers:
- Other: (list below)

- PHA Goal: Increase assisted housing choices

Objectives:

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

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

- PHA Goal: Provide an improved living environment

Objectives:

- 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:
- 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

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

Objectives:

- Increase the number and percentage of employed persons in assisted families:
- Provide or attract supportive services to improve assistance recipients' employability:

- 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

- PHA Goal: Ensure equal opportunity and affirmatively further fair housing
Objectives:
 - Undertake affirmative measures to ensure access to assisted housing regardless of race, color, religion national origin, sex, familial status, and disability:
 - 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:
 - 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)

Annual PHA Plan
PHA Fiscal Year 2001
[24 CFR Part 903.7]

i. Annual Plan Type:

Select which type of Annual Plan the PHA will submit.

Standard Plan

Streamlined Plan:

- 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 Sweetwater Housing Authority has completed this Agency Plan in consultation with SHA residents and the local communities. The Plan was discussed with the Resident Advisory Board on August 10, 2000. The public was afforded an opportunity to review the plan and offer comments at a public hearing held on September 28, 2000. The Annual Agency Plan is summarized as follows:

1. Housing Needs
Although our current waiting lists are not excessive, the demand for public housing and Section 8 is evident. Our greatest demand is for small to medium bedroom units (1, 2 and 3 bedroom units).
2. Financial Resources
The SHA expects to expend approximately \$1,140,000 in the year 2001 for operations, capital improvements and administrative costs.
3. Eligibility, Selection and Admission Policies
The SHA has revised its standard operating policies and Section 8 policies to comply with the requirements of the QHWRA through

regulations published in the Federal Register on March 29, 2000. These policies will continue to be updated as HUD issues further guidance.

As required under this section of the plan, the SHA has reviewed its developments and the census tracts in which they are located relative to income. We have determined that we do not have a problem with concentration of high or low-income families. Further, we have revised our admission policies to assure that a concentration does not occur in the future.

4. Rent Determination-Discretionary Policies

Our discretionary rent policies include:

- ✓ Ceiling Rents
- ✓ \$25.00 minimum rent for Public Housing and Section 8

5. Operations and Management

As a small PHA, the SHA is exempt from this component of the PHA Plan. However, the SHA's policies have been revised to comply with the mandated requirements of the QHWRA.

6. Grievance Procedure

The SHA has revised its Grievance Procedure to comply with the QHWRA and will continue to make revisions as additional issues are addressed by HUD regulations.

7. Capital Improvements

Our projected funding under the Capital Funds Program is \$327,136. Our focus for the 2001 program year is to replace roofs, perform interior painting and install additional parking in Development TN16-004; install additional parking in Development TN16-005; perform interior painting in Development TN16-006 and construct additional maintenance space.

8. Demolition and/or Disposition

The SHA has no current plans for demolition or disposition.

9. Designation
The SHA plans to maintain the current elderly/disabled designation that applies to a portion of its units. The SHA has no plans to designate additional units in the future.
10. Conversion of Public Housing
The SHA has no current plans to designate any developments or buildings to tenant-based assistance.
11. Homeownership
The SHA has no current plans to develop a Homeownership Program.
12. Community Services and Self-Sufficiency Programs
As a small PHA, the SHA is exempt from this component of the PHA Plan. However, the SHA has adopted a policy relative to the community service requirement mandated by the QHWRA through regulations published in the Federal Register on March 29, 2000. A description of the SHA's community service requirement is shown in Attachment B: "Implementation of Public Housing Resident Community Service Requirement".
13. Safety and Crime Prevention
As a small PHA not participating in the Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (PHDEP), the SHA is exempt from this component of the PHA Plan.
14. Ownership of Pets
The SHA has a policy related to tenant-owned pets. This policy permits all SHA residents to own pets as recently mandated by the QHWRA through regulations published in the Federal Register on July 10, 2000 and subject to compliance with specific requirements of SHA's pet lease.
15. Civil Rights Certification
We have included the required certification regarding Fair Housing and Civil Rights in this plan.

16. Annual Audit

Our most recent annual audit for fiscal year 1999 is on file at our local HUD office in Knoxville, Tennessee and is available for review at our main office during normal business hours.

17. Asset Management

As a small PHA, the SHA is exempt from this component of the PHA Plan.

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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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:

- A Admissions Policy for Deconcentration(See Attachment A)**
- FY 2001 Capital Fund Program Annual Statement(See Table Library)**
- 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
- FY 2001 Capital Fund Program 5 Year Action Plan(See Table Library)**
- 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)

Attachment B: “Implementation of Public Housing Resident Community Service Requirements”

Attachment C: “Pet Policy”

Attachment D: “Statement of Progress in Meeting the 5Year Plan Mission and Goals”

Attachment E: “Resident Membership of the PHA Governing Board”

Attachment F: “Membership of the Resident Advisory Board”

Attachment G: “Resident Survey Action Plan”

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
✓	PHA Plan Certifications of Compliance with the PHA Plans and Related Regulations	5 Year and Annual Plans
✓	State/Local Government Certification of Consistency with the Consolidated Plan	5 Year and Annual Plans
✓	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	5 Year and Annual Plans

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component
	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.	
✓	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
✓	Most recent board-approved operating budget for the public housing program	Annual Plan: Financial Resources;
✓	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
✓	Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
✓	Public Housing Deconcentration and Income Mixing Documentation: 1. PHA board certifications of compliance with deconcentration requirements (section 16(a) of the US Housing Act of 1937, as implemented in the 2/1899 <i>Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act Initial Guidance; Notice</i> and any further HUD guidance) and 2. Documentation of the required deconcentration and income mixing analysis	Annual Plan: Eligibility, Selection, and Admissions Policies
✓	Public housing rent determination policies, including the methodology for setting public housing flat rents <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
✓	Schedule of flat rents offered at each public housing development <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
✓	Section 8 rent determination (payment standard) policies <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> check here if included in Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Rent Determination
✓	Public housing management and maintenance policy documents, including policies for the prevention or eradication of pest infestation (including cockroach infestation)	Annual Plan: Operations and Maintenance
✓	Public housing grievance procedures <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the public housing A & O Policy	Annual Plan: Grievance Procedures
✓	Section 8 informal review and hearing procedures <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in Section 8	Annual Plan: Grievance Procedures

