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SUBJECT:

Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact Under the National Environmental Policy Act for the Issuance of Allocations for Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery and Implementation of the CDBG-DR Consolidated Waivers and Alternative Requirements Notice [FR-6368-N-01]

It is the finding of this Office that issuance of the attached notice does not constitute a major Federal action having an individually or cumulatively significant effect on the human environment and, therefore, does not require the preparation of an environmental impact statement.

On March 22, 2022, HUD allocated nearly \$3 billion in Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds appropriated by the Disaster Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2022 (Pub. L. 117-43)(the "2022 Appropriations Act") for major disasters occurring in 2020 and 2021. On November 3, 2022, HUD allocated an additional \$1.447 billion in CDBG-DR funds appropriated by the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2023 (Pub. L 117-180)(the "2023 Appropriations Act") for major disasters occurring in 2021. The attached notice identifies grant requirements for these funds, including requirements in HUD's CDBG-DR Consolidated Notice ("Consolidated Notice") (Appendix B), and some amendments to the Consolidated Notice that apply to CDBG-DR grants for disasters occurring in 2020 and 2021. The Consolidated Notice, as amended by this Allocation Announcement Notice, includes waivers and alternative requirements, relevant regulatory requirements, the grant award process, criteria for action plan approval, and eligible disaster recovery activities.

The attached notice describes grant requirements and procedures, including waivers and alternative requirements, applicable to the additional \$1,446,629,000 in CDBG-DR funds from the 2023 Appropriations Act for disasters occurring in 2021. The clarifying guidance, waivers and alternative requirements are not inconsistent with the overall purpose of title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (HCDA). While the attached notice also

includes waivers and alternative requirements that are unrelated to environmental considerations (e.g., deadlines for submission and review of action plans and amendments, maintaining public website, recordkeeping, etc.), the list below only includes those waivers that are related to environmental considerations.

- 1. Certifications waiver and alternative requirement. Sections 104(b)(4), (c), and (m) of the HCDA (42 USC 5304(b)(4), (c) & (m)), sections 106(d)(2)(C) & (D) of the HCDA (42 U.S.C. § 5306(d)(2)(C) & (D)), and section 106 of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 12706), and regulations at 24 CFR 91.225 and 91.325 are waived and replaced. Additionally, HUD is waiving section 104(a)-(c) and (d)(1) of the HCDA (42 U.S.C. 5304), section 106 (c)(1) and (d) of the HCDA and (42 U.S.C. 5306), section 210 of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (URA) (42 U.S.C. 4630), section 305 of the URA (42 U.S.C. 4655), and regulations at 24 CFR 91.225(a)(2), (6), and (7), 91.225(b)(7), 91.325(a)(2), (6), and (7), 49 CFR 24.4(a), and 24 CFR 42.325 only to the extent necessary to allow grantees to receive a portion of their allocation as a grant for program administrative costs before submitting other statutorily required certifications. Each grantee receiving a direct allocation under the notice must make the certifications outlined in the notice, including a certification of compliance with environmental requirements at 24 CFR Part 58.
- 2. Direct grant administration and means of carrying out eligible activities (state grantees only). Requirements at 42 U.S.C. 5306(d) are waived to the extent necessary to allow each grantee to use its CDBG-DR grant directly to carry out CDBG-DR eligible activities, rather than distribute all funds to local governments. Pursuant to this waiver, the standard at 24 CFR 570.480(c) and the provisions at 42 U.S.C. 5304(e)(2) will also include activities that the grantee carries out directly. State grantees continue to be responsible for civil rights, labor standards, and environmental protection requirements, for compliance with 24 CFR 570.489(g) and (h), and subparagraph III.A.1.a.(2)(a) of the Consolidated Notice relating to conflicts of interest, and for compliance with 24 CFR 570.489(m) relating to monitoring and management of subrecipients.
- 3. Consultation (state grantees only). HUD is waiving 42 U.S.C. 5306(d)(2)(C)(iv), 42 U.S.C. 5306(d)(2)(D), 24 CFR 91.325(b)(2), and 24 CFR 91.110, and imposing an alternative requirement that states receiving an allocation of CDBG-DR funds consult with all disaster-affected local governments (including any CDBG-entitlement grantees), Indian tribes, and any public housing authorities in determining the use of funds. This approach ensures that a state grantee sufficiently assesses the recovery needs of all areas affected by the disaster.
- 4. Housing-related eligibility waivers. 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(24) is waived and replaced to allow (1) homeownership assistance for households earning up to 120 percent of the area median income; and (2) down payment assistance for up to 100 percent of the down payment. In addition, 42 U.S.C. 5305(a) and 24 CFR 570.207(b)(3) are waived and alternative requirements adopted to the extent necessary to permit new housing construction. Further, grantees must meet the Green and Resilient Building standards for new construction and reconstruction of housing and all rehabilitation activities of substantially damaged residential buildings assisted with CDBG-DR funds.

