**Continuum of Care Representatives Conflict of Interest Statement**

**578.5 Establishing the Continuum of Care. (pg 59)**

(a)The Continuum of Care. Representatives from relevant organizations within a geographic area shall establish a Continuum of Care for the geographic area to carry out the duties of this part. Relevant organizations include nonprofit homeless assistance providers, victim service providers, faith based organizations, governments, businesses, advocates, public housing agencies, school districts, social service providers, mental health agencies, hospitals, universities, affordable housing developers, law enforcement, and organizations that serve veterans and homeless and formerly homeless individuals.

(b) The Steering Committee. The Continuum of Care must establish a Steering Committee to act on behalf of the Continuum using the process established as a requirement by 578.7(a)(3) and must comply with the conflict-of-interest requirements at 578.95(b). The Steering Committee must:

(1) Be representative of the relevant organizations and of projects serving homeless subpopulations; and

(2) Include at least one homeless or formerly homeless individual.

**578.95 Conflict of interest. (pg 105)**

(a) Procurement. For the procurement of property (goods, supplies, or equipment) and services, the recipient and its sub recipients must comply with the codes of conduct and conflict-of-interest requirements under 24 CFR 85.36 (for governments) and 24 CFR 84.42 (for private nonprofit organizations).

(b) Continuum of Care Steering Committee members. No Continuum of Care Steering Committee member may participate in or influence discussions or resulting decisions concerning the award of a grant or other financial benefits to the organization that the member represents.

**Conflict of Interest Statement**

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not a recipient/sub recipient of CoC Funding. I will not influence discussions or resulting decisions concerning other financial benefits to the organization I represent.

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