List of Supporting Documents Available for Review		
Applicable & On Display	Supporting Document	Applicable Plan Component
	Administrative Plan	
✓	The HUD-approved Capital Fund/Comprehensive Grant Program Annual Statement (HUD 52837) for the active grant year	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
✓	Most recent CIAP Budget/Progress Report (HUD 52825) for any active CIAP grant	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
✓	Most recent, approved 5 Year Action Plan for the Capital Fund/Comprehensive Grant Program, if not included as an attachment (provided at PHA option)	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
NA	Approved HOPE VI applications or, if more recent, approved or submitted HOPE VI Revitalization Plans or any other approved proposal for development of public housing	Annual Plan: Capital Needs
NA	Approved or submitted applications for demolition and/or disposition of public housing	Annual Plan: Demolition and Disposition
NA	Approved or submitted applications for designation of public housing (Designated Housing Plans)	Annual Plan: Designation of Public Housing
NA	Approved or submitted assessments of reasonable revitalization of public housing and approved or submitted conversion plans prepared pursuant to section 202 of the 1996 HUD Appropriations Act	Annual Plan: Conversion of Public Housing
NA	Approved or submitted public housing homeownership programs/plans	Annual Plan: Homeownership
NA	Policies governing any Section 8 Homeownership program <input type="checkbox"/> check here if included in the Section 8 Administrative Plan	Annual Plan: Homeownership
NA	Any cooperative agreement between the PHA and the TANF agency	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	FSS Action Plan/s for public housing and/or Section 8	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	Most recent self-sufficiency (ED/SS, TOP or ROSS or other resident services grant) grant program reports	Annual Plan: Community Service & Self-Sufficiency
NA	The most recent Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (PHEDEP) semi-annual performance report for any open grant and most recently submitted PHDEP application (PHDEP Plan)	Annual Plan: Safety and Crime Prevention
✓	The most recent fiscal year audit of the PHA conducted 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	Annual Plan: Annual Audit
NA	Troubled PHAs: MOA/Recovery Plan	Troubled PHAs
NA	Other supporting documents (optional) (list individually; use as many lines as necessary)	(specify as needed)

1. Statement of Housing Needs

[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	4	5	5	3	1	NA	NA
Income >30% but <=50% of AMI	3	4	4	3	1	NA	NA
Income >50% but <80% of AMI	3	3	3	3	1	NA	NA
Elderly	3	4	4	3	1	NA	NA
Families with Disabilities	2	NA	NA	3	1	NA	NA
Race/Ethnicity	2	NA	NA	3	1	NA	NA
Race/Ethnicity	2	NA	NA	3	1	NA	NA
Race/Ethnicity	2	NA	NA	3	1	NA	NA
Race/Ethnicity	2	NA	NA	3	1	NA	NA

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.)

- Consolidated Plan of the Jurisdiction/s
Indicate year: 2000
- 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)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Section 8 tenant-based assistance			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Housing			
<input type="checkbox"/> Combined Section 8 and Public Housing			
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing Site-Based or sub-jurisdictional waiting list (optional)			
If used, identify which development/subjurisdiction:			
	# of families	% of total families	Annual Turnover 7/1/99-6/30/00
Waiting list total	30		81
Extremely low income <=30% AMI	12	40%	
Very low income (>30% but <=50% AMI)	14	47%	
Low income (>50% but <80% AMI)	4	13%	
Families with children	16	53%	
Elderly families	3	10%	
Families with Disabilities	7	23%	
Race/ethnicity(w)	26	87%	
Race/ethnicity(b)	4	13%	
Race/ethnicity(h)	0	0%	
Race/ethnicity			
Characteristics by Bedroom Size (Public Housing Only)			
1BR	13	43%	10
2 BR	9	30%	25

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List			
3 BR	7	23%	44
4 BR	1	4%	2
5 BR	0	0%	0
5+ BR	0	0%	0
Is the waiting list closed (select one)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes			
If yes:			
How long has it been closed (# of months)? NA			
Does the PHA expect to reopen the list in the PHA Plan year? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes			
Does the PHA permit specific categories of families onto the waiting list, even if generally closed? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes			

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List			
Waiting list type: (select one)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 8 tenant-based assistance			
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing			
<input type="checkbox"/> Combined Section 8 and Public Housing			
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing Site-Based or sub-jurisdictional waiting list (optional)			
If used, identify which development/subjurisdiction:			
	# of families	% of total families	Annual Turnover 7/1/99-6/30/00
Waiting list total	52		20
Extremely low income <=30% AMI	34	66%	
Very low income (>30% but <=50% AMI)	11	21%	
Low income (>50% but <80% AMI)	7	13%	
Families with children	30	58%	
Elderly families	14	27%	
Families with Disabilities	4	7%	
Race/ethnicity(w)	48	93%	
Race/ethnicity(b)	4	7%	
Race/ethnicity(h)	0	0%	

Housing Needs of Families on the Waiting List			
Race/ethnicity			
Characteristics by Bedroom Size (Public Housing Only)			
1BR	NA	NA	NA
2 BR	NA	NA	NA
3 BR	NA	NA	NA
4 BR	NA	NA	NA
5 BR	NA	NA	NA
5+ BR	NA	NA	NA
Is the waiting list closed (select one)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes			
If yes:			
How long has it been closed (# of months)? NA			
Does the PHA expect to reopen the list in the PHA Plan year? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes			
Does the PHA permit specific categories of families onto the waiting list, even if generally closed? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 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

- Employ effective maintenance and management policies to minimize the number of public housing units off-line
- Reduce turnover time for vacated public housing units
- 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
- Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by establishing payment standards that will enable families to rent throughout the jurisdiction

- Undertake measures to ensure access to affordable housing among families assisted by the PHA, regardless of unit size required
- Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by marketing the program to owners, particularly those outside of areas of minority and poverty concentration
- Maintain or increase section 8 lease-up rates by effectively screening Section 8 applicants to increase owner acceptance of program
- 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