5. Elevation standards for new construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation of substantial damage, or rehabilitation resulting in substantial improvement. This notice sets forth elevation standards applicable to new construction, rehabilitation of substantial damage, or rehabilitation resulting in substantial improvement of residential structures located in an area delineated as a flood hazard area or equivalent in FEMA's data sources identified in 24 CFR 55.2(b)(1). All structures, defined at 44 CFR 59.1, designed principally for residential use, and located in the one percent annual chance (or 100-year) floodplain, that receive assistance for new construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation of substantial damage, or rehabilitation that results in substantial improvement, as defined at 24 CFR 55.2(b)(10), must be elevated with the lowest floor, including the basement, at least two feet above the one percent annual chance floodplain elevation (base flood elevation). Mixed-use structures with no dwelling units and no residents below two feet above base flood elevation, must be elevated or floodproofed, in accordance with FEMA floodproofing standards at 44 CFR 60.3(c)(3)(ii) or successor standard, up to at least two feet above base flood elevation.

All Critical Actions, as defined at 24 CFR 55.2(b)(3), within the 500-year (or 0.2 percent annual chance) floodplain must be elevated or floodproofed (in accordance with FEMA floodproofing standards at 44 CFR 60.3(c)(2)-(3) or successor standard) to the higher of the 500-year floodplain elevation or three feet above the 100-year floodplain elevation. If the 500-year floodplain is unavailable, and the Critical Action is in the 100-year floodplain, then the structure must be elevated or floodproofed (in accordance with FEMA floodproofing standards at 44 CFR 60.3(c)(2)-(3) or successor standard) at least three feet above the 100-year floodplain elevation. Critical Actions are defined as "any activity for which even a slight chance of flooding would be too great, because such flooding might result in loss of life, injury to persons or damage to property." For example, Critical Actions include hospitals, nursing homes, emergency shelters, police stations, fire stations, and principal utility lines.

In addition to other requirements in this section, grantees must comply with applicable state, local, and tribal codes and standards for floodplain management, including elevation, setbacks, and cumulative substantial damage requirements. Grantees using CDBG-DR funds as the non-Federal match in a FEMA-funded project may apply the alternative requirement for the elevation of structures described in section III.F.6. Structures that are elevated must meet federal accessibility standards.

- 6. Buyout activities. HUD is waiving 42 U.S.C. 5305(a) and establishing an alternative requirement only to the extent necessary to create a new eligible activity for buyouts. The term "buyouts" means the acquisition of properties located in a floodway, floodplain, or other Disaster Risk Reduction Area that is intended to reduce risk from future hazards.
- 7. Safe Housing incentives for disaster-affected communities. The limitation on eligible activities in section 42 U.S.C. 5305(a) is waived and HUD is establishing the following alternative requirement to establish safe housing incentives as an eligible activity. A safe housing incentive is any incentive provided to encourage households to relocate to suitable housing in a lower risk area or in an area promoted by the community's comprehensive recovery plan.

