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HUD Procurement Learning Tools for PHAs Now Available!

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Housing Agency Procurement Assistance

Housing Authority Procurement Assistance

Hello,

Following is a message that was recently distributed by HUD. I am re-distributing this message as a public service to all registered on my procurement- and contracts-mentoring web site, procurementassistance.org. If you have any questions specifically pertaining to these HUD Procurement Learning Tools, please contact the PHA Procurement Team directly (I assume that the Team has a listing within the Contact area of hud.gov). I am also available to discuss any questions you may have pertaining to the Topics listed within the 2nd paragraph of the following HUD message.

I hope that you find this Notice a help.

Regards,
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Housing Agency Procurement Assistance

I have a consulting practice providing procurement- and contracts-related mentoring, training, and technical assistance to housing agencies. I help housing agencies conduct procurement and contracts in a HUD-compliant and "best practice" manner. [Click here](#) to see my full resume. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns pertaining to procurement and contracts (initial answering of questions is "no charge"). As I am either on-the-road or on the phone a lot, an initial contact by e-mail is best; please be sure to include your return telephone number (office/cellular) so that I can call you back.

TEXT OF THE NOTICE FROM HUD:

The Office of Capital Improvements (OCI) is pleased to make available a learning series on procurement basics for Public Housing Agencies. You can find the latest informational videos as well as handouts on our Learning Tools Webpage: http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/public_indian_housing/programs/ph/capfund/learningtools

Select "Procurement Toolkit" on the right-hand side of the page and from there you can choose to watch any of the topical videos at your own pace. Topics include: Administrative Requirements, Ethics & Conflicts of Interests, Procurement Planning, Independent Cost Estimates, Small Purchase Procedures, Sealed Bids, Competitive Proposals, Noncompetitive Proposals, Intergovernmental Agreements, and Force Account Labor. You will also find handouts for each topic as well as a list of references.

We hope that you find these resources helpful, especially as you work to timely obligate your Capital Funds. Feel free to share these resources with any relevant staff or Board members.

If you have any comments or questions, don't hesitate to contact PHAProcurement@hud.gov.

PHA Procurement Team
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Access the PHA Procurement Toolkit here! http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/public_indian_housing/programs/ph/capfund/learningtools#procurement

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