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

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

- Exceed HUD federal targeting requirements for families at or below 30% of AMI in public housing
- 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
- 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 working
- 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
- 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
- Carry out the modifications needed in public housing based on the section 504 Needs Assessment for Public Housing
- Apply for special-purpose vouchers targeted to families with disabilities, should they become available
- 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

- Counsel section 8 tenants as to location of units outside of areas of poverty or minority concentration and assist them to locate those units
- 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:

- Funding constraints
- Staffing constraints
- Limited availability of sites for assisted housing
- Extent to which particular housing needs are met by other organizations in the community
- 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
- Community priorities regarding housing assistance
- Results of consultation with local or state government
- Results of consultation with residents and the Resident Advisory Board
- 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	Planned \$	Planned Uses
1. Federal Grants (FY 2001 grants)		
a) Public Housing Operating Fund	\$105,005	
b) Public Housing Capital Fund	\$327,136	
c) HOPE VI Revitalization	\$0	
d) HOPE VI Demolition	\$0	
e) Annual Contributions for Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance	\$150,116	
f) Public Housing Drug Elimination Program (including any Technical Assistance funds)	\$0	

Financial Resources: Planned Sources and Uses		
Sources	Planned \$	Planned Uses
g) Resident Opportunity and Self-Sufficiency Grants	\$0	
h) Community Development Block Grant	\$0	
i) HOME	\$0	
Other Federal Grants (list below)	\$0	
2. Prior Year Federal Grants (unobligated funds only) (list below)		
FY 2000 Capital Fund	\$327,136	Capital Improvements
3. Public Housing Dwelling Rental Income	\$219,060	Operations
4. Other income (list below)		
Late Fees/Excess Utility Charges	\$1,250	Operations
Interest Income	\$9,490	Operations
5. Non-federal sources (list below)		
Total resources	\$1,139,193	

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)
- Other: (describe) **When they apply**

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

- Criminal or Drug-related activity
- Rental history
- Housekeeping
- Other (describe) **Credit and Personal References**

c. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from local law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?

d. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from State law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?

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

- Community-wide list
- Sub-jurisdictional lists
- Site-based waiting lists
- Other (describe)

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

- 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**

Not Applicable

1. How many site-based waiting lists will the PHA operate in the coming year? **NA**

2. 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? **NA**
3. Yes No: May families be on more than one list simultaneously
If yes, how many lists? **NA**
4. Where can interested persons obtain more information about and sign up to be on the site-based waiting lists (select all that apply)? **NA**
- PHA main administrative office
 - All PHA development management offices
 - Management offices at developments with site-based waiting lists
 - 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)
- 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: **NA**

(4) Admissions Preferences

- a. Income targeting:
- Yes 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)
- Emergencies
 - Overhoused
 - Underhoused
 - 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 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.

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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)

- (1) 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)
- (1) 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)

- The PHA-resident lease
- The PHA's Admissions and (Continued) Occupancy policy
- PHA briefing seminars or written materials
- Other source (list)

b. How often must residents notify the PHA of changes in family composition? (select all that apply)

- At an annual reexamination and lease renewal
- Any time family composition changes
- At family request for revision
- Other (list)

(6) Deconcentration and Income Mixing

- a. Yes 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 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:

All of SHA's developments

Employing new admission preferences at targeted developments
If selected, list targeted developments below:

Other (list policies and developments targeted below)

d. Yes 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) **Not Applicable**

- Additional affirmative marketing
- Actions to improve the marketability of certain developments
- Adoption or adjustment of ceiling rents for certain developments
- Adoption of rent incentives to encourage deconcentration of poverty and income mixing
- 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 subcomponent 3B.
Unless otherwise specified, all questions in this section apply only to the tenantbased 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 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)
- Other (list below)
- b. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from local law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?
- c. Yes No: Does the PHA request criminal records from State law enforcement agencies for screening purposes?
- d. Yes No: Does the PHA access FBI criminal records from the FBI for screening purposes? (either directly or through an NCIC authorized source)
- e. Indicate what kinds of information you share with prospective landlords? (select all that apply)
- Criminal or drug-related activity
- Other (describe below)
- Upon request, SHA will furnish previous and current landlord names and addresses to share information

(2) Waiting List Organization

- a. With which of the following program waiting lists is the section8 tenant-based assistance waiting list merged? (select all that apply)
- 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 tenantbased assistance? (select all that apply)
- PHA main administrative office

Other (list below)

(3) Search Time

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

If yes, state circumstances below:

A 30 day extension is granted based on the applicants request and the unit meets HQS. The SHA will also grant an extension based on need to find reasonable accommodations for special needs and handicap.

(4) Admissions Preferences

- a. Income targeting

Yes 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 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 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.

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Former Federal preferences

- 1 Involuntary Displacement (Disaster, Government Action, Action of Housing Owner, Inaccessibility, Property Disposition)
- 1 Victims of domestic violence
- 1 Substandard housing
- 1 Homelessness
- 1 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)

- 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) **Not Applicable**

- 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
- Not applicable: the pool of applicant families ensures that the PHA will meet income targeting requirements

(5) Special Purpose Section 8 Assistance Programs

Not Applicable

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)

- The Section 8 Administrative Plan
- 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?

- Through published notices
- Other (list below)

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 subcomponent 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)

- 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
- \$1-\$25 (\$25.00)
- \$26-\$50

2. Yes No: Has the PHA adopted any discretionary minimum rent hardship exemption policies?

The SHA uses HUD's required minimum rent hardship exemptions.

3. If yes to question 2, list these policies below:

c. Rents set at less than 30% than adjusted income

1. Yes 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:

The SHA utilizes ceiling rents and flat rents as identified in other sections of this component.