- 8. Alternative requirement for housing rehabilitation—assistance for second homes. HUD is instituting an alternative requirement to the rehabilitation provisions at 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4) as follows: properties that served as second homes at the time of the disaster, or following the disaster, are not eligible for rehabilitation assistance or safe housing incentives. This prohibition does not apply to acquisitions that meet the definition of a buyout.
- 9. Construction standard alternative requirement for elevation of nonresidential structures. The notice requires nonresidential structures in a floodplain be elevated or floodproofed, in accordance with FEMA floodproofing standards at 44 CFR 60.3(c)(3)(ii) or successor standard, up to at least two feet above the 100-year floodplain. All Critical Actions, as defined at 24 CFR 55.2(b)(3), within the 500-year (or 0.2 percent annual chance) floodplain must be elevated or floodproofed (in accordance with FEMA floodproofing standards at 44 CFR 60.3(c)(2)-(3) or successor standard) to the higher of the 500-year floodplain elevation or three feet above the 100-year floodplain elevation.
- 10. Requirements for flood control structures. Grantees that use CDBG-DR funds to assist flood control structures (i.e., dams and levees) are prohibited from using CDBG-DR funds to enlarge a dam or levee beyond the original footprint of the structure that existed before the disaster event, without obtaining pre-approval from HUD and any Federal agencies that HUD determines are necessary based on their involvement or potential involvement with the levee or dam.
- 11. Reimbursement of pre-application costs of homeowners, renters, businesses, and other qualifying entities. Grantees are permitted to charge to grants the pre-award and preapplication costs of homeowners, renters, businesses, and other qualifying entities for eligible costs these applicants have incurred in response to an eligible disaster. A grantee may not charge such pre-award or pre-application costs to grants if the grantee cannot meet all requirements at 24 CFR part 58. Under CDBG-DR authorizing legislation and HUD's environmental regulations in 24 CFR part 58, the CDBG-DR "recipient" (as defined in 24 CFR 58.2(a)(5), which differs from the definition in 2 CFR part 200) is the responsible entity that assumes the responsibility for completing environmental reviews under Federal laws and authorities. The responsible entity assumes all legal liability for the application, compliance, and enforcement of these requirements. Pre-award costs are also allowable when CDBG-DR assistance is provided for the rehabilitation, demolition, or reconstruction of government buildings, public facilities, and infrastructure. However, in such instances, the environmental review must occur before the underlying activity (e.g., rehabilitation of a government building) begins. Grantees are also required to consult with the State Historic Preservation Officer, Fish and Wildlife Service, and National Marine Fisheries Service, to obtain formal agreements for compliance with section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (54 U.S.C. 306108) and section 7 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1536) when designing a reimbursement program.
- 12. Alternative requirement for the elevation of structures when using CDBG-DR funds as the non-Federal match in a FEMA-funded project. The Secretary finds good cause to establish an alternative requirement for the use of an alternative, FEMA-approved flood standard

instead of the elevation requirements established in section II.B.2.c. and II.C.2. of the Consolidated Notice. The alternative requirements apply when: (a) CDBG-DR funds are used as the non-Federal match for FEMA assistance; (b) the FEMA-assisted activity, for which CDBG-DR funds will be used as match, commenced before HUD's obligation of CDBG-DR funds to the grantee; and (c) the grantee has determined and demonstrated with records in the activity file that implementation costs of the required CDBG-DR elevation or flood proofing requirements are not reasonable costs, as that term is defined in the applicable cost principles at 2 CFR 200.404.