- d. Which of the discretionary (optional) deductions and/or exclusions policies does the PHA plan to employ (select all that apply) **Not Applicable**

- 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

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)
- 95th 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
- At family option
- 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 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)

- The section 8 rent reasonableness study of comparable housing
- Survey of rents listed in local newspaper
- Survey of similar unassisted units in the neighborhood
- Other (list/describe below)

The SHA has adopted its ceiling rents as flat rents for the plan year. However, the SHA is in the process of conducting a flat rent analysis to comply with the October 1, 2001 deadline for offering flat rents to residents.

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 standard)

- At or above 90% but below 100% of FMR
- 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) **Not Applicable**

- 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)

- 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)

- Success rates of assisted families
 Rent burdens of assisted families
 Other (list below)

(2) Minimum Rent

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

- \$0
 \$1-\$25 (\$25.00)
 \$26-\$50

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

The SHA uses HUD's required minimum rent hardship exemptions.

5. Operations and Management

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (e)]

Component Not Applicable

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 Not Applicable

Describe the PHA's management structure and organization.

(select one)

- 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 Not Applicable

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 Beginning	Expected Turnover
Public Housing		
Section 8 Vouchers		
Section 8 Certificates		
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 Not Applicable

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)

(2) Section 8 Management: (list below)

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 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)

- PHA main administrative office
 PHA development management offices
 Other (list below)

B. Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance

1. Yes 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 tenant-based 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)

- 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:

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. 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) Not Applicable

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.

Yes No: a) Has the PHA received a HOPE VI revitalization grant? (if no, skip to question c; if yes, provide responses to question b for each grant, copying and completing as many times as necessary)

b) Status of HOPE VI revitalization grant (complete one set of questions for each grant)

1. Development name:

2. Development (project) number:

3. Status of grant: (select the statement that best describes the current status)

- Revitalization Plan under development
- Revitalization Plan submitted, pending approval
- Revitalization Plan approved
- Activities pursuant to an approved Revitalization Plan underway

Yes No: c) Does the PHA plan to apply for a HOPE VI Revitalization grant in the Plan year?

If yes, list development name/s below:

Yes No: d) Will the PHA be engaging in any mixed-finance development activities for public housing in the Plan year?

If yes, list developments or activities below:

- Yes 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. Demolition and Disposition

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (h)]

Not Applicable

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

1. 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 **Not Applicable**

- Yes 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:	
1b. Development (project) number:	
2. Activity type: Demolition <input type="checkbox"/> Disposition <input type="checkbox"/>	
3. Application status (select one) Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Submitted, pending approval <input type="checkbox"/> Planned application <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. Date application approved, submitted, or planned for submission: <u>(DD/MM/YY)</u>	
5. Number of units affected:	
6. Coverage of action (select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Part of the development <input type="checkbox"/> Total development	
7. Timeline for activity: a. Actual or projected start date of activity: b. Projected end date of activity:	

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)]

Component Not Applicable

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

1. Yes 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 **Not Applicable**

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 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 <input type="checkbox"/> Occupancy by families with disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> Occupancy by only elderly families and families with disabilities <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Application status (select one)	Approved; included in the PHA’s Designation Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Submitted, pending approval <input type="checkbox"/> Planned application <input type="checkbox"/>
4. Date this designation approved, submitted, or planned for submission:(DD/MM/YY)	
5. If approved, will this designation constitute a (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> New Designation Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Revision of a previously-approved Designation Plan?
6. Number of units affected:	

7. Coverage of action (select one)

- Part of the development
 Total development

10. Conversion of Public Housing to Tenant-Based Assistance

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (j)]

Component Not Applicable

Exemptions from Component 10; Section 8 only PHAs are not required to complete this section.

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

1. Yes 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 **Not Applicable**

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 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment underway <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment results submitted to HUD <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment results approved by HUD (if marked, proceed to next question) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (explain below)
3. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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) <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion Plan in development <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion Plan submitted to HUD on: (DD/MM/YYYY) <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion Plan approved by HUD on: (DD/MM/YYYY)

<input type="checkbox"/> 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)
<input type="checkbox"/> Units addressed in a pending or approved demolition application (date submitted or approved: _____)
<input type="checkbox"/> Units addressed in a pending or approved HOPE VI demolition application (date submitted or approved: _____)
<input type="checkbox"/> Units addressed in a pending or approved HOPE VI Revitalization Plan (date submitted or approved: _____)
<input type="checkbox"/> Requirements no longer applicable: vacancy rates are less than 10 percent
<input type="checkbox"/> Requirements no longer applicable: site now has less than 300 units
<input type="checkbox"/> 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

11. Homeownership Programs Administered by the PHA

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (k)]

Component Not Applicable

A. Public Housing

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

1. Yes 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 **Not Applicable**

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:	
<input type="checkbox"/> HOPE I <input type="checkbox"/> 5(h) <input type="checkbox"/> Turnkey III <input type="checkbox"/> Section 32 of the USHA of 1937 (effective 10/1/99)	
3. Application status: (select one)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Approved; included in the PHA’s Homeownership Plan/Program <input type="checkbox"/> Submitted, pending approval <input type="checkbox"/> 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)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Part of the development <input type="checkbox"/> Total development	

B. Section 8 Tenant Based Assistance

Not Applicable

1. 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: **Not Applicable**

a. Size of Program

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)

- 25 or fewer participants
- 26 - 50 participants
- 51 to 100 participants
- more than 100 participants

b. PHA-established eligibility criteria

- 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 (1)]

Component Not Applicable

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 Not Applicable

1. Cooperative agreements:

- 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)

- Client referrals
- Information sharing regarding mutual clients (for rent determinations and otherwise)
- Coordinate the provision of specific social and self-sufficiency services and programs to eligible families
- 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 Not Applicable

(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
- Preference/eligibility for section 8 homeownership option participation
- Other policies (list below)

b. Economic and Social self-sufficiency programs

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 (start of FY 2000 Estimate)	Actual Number of Participants (As of: DD/MM/YY)

Public Housing		
Section 8		

- b. 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

Not Applicable

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)

- Adopting appropriate changes to the PHA's public housing rent determination policies and train staff to carry out those policies
- Informing residents of new policy on admission and reexamination
- Actively notifying residents of new policy at times in addition to admission and reexamination.
- Establishing or pursuing a cooperative agreement with all appropriate TANF agencies regarding the exchange of information and coordination of services
- 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)]

Component Not Applicable

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 sub-component D.

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

Not Applicable

1. Describe the need for measures to ensure the safety of public housing residents (select all that apply)

- High incidence of violent and/or drug-related crime in some or all of the PHA's developments
- High incidence of violent and/or drug-related crime in the areas surrounding or adjacent to the PHA's developments
- Residents fearful for their safety and/or the safety of their children
- 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 use to determine the need for PHA actions to improve safety of residents (select all that apply).

- Safety and security survey of residents
- 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
- Police reports
- Demonstrable, quantifiable success with previous or ongoing anticrime/anti drug programs
- Other (describe below)

3. Which developments are most affected? (list below)

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

Not Applicable

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
- Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design
- 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)

C. Coordination between PHA and the police

Not Applicable

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

- Police involvement in development, implementation, and/or ongoing evaluation of drug-elimination plan
- Police provide crime data to housing authority staff for analysis and action
- Police have established a physical presence on housing authority property (e.g., community policing office, officer in residence)
- Police regularly testify in and otherwise support eviction cases
- Police regularly meet with the PHA management and residents
- 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.

Not Applicable

- 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 2001 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. 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. Yes No: Was the most recent fiscal audit submitted to HUD?
- 3. Yes No: Were there any findings as the result of that audit?
- 4. Yes No: If there were any findings, do any remain unresolved? If yes, how many unresolved findings remain? **NA**

5. Yes No: Have responses to any unresolved findings been submitted to HUD? **NA**
If not, when are they due (state below)?

17. PHA Asset Management

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (q)]

Component Not Applicable

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. 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
 - Private management
 - Development-based accounting
 - Comprehensive stock assessment
 - Other: (list below)
3. Yes No: Has the PHA included descriptions of asset management activities in the **optional** Public Housing Asset Management Table?

18. Other Information

[24 CFR Part 903.7 9 (r)]

A. Resident Advisory Board Recommendations

1. 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)
- Attached at Attachment (File name)
 - Provided below:

Comments received from the Resident Advisory Board mainly pertained to physical improvements to the units. It was explained that a majority of the physical improvements discussed are included in the SHA's Capital Funds Annual Statement or in the Five-Year Plan. The Resident Advisory Board

was also informed of the new community service requirement as well as the new pet rule allowing all residents to own pets. However, no comments were received relative to these items or other components of SHA's Annual Plan.

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.
- 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

- 1. Yes 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 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.)

The resident, which currently serves on the Board of Commissioners of SHA was appointed by the Mayor of Sweetwater, Tennessee.

3. Description of Resident Election Process **Not Applicable**

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 tenant-based assistance)
- Representatives of all PHA resident and assisted family organizations
- Other (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)
 State of Tennessee, Tennessee Housing Development Agency

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)
 - The PHA has based its statement of needs of families in the jurisdiction on the needs expressed in the Consolidated Plan/s.
 - The PHA has participated in any consultation process organized and offered by the Consolidated Plan agency in the development of the Consolidated Plan.
 - The PHA has consulted with the Consolidated Plan agency during the development of this PHA Plan.
 - 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.

19. Definition of “Substantial Deviation and Significant Amendment or Modification” [903.7(r)]:

The SHA and HUD will consider the following actions to be significant amendments or modifications.

- changes to rent or admission policies or organization of waiting list;

- additions of non-emergency work items (items not included in the current Annual Statement or Five Year Plan) or change in use of replacement reserve funds under the Capital Fund;
- additions of new activities not included in the current PHDEP Plan; and
- any change with the regard to demolition or disposition, designation, homeownership programs or conversion activities.

An exception to this definition will be made for any of the above that are adopted to reflect changes in HUD regulatory requirements; such changes will not be considered significant amendments by HUD.

Attachments

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

Attachment B

“Implementation of Public Housing Resident Community Service Requirements”

- a. The 1998 Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998 requires that nonexempt residents of public housing perform community service. HUD states that the provision is not intended to be perceived as punitive, but rather considered as rewarding activity that will assist residents in improving their own and their neighbors' economic and social well-being and give residents a greater stake in their communities.
- b. In order to be eligible for continued occupancy, each adult family member must either (1) contribute eight hours per month of community service or (2) participate in an economic self-sufficiency program, or a combination of the two, unless they are exempt from this requirement.
- c. Exempt individual
The following adult family members of tenant families are exempt from this requirement.
An adult who:
 - (1) Is 62 years or older;
 - (2) Is a blind or disabled individual, as defined under the Social Security Act, and who certifies that because of this disability she or he is unable to comply with the community service requirements.
 - (3) Family members who are the primary care giver for someone who is blind or disabled as set forth above.
 - (4) Family members engaged in work activity.
 - (5) Family members who are exempt from work activity under Part A of Title IV of the Social Security Act or under any other State welfare program, including the Welfare-to-Work program.
 - (6) Is a member of a family receiving assistance, benefits or services under a State program funded under Part A of Title IV of the Social Security Act or under any other State welfare program including Welfare-to-Work and who are in compliance with that program.
- d. All families will be given a written description of the service requirement, and of the process for claiming status as an exempt person. This will include the PHAs determination identifying the family members who are subject to the service requirement, and the family members who are exempt persons. The PHA will provide a form to any family members requesting exemption from the service and will advise the member what documentation is required to support the exemption. The PHA will approve or deny the request for exemption within 30 days from receipt of a request that includes required documentation. A family member may request an exempt status at anytime.
- e. The PHA will provide a listing of qualifying community service or self-sufficiency activities that will meet this requirement. This list may be updated by the PHA at anytime. Each nonexempt family member will be given a community service time sheet to track the monthly

volunteer hours. A supervisor must sign and date each period of work. If qualifying activities are administered by an organization other than the PHA, a family member who is required to fulfill a service requirement must provide signed community service time sheets certifying to the PHA by such other organization that the family member has performed such qualifying activities.