- 13. Duplication of benefits. To comply with Section 312 and the requirement that all costs are necessary and reasonable, each grantee must ensure that each activity provides assistance to a person or entity only to the extent that the person or entity has disaster recovery needs that have not been fully met. Accordingly, grantees must comply with the requirements of the Federal Register notice published on June 20, 2019 entitled, "Updates to Duplication of Benefits Requirements Under the Stafford Act for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery Grantees" (2019 DOB Notice) (84 FR 28836).
- 14. Environmental requirements. Section IV.D. of the Consolidated Notice includes requirements and clarifications on the following provisions: 1) Clarifying note on the process for environmental release of funds when a state carries out activities directly; 2) Adoption of another agency's environmental review; 3) Historic preservation reviews; and 4) Tiered environmental reviews. These requirements and clarifications are further outlined later in this document.
- 15. Flood insurance. Funds used for existing residential buildings in the Special Flood Hazard Area must follow Federal laws and regulations related to both flood insurance and floodplain management and additional requirements outlined in the notice. When grantees use CDBG-DR funds to rehabilitate or reconstruct existing residential buildings in a Special Flood Hazard Area (or 100-year floodplain), the grantee must comply with applicable Federal, state, local, and tribal laws and regulations related to both flood insurance and floodplain management. The grantee must comply with section 102(a) of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (42 U.S.C. 4012a) which mandates the purchase of flood insurance protection for any HUD-assisted property within a Special Flood Hazard Area. Therefore, a HUD-assisted homeowner for a property located in a Special Flood Hazard Area must obtain and maintain flood insurance in the amount and duration prescribed by FEMA's National Flood Insurance Program. Additionally, the Consolidated Notice institutes alternative requirements to 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4) limiting the use of CDBG-DR assistance for rehabilitation/reconstruction of houses located in a floodplain at the time of the disaster in certain instances outlined in the Consolidated Notice. a. Prohibition on flood disaster assistance for failure to obtain and maintain flood insurance. Grantees must comply with section 582 of the National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994, as amended, (42 U.S.C. 5154a), which prohibits flood disaster assistance in certain circumstances. No Federal disaster relief assistance made available in a flood disaster area may be used to make a payment (including any loan assistance payment) to a person for "repair, replacement, or restoration" for damage to any personal, residential, or commercial property if that person at any time has received Federal flood disaster assistance that was conditioned on the person

first having obtained flood insurance under applicable Federal law and the person has subsequently failed to obtain and maintain flood insurance as required under applicable Federal law on such property. A grantee may not provide disaster assistance for the repair, replacement, or restoration of a property to a person who has failed to satisfy the Federal requirement to obtain and maintain flood insurance and must implement a process to verify and monitor for compliance with section 582 and the requirement to obtain and maintain flood insurance. Grantees are reminded that CDBG-DR funds may be used to assist beneficiaries in the purchase of flood insurance to comply with this requirement, subject to the requirements of cost reasonableness and other federal cost principles. b. Prohibition on flood disaster assistance for households above 120 percent of AMI for failure to obtain flood insurance. When a homeowner located in the floodplain allows their flood insurance policy to lapse, it is assumed that the homeowner is unable to afford insurance and/or is accepting responsibility for future flood damage to the home. Higher income homeowners who reside in a floodplain, but who failed to secure or decided to not maintain their flood insurance, should not be assisted at the expense of lower income households. To ensure that adequate recovery resources are available to assist lower income homeowners who reside in a floodplain but who are unlikely to be able to afford flood insurance, the Secretary finds good cause to establish an alternative requirement. The alternative requirement to 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4) is as follows: Grantees receiving CDBG-DR funds are prohibited from providing CDBG-DR assistance for the rehabilitation/reconstruction of a house, if (i) the combined household income is greater than either 120 percent of AMI or the national median, (ii) the property was located in a floodplain at the time of the disaster, and (iii) the property owner did not obtain flood insurance on the damaged property, even when the property owner was not required to obtain and maintain such insurance. c. Responsibility to inform property owners to obtain and maintain flood insurance. Section 582 of the National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994, as amended, (42 U.S.C. 5154a) is a statutory requirement that property owners receiving disaster assistance that triggers the flood insurance purchase requirement have a statutory responsibility to notify any transferee of the requirement to obtain and maintain flood insurance and to maintain such written notification in the documents evidencing the transfer of the property, and that the transferring owner may be liable if he or she fails to do so. A grantee or subrecipient receiving CDBG-DR funds must notify property owners of their responsibilities under section 582.