- f. The PHA must review family compliance with service requirements, and must verify such compliance annually at least thirty days before the end of the twelve month lease term. The PHA must retain reasonable documentation of service requirement performance in tenant files.
- g. If the PHA determines that there is a family member who is required to fulfill a service requirement, but who has violated this family obligation (noncompliant resident), the PHA must notify the tenant of this determination. The PHA notice to the tenant must:
 - (1) Briefly describe the noncompliance;
 - (2) State that the PHA will not renew the lease at the end of the twelve month lease term unless;
 - (a) The tenant, and any other noncompliant resident, enter into a written agreement with the PHA, in the form and manner required by the PHA, to cure such noncompliance, and in fact cure such noncompliance in accordance with such agreement; or
 - (b) The family provides written assurance satisfactory to the PHA that the tenant or other noncompliant resident no longer resides in the unit.
 - (3) State that the tenant may request a grievance hearing on the PHA determination, and the tenant may exercise any available judicial remedy to seek timely redress for the PHA's nonrenewal of the lease because of such determination.
- h. If the tenant or another family member has violated the service requirement, the PHA may not renew the lease upon expiration of the term unless:
 - (1) The tenant, and any other noncompliant resident, enter into a written agreement with the PHA, in the form and manner required by the PHA, to cure such noncompliance by completing the additional hours of community service or economic self-sufficiency activity needed to make up the total number of hours required over the twelve month term of the new lease, and
 - (2) All other members of the family who are subject to the service requirement are currently complying with the service requirement or are no longer residing in the unit.
- i. In implementing the service requirement, the PHA may not substitute community service or self-sufficiency activities performed by residents for work ordinarily performed by PHA employees, or replace a job at any location where residents perform activities to satisfy the service requirement.

Attachment C “Pet Policy”

1. Purpose

In compliance with Section 526 of the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998, the Sweetwater Housing Authority will permit residents to own and keep common household pets in their apartment. This policy sets forth the conditions and guidelines under which pets will be permitted. This policy is to be adhered to at all times.

The purpose of the policy is to ensure pet ownership will not be injurious to persons or property, or violate the rights of all residents to clean, quiet and safe surroundings.

Household Pets are Restricted to:

Birds: Including canary, parakeet, finch, and other species that are normally kept caged; birds of prey are not permitted. (no deposit required)

Fish: Tanks or aquariums are not to exceed 20 gallons in capacity. Poisonous or dangerous fish are not permitted. Only one (1) tank or aquarium is permitted per apartment. (no deposit required for fish)

Dogs: Not to exceed fifteen (15) pounds and fifteen (15) inches tall at time of maturity. All dogs must be neutered or spayed. No vicious or intimidating animals are allowed, this includes rottweilers, pinschers, pit-bulls, and chows.

Cats: All cats must be neutered or spayed.

Exotic/unconventional pets such as snakes, reptiles, monkeys, rabbits, etc. are not allowed.

2. Registration

Every pet must be registered with the Sweetwater Housing Authority’s management prior to moving the pet into the unit and updated annually thereafter.

Registration requires the following and applies to cats and dogs only:

- a. A certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian stating the animal has received all inoculations required by the state and local law.
- b. Identification tag bearing the owner’s name, address and phone number.
- c. Proof of neutering/spaying.
- d. Photograph of pet.
- e. The name, address and phone number of two (2) responsible persons that will care for the pet if the owner becomes temporarily incapacitated.

3. Licenses and Tags

Every dog and cat must wear the appropriate local license, a valid rabies tag and a tag bearing the owner’s name, address and phone number, at all times. All licenses and tags must be current. An animal control officer will be called to pick up any animals without the proper identification and license.

4. Number of Pets

Only one (1) pet per household will be allowed per apartment– this applies to cats and dogs. The authority will give final approval on type and number of all pets.

5. Visitors and Guests

No visitor or guest will be allowed to bring pets on the premises at anytime. Residents will not be allowed to pet sit, harbor or house a pet without fully complying with this policy. Feeding or caring for stray animals is prohibited and will be considered keeping a pet without permission.

6. Pet Restraints

a. All dogs must be on leash when not in the owner's apartment. The leash must be no longer than three (3) feet.

b. Cats must be in a caged container or on a leash when taken out of the apartment.

7. Liability

Residents owning pets shall be liable for the entire amount of all damages to the Sweetwater Housing Authority premises caused by their pet and all cleaning, defleaing and deodorizing required because of such pet. Pet owners shall be strictly liable for the entire amount of any injury to the person or property of other residents, staff or visitors of the Sweetwater Housing Authority caused by their pet, and shall indemnify the Sweetwater Housing Authority for all costs of litigation and attorney's fees resulting from such damage. Pet liability insurance can be obtained through most insurance companies.

8. Sanitary Standards and Waste Disposal

a. Litter boxes must be provided for cats with use of odorreducing chemicals.

b. fur-bearing pets must be flea free. Should flea extermination become necessary, cost of such extermination will be charged to pet owner.

c. Pet owners are responsible for immediate removal of pet wastes and shall be charged \$25.00, if removable is required by the staff. More than three (3) such charges during a twelve (12) month period may be cause for pet removal.

(i) All pet waste must be placed in a plastic bag, tied securely to reduce odor and placed in the dumpster.

(ii) Residents with litter boxes must clean them regularly. Noncompliance may result in removal of the pet. The Sweetwater Housing Authority reserves the right to impose a mandatory twice weekly litter box cleaning depending on need. Litter box waste shall be placed in a plastic bag and placed in the dumpster.

d. All apartment with pets must be kept free of pet odors and maintained in a clean and sanitary manner. A housekeeping inspection shall be conducted after 30 days of pet moving into the household. If the household fails the housekeeping inspection, which constitutes a failure to care for the pet in an appropriate manner, a notice of violation will be issued and the household will have 7 days to correct the deficiencies. Pet owner's

apartments may be subject to additional inspections. Pets must be kept under constant control by the tenant during inspections.

9. General Rules

The resident agrees to comply with the following rules imposed by the Authority:

a. No pet shall be tied up anywhere on Authority property and left unattended for any amount of time.

b. Pet owners will be required to make arrangements for their pets in the event of vacations or hospitalization.

c. No dog houses or pens of any kind will be permitted on Authority property.

d. It shall be the duty of every owner to have his dog or cat vaccinated against rabies after it reaches three (3) months of age. After the first (primary) vaccination, the animal shall be vaccinated one year later, following the first two vaccinations, booster vaccinations will be due at either one or three years intervals in accordance with the approved duration of immunity of the specific vaccine used and the species vaccinated. The veterinarian shall sign and issue certification bearing the owner's name and address, number of vaccination tag issued, date of vaccination, date the dog/cat should be re vaccinated, description and sex of the dog/cat vaccinated, the type and lot of vaccine administered.

e. All persons must report bite cases. It shall be the duty of all citizens, including doctors and veterinarians, to report to the animal control officer the names and addresses of persons treated for bites inflicted by animals, together with all information helpful in locating the animal which inflicted said bite.

10. Pet Areas

a. Restrictions: At no time will pets be allowed in any public area such as playgrounds, basketball courts, etc.

b. Approved Areas: Pets shall only be allowed to be exercised in tenant's yard or on city streets.

11. Pet Rule Violation and Pet Removal

a. If it is determined on the basis of objective facts, supported by written statement, that a pet owner has neglected to appropriately care for a pet and has violated a rule governing the pet policy, the Sweetwater Housing Authority shall serve a notice of pet rule violation on the pet owner. Serious or repeated violations may result in pet removal or termination of the pet owner's tenancy, or both.

b. If a pet poses a nuisance such as excessive noise, barking, odor, or whining which disrupts the peace or quality of life of other residents, owner will permanently remove the pet from premises upon request of management within fortyeight (48) hours. Nuisance complaints regarding pets are subject to immediate inspections.

c. If a pet owner becomes unable either through absence, hospitalization or illness, to care for the pet and the person so designated to care for the pet in the pet owner's absence refuses or is unable physically to care for the pet, Animal control will be called to remove the pet. The Authority accepts no responsibility for pets so removed.

d. The Sweetwater Housing Authority or proper community authority may remove any pet from a development if the pet's conduct is determined to constitute a threat to the health and safety of the other occupants of the development.

12. Damage Deposit

A "Pet Damage Deposit" will be required for all cats and dogs. The "Pet Damage Deposit" must be paid in full and in advance and is to be used to pay reasonable expenses directly attributable to the presence of the pet in the development including (but not limited to) the cost of repairs and replacements, and fumigation of, the resident's dwelling unit. The amount of the "Pet Damage Deposit" will be \$250.00; \$225.00 will be refundable at move-out and \$25.00 will be non-refundable to cover administrative costs.

13. Exceptions

a. Service animals: The weight or size requirements do not apply to service animals that are used to assist persons with disabilities. Pets used for the purpose of aiding residents with disabilities must have appropriate certification. Other exceptions may be made, if determined by the Authority, and requested by the tenant as a reasonable accommodation.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT

A Sweetwater Housing Authority representative has reviewed the Pet Policy in its entirety and has fully explained the rules and regulations regarding pet ownership.

CERTIFICATION

I, _____, agree to the rules and regulations in the Pet lease addendum. I have read and understand all parts of the addendum. I understand this agreement is between myself and Sweetwater Housing Authority and is a legally binding contract.

SHA Representative	Signature	Date
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Tenant	Signature	Date
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Tenant	Signature	Date
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Responsible Persons:

Names	Addresses	Telephones of (2) persons who will care for the pet

Attachment D

“Statement of Progress in Meeting the 5-Year Plan Mission and Goals”

Goal – Renovate or modernize public housing units: The Sweetwater Housing Authority is continually upgrading its public housing units. With the inception of the Capital Fund Program, the SHA is now able to better plan and implement physical improvements. Recent improvements have included HVAC installation and new roofing.

Goal – Increase number and percentage of employed persons in assisted families: Under the recently revised ACOP, the SHA plans to give preference to working families to help increase the number of employed persons in assisted housing.

Goal – 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: The SHA continues to operate its public housing program in order to provide a suitable living environment for families living in assisted housing regardless of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial status and disability. The SHA’s operations and management, inspections, maintenance and modernization programs are spread equally among all developments.

Attachment E
“Resident Membership of the PHA Governing Board”

As required by the QHWRA through regulations published in the October 21, 1999 Federal Register, the SHA currently has a resident serving on the Board of Commissioners. The resident was appointed by the Mayor of Sweetwater, Tennessee and is identified as Ms. Brenda Lloyd, Apartment 37, Valley View Village Drive, Sweetwater, Tennessee 37874. Ms. Lloyd was appointed to the Board of Commissioners in December, 1999 and will be reappointed in March, 2001 for a five year term.

Attachment F
“Membership of Resident Advisory Board”

Ms. Helen Berry
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Sweetwater, Tennessee 37874

Ms. Jewell Bright
Apt. B-9, 1100 Cannon Avenue
Sweetwater, Tennessee 37874

Ms. Peggy Dukes
Apt. #49 Valley View Village Drive
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Ms. Brenda Lloyd
Apt. #37 Valley View Village Drive
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Ms. Susan Black
Apt. #31 Valley View Village Drive
Sweetwater, Tennessee 37874

Ms. Phyllis Scarbeary
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Ms. Vinia Tuttle
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Ms. Kathy Haddix
Apt. #68 Crest View Drive
Sweetwater, Tennessee 37874

Ms. Linda Whitfield
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Ms. Gladys Martin
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Ms. Darlene McJunkin
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Attachment G

“Resident Survey Action Plan”

Safety (49.1%)

The Sweetwater Housing Authority will work with the Sweetwater Police Department and the Tellico Plains Police Department in an effort to alleviate the safety concerns of our residents. The SHA will request the police departments to do drivethru's of the Authority's developments while on routine patrols as well as assist in establishing a neighborhood watch program. Additionally, the SHA will perform physical improvements relative to security measures with future Capital Funds. However, please be advised that the lack of information pertaining to the type and nature of the resident concerns on this subject has limited the Authority from fully addressing the problem and making the appropriate improvements. The Authority will also survey all residents to find the particular problems and concerns so they may be addressed.