- 16. Federal accessibility requirements. Grantees are reminded that the use of CDBG-DR funds must meet accessibility standards, including, but not limited to, the Fair Housing Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, and Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- 17. Assistance to utilities. The 2023 Appropriations Act provides that funds under that Act or the 2022 Appropriations Act "may be used by a grantee to assist utilities as part of a disaster-related eligible activity under section 105(a) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5305(a))."

Accordingly, paragraph III.G.3 of the Consolidated Notice does not apply to funds under the 2023 Appropriations Act or the 2022 Appropriations Act, and HUD is adding a modified alternative requirement that applies in lieu of paragraph III.G.3.

HUD's alternative requirement below includes basic safeguards that HUD has determined are necessary to ensure that costs comply with the certification to give maximum feasible priority to activities that benefit LMI persons and that costs are necessary and reasonable and do not duplicate other financial assistance. The modified alternative requirement also makes clear that assistance to utilities is subject to all other requirements that apply to the use of funds, consistent with the requirement in the 2023 Appropriations Act that funds must be for an "eligible activity under section 105(a)."

For grants made in response to 2021 disasters under the 2023 Appropriations Act, the following alternative requirement applies:

A grantee may assist private for-profit, non-profit, or publicly owned utilities as part of disaster-related activities that are eligible under section 105(a) of the HCDA, or otherwise made eligible through a waiver or alternative requirement, provided that the grantee complies with the following: 1.) The funded activity must comply with applicable CDBG-DR requirements, including the requirements that the assisted activity will meet a national objective, the activity will address an unmet recovery need or a risk identified in the grantee's mitigation needs assessment, and if the assistance is provided to a for-profit entity for an economic development project under section 105(a)(17), the grantee must first comply with the underwriting requirements in section II.D.6 of the Consolidated Notice; 2.) Each grantee must carry out the grant consistent with the grantee's certification that:

"With respect to activities expected to be assisted with CDBG-DR funds, the action plan has been developed so as to give the maximum feasible priority to activities that will benefit low- and moderate-income families."

To fortify compliance with the existing certification, if the grantee carries out activities that assist privately-owned, for-profit utilities, the grantee must prioritize assistance to for-profit utilities that will benefit areas where at least 51 percent of the residents are LMI persons and demonstrate how assisting the private, for-profit utility will benefit those areas; and 3.) The grantee must determine that the costs of the activity to assist a utility are necessary and reasonable and that they do not duplicate other financial assistance. To fortify these requirements and achieve a targeted use of funds and to safeguard against the potential oversubsidization when assistance is used to carry out activities that benefit private, for-profit utilities, the grantee must document that the level of assistance provided to a private, for-profit utility addresses only the actual identified needs of the utility. Additionally, the grantee must establish policies and procedures to ensure that the CDBG–DR funds that assist private, for-profit utilities reflect the actual identified financing needs of the assisted businesses by establishing a mix of financing terms (loan, forgivable loan, and/or grant) for each assisted private, for-profit utility, based on the business's financial capacity, in order to ensure that assistance is based on actual identified need.

18. Reimbursement Requirements for Grants Under the 2023 Appropriations Act and Conforming Modifications of Requirements for the 2022 Appropriations Act. In paragraph III.F.5 of the Consolidated Notice, HUD permits grantees to charge to grants the pre-award and pre-application costs of homeowners, renters, businesses, and other qualifying entities for eligible costs these applicants have incurred in response to an

eligible disaster covered under a grantee's applicable Allocation Announcement Notice. In addition to other requirements, paragraph III.F.5 stipulates that grantees may charge the eligible pre-application costs to the grant only if (1) the person or private entity incurred the expenses within one year after the applicability date of the grantee's Allocation Announcement Notice (or within one year after the date of the disaster, whichever is later); and (2) the person or entity pays for the cost before the date on which the person or entity applies for CDBG-DR assistance.