Neighborhood Appearance (78.7%)

The Sweetwater Housing Authority has recently performed various landscaping improvements such as tree trimming, etc. to enhance the appearance of the developments. Additionally, the SHA has hired additional maintenance staff, which have been assigned the duty of mowing the developments as well as general grounds keeping. The Authority has also appropriated and will utilize Capital Funds to make a variety of physical improvements to the units in an effort to enhance their appearance. Again, with the lack of specific information relative to this subject prevents the Authority from addressing the direct concerns of the residents.

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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 TN37P01650201 FFY of Grant Approval: (01/2001)

Original Annual Statement

Line No.	Summary by Development Account	Total Estimated Cost
1	Total Non-CGP Funds	0
2	1406 Operations	6,936
3	1408 Management Improvements	0
4	1410 Administration	0
5	1411 Audit	0
6	1415 Liquidated Damages	0
7	1430 Fees and Costs	31,700
8	1440 Site Acquisition	0
9	1450 Site Improvement	15,000
10	1460 Dwelling Structures	193,500
11	1465.1 Dwelling Equipment-Nonexpendable	0
12	1470 Nondwelling Structures	80,000
13	1475 Nondwelling Equipment	0
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)	327,136
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 Measures	0

Annual Statement
Capital Fund Program (CFP) Part II: Supporting Table

Development Number/Name HA-Wide Activities	General Description of Major Work Categories	Development Account Number	Total Estimated Cost
TN16-004 Valley View Village	Additional Parking (5 spaces) Replace Roofs Interior Painting	1450 1460 1460	7,500 95,000 74,500
TN16-005 Crest View Homes	Additional Parking (5 spaces)	1450	7,500
TN16-006 Mountain View Home	Interior Painting	1460	24,000
PHA-WIDE Operations	Operating Expense	1406	6,936
PHA-WIDE Fees and Costs	A/E Design Fees A/E Inspection Fees Clerk of the Works Consultant Fees for Environmental Review Consultant Fees for PHA Plans	1430 1430 1430 1430 1430	12,100 6,100 9,000 1,500 3,000
PHA-WIDE Non-Dwelling Structures	Construct 30' x 60' Maintenance Building	1470	80,000

Annual Statement
Capital Fund Program (CFP) Part III: Implementation Schedule

Development Number/Name HA-Wide Activities	All Funds Obligated (Quarter Ending Date)	All Funds Expended (Quarter Ending Date)
TN16-004 Valley View Village	06/30/03	12/31/04
TN16-005 Crest View Homes	06/30/03	12/31/04
TN16-006 Mountain View Home	06/30/03	12/31/04
PHA-WIDE Operations	06/30/03	12/31/04
PHA-WIDE Fees and Costs	06/30/03	12/31/04
PHA-WIDE Non-Dwelling Structures	06/30/03	12/31/04

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

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Optional 5-Year Action Plan Tables				
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
TN016-001	Fairview Terrace	1	2.7%	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
Site Improvements			3,500	2002
Kitchen Renovations			79,100	2002
Bathroom Renovations			24,300	2003
Electrical			14,500	2003/2004
Interior Painting			48,000	2003
Appliances			9,000	2003
Total estimated cost over next 5 years			178,400	

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Optional 5-Year Action Plan Tables				
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
TN016-002	North Western Apartments	0	0%	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
No physical improvements proposed.			0	NA
Total estimated cost over next 5 years			0	

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Optional 5-Year Action Plan Tables				
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
TN016-004	Valley View Village	0	0%	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
Exterior Doors			24,800	2002
Water Heaters			10,000	2002
Kitchen Renovations			106,000	2002
Fire Safety			40,000	2002
Flooring			38,000	2003
Bathroom Renovations			7,800	2003
Site Improvements			9,800	2003
Appliances			19,600	2003
Electrical			15,000	2004
Interior Painting			75,000	2005
Total estimated cost over next 5 years			346,000	

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Optional 5-Year Action Plan Tables				
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TN016-005	Crest View Homes	0	0%	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
Bathroom Renovations			18,500	2003
Clotheslines			6,000	2003
Site Improvements			13,400	2003
Electrical			5,000	2003
Appliances			28,600	2003
Roofing			56,000	2004
Fire Safety			15,000	2004
Electrical			10,000	2004
Interior Painting			48,000	2004
HVAC			160,000	2004/2005
Total estimated cost over next 5 years			360,500	

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Optional 5-Year Action Plan Tables				
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
TN016-006	Mountain View Homes	1	5%	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
Bathroom Renovations			9,000	2003
Site Improvements			16,800	2003
Appliances			14,300	2003
Water Heaters			5,000	2004
Dryer Vents			1,000	2004
Fire Safety			10,200	2004
HVAC			80,000	2005
Interior Painting			30,000	2005
Termite Treatment			12,000	2005
Total estimated cost over next 5 years			178,300	

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Optional 5-Year Action Plan Tables				
Development Number	Development Name (or indicate PHA wide)	Number Vacant Units	% Vacancies in Development	
PHA-WIDE	Management Improvements	NA	NA	
Description of Needed Physical Improvements or Management Improvements			Estimated Cost	Planned Start Date (HA Fiscal Year)
No Management Improvements proposed.			0	NA
Total estimated cost over next 5 years			0	

DECONCENTRATION POLICY

- 1) The objective of the Deconcentration Policy for the PHA is to achieve the goal that families are housed in a manner that will prevent a concentration of poverty families and/or a concentration of higher income families in any one development or census tract. The PHA will take actions as necessary to achieve the goal that no individual development has a concentration of higher income or lower income families. To ensure the PHA does not concentrate families with higher or lower income levels in any one development, the PHA will track the status of family income, by development, on a monthly basis utilizing income reports generated by the PHA's computer system.
- 2) The PHA will periodically compare the relative incomes of its developments to the relative incomes of the census tracts in which they are located. Where significant differences are identified, income targeting will be applied.