To avoid confusion and to apply a uniform time frame to reimbursement of all preapplication costs for 2020 and 2021 disasters, the requirement in III.F.5.(1) in the February 2022 Notice, the May 2022 Notice, and the attached notice that states, "The person or private entity incurred the expenses within one year after the applicability date of the grantee's Allocation Announcement Notice (or within one year after the date of the disaster, whichever is later)" shall not apply, and instead, grantees shall comply with the following alternative: The person or private entity incurred the expenses within one year after the applicability date of the notice (either the February 2022 Notice or the May 2022 Notice) that announced the initial allocation of CDBG-DR funds (or within one year after the date of the disaster, whichever is later).

Assistance under the CDBG program is subject to the environmental review requirements of 24 CFR Part 58. Grantees are responsible for completing environmental reviews on specific projects in accordance with Part 58. When the grantee determines that the environmental review is complete, the grantee must submit a Request for Release of Funds and Certification and receive approval from HUD, if applicable, before it can commit funds or take any choice limiting action with respect to a project. Issuance of the notice does not constitute approval of any proposed projects. Any impacts arising from program activities would be localized and addressed in the appropriate environmental reviews prior to any choice-limiting actions.

In accordance with the Appropriations Act noted above, grant recipients of Federal funds that use such funds to supplement Federal assistance provided under sections 402, 403, 404, 406, 407, 408(c)(4), or 502 of the Stafford Act may adopt, without review or public comment, any environmental review, approval, or permit performed by a Federal agency, and such adoption shall satisfy the responsibilities of the recipient with respect to such environmental review, approval, or permit. The grant recipient must notify HUD in writing of its decision to adopt another agency's environmental review. Environmental requirements include historic preservation reviews. To facilitate expedited historic preservation (Section 106) reviews, HUD strongly encourages grantees to allocate administrative funds to retain a qualified historic preservation professional and support the capacity of the State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO)/Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) to review disaster recovery projects. As appropriate, grantees may use provisions in existing Section 106 Programmatic Agreements (PAs) to expedite Section 106 reviews.

In addition, the Appropriations Act allows the Secretary, upon a receipt of a Request for Release of Funds and certification, to immediately approve the release of funds for an assisted activity or project if the recipient has adopted an environmental review, approval, or permit from another Federal agency or if the activity or project is categorically excluded from review under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.). For these grants, HUD will allow a grantee to also carry out activities directly, in addition to distributing funds to

subrecipients. Thus, per 24 CFR 58.4, when a grantee carries out activities directly, the grantee must submit the Certification and Request for Release of Funds to HUD for approval. Grantees receiving an allocation of funds under the notice are encouraged to participate in an expedited and unified interagency review process as one means of expediting the implementation of disaster recovery projects.

Tiered environmental reviews, as described at 40 CFR 1508.1(ff) and 24 CFR 58.15, are a means of making the environmental review process more efficient by allowing parties to "eliminate repetitive discussions of the same issues, focus on the actual issues ripe for decision, and exclude from consideration issues already decided or not yet ripe at each level of environmental review" (40 CFR 1501.11(a)). Tiering is appropriate when a responsible entity is evaluating a single-family housing program with similar activities within a defined local geographic area and timeframe (e.g., rehabilitating single-family homes within a city district or county over the course of one to five years) but where the specific sites and activities are not yet known. Public notice and the Request for Release of Funds (HUD-Form 7015.15) are processed at a broad level, eliminating the need for publication at the site-specific level. However, funds cannot be spent or committed on a specific site or activity until the site-specific review has been completed and approved. HUD encourages grantees as Responsible Entities to develop a tiered approach to streamline the environmental review process whenever the action plan contains a program with multiple similar activities that will result in similar impacts.

Issuance of the notice does not constitute approval of any proposed projects. Any impacts arising from program activities would be localized and addressed in the appropriate environmental reviews prior to any choice-limiting actions. Accordingly, the issuance of the notice is deemed not to be a major Federal action having a significant impact on the human environment.

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