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1C-7. PHA Homeless Preference	No	PHA Homeless Pref...	09/23/2022
1C-7. PHA Moving On Preference	No	PHA Moving On Pre...	09/23/2022
1E-1. Local Competition Deadline	Yes	Local Competition...	09/23/2022
1E-2. Local Competition Scoring Tool	Yes	Local Competition...	09/23/2022
1E-2a. Scored Renewal Project Application	Yes	Scored Renewal Pr...	09/23/2022
1E-5. Notification of Projects Rejected-Reduced	Yes	Notification of P...	09/23/2022
1E-5a. Notification of Projects Accepted	Yes	Notification of P...	09/23/2022
1E-5b. Final Project Scores for All Projects	Yes	Final Project Sco...	09/23/2022
1E-5c. Web Posting—CoC-Approved Consolidated Application	Yes	Web Posting—CoC-A...	09/28/2022
1E-5d. Notification of CoC-Approved Consolidated Application	Yes	Notification of C...	09/26/2022
3A-1a. Housing Leveraging Commitments	No	Housing Leveragin...	09/23/2022

3A-2a. Healthcare Formal Agreements	No		
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**1C-7. Public Housing Agencies within Your CoC's Geographic Area–New Admissions–
General/Limited Preference**

This attachment contains the following:

1. **Troy Housing Authority** – PHA
 - a. Administrative Plan – General - Highlighted Section: Homeless Preference
2. **Hoosick Housing Authority** - PHA
 - a. No Homeless Preference

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4-III.C. SELECTION METHOD

PHAs must describe the method for selecting applicant families from the waiting list, including the system of admission preferences that the PHA will use [24 CFR 982.202(d)].

Local Preferences [24 CFR 982.207; HCV p. 4-16]

PHAs are permitted to establish local preferences, and to give priority to serving families that meet those criteria. HUD specifically authorizes and places restrictions on certain types of local preferences. HUD also permits the PHA to establish other local preferences, at its discretion. Any local preferences established must be consistent with the PHA plan and the consolidated plan and must be based on local housing needs and priorities that can be documented by generally accepted data sources.

Troy Housing Authority Policy

The PHA will give each of the following preferences one (1) preference point:

- A. Families of Federally-declared disasters as certified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).
- B. Working families where the head, spouse, co-head, or sole member is employed 20 hours or more per week and those unable to work because of age (62+) or disability. (Working means documented employment or contracting of 20 hours or more per week that will be reported to the Internal Revenue Service.)
- C. U.S. Veterans or Active U.S. Service Members, except those who were dishonorably discharged. This includes the surviving spouse of a deceased service member or veteran.
- D. Applicants who live in Troy, New York (including applicants temporarily placed outside the city, through no fault of their own by Rensselaer County Department of Social Services whose last permanent address was within the City of Troy, New York). Applicants working in Troy or who have a verified job offer in Troy are eligible for this residency preference.
- E. Families from the jurisdiction of Troy Housing Authority who have become homeless, through no fault of their own, and are presently being housed in shelters or motels through assistance from the Rensselaer County Department of Social Services.
- F. Households with non-elderly persons (18- 62 years of age) with disabilities transitioning out of institutional and other segregated settings, at serious risk of institutionalization, homeless, or at risk of becoming homeless.

The PHA will not deny a local preference, nor otherwise exclude or penalize a family in admission to the program, solely because the family resides in public housing.

Homeless
Preference



1C-7: Public Housing Agencies within Your CoC's Geographic Area Moving On Strategy

This attachment contains the following:

1. Moving On Preferences
 - a. **Troy Housing Authority (THA)** - PHA
 - i. Emergency Housing Voucher (EHV) Memorandum of Understanding –
Highlighted Section: Moving On preference in local priority
2. NY-512's Written Standards excerpt that details the CoC's Moving On Strategy.

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Memorandum of Understanding

Created and entered into on June 15, 2021

Between

Troy Housing Authority (PHA)

1 Eddy's Lane

Troy, New York 12180

and

**Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative (RCHSC)
aka NY-512 Troy/Rensselaer County Continuum of Care (CoC)**

c/o CARES OF NY, INC.

200 Henry Johnson Blvd, Suite 4

Albany NY 12210

I. Introduction and Goals:

- The PHA and CoC commit to administering the Emergency Housing Vouchers (EHVs) in accordance with all program requirements.
- The PHA goal is to administer and fully utilize all available EHVs. The standard of success in administering the program will be complete utilization of the EHVs.
- Identification of staff position at the PHA and CoC who will serve as the lead EHV liaisons.

PHA Lead HCV Liaison: Michael Belanger, Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Program Manager
Responsibilities of the PHA EHV liaison: Oversee utilization of EHVs.

CoC Lead Staff Liaison: Andra Ordansky, Coordinated Entry Manager
(Joseph's House Planning and Grants Coordinator)

Responsibilities of the CoC EHV liaison: Oversees the prioritization of applicants and referrals to the EHV Program through the CoC

Moving-on Preference

II. Define the populations eligible for EHV assistance to be referred by CoC.

Tier 1 – Recently Homeless – Individuals and families who are in Permanent Supportive Housing and are assessed by CE as having service needs that have been resolved but who still need rental subsidy to remain stably housed.

Tier 2 – Individuals and families who are **Homeless** and/or **fleeing, or attempting to flee, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking**, and who are assessed by CE as having service needs that are resolved through RRH or other community providers, and who still will need a long term rental subsidy to become and to remain stably housed.

Tier 3 – At Risk of Homelessness - Individuals and families who are at risk of losing their housing, and who are assessed by CE as having service needs that are resolved by Homelessness Prevention or other community providers but who still need a long term rental subsidy to be stably housed.

Applicants will be referred and tiered on a unique EHV Wait List. Within each tier, the CE system will generate a ranking value. There will be no further ranking based on local preferences as established for the regular HCV Program.

Because the EHV waiting list is based on direct referrals from the COC or requests through the PHA's VAWA emergency transfer plan and not applications from the general public, HUD is waiving § 982.206, which requires the PHA to give public notice when opening and closing the waiting list. Under this alternative requirement, the PHA will work directly with the CoC and other referral agency partners to manage the number of referrals and the

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MOVE ON STRATEGY FOR RECOGNITION OF TENANT INDEPENDENCE

Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative (RCHSC) has created a Move On Strategy to transition households in Supportive Housing (including Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) and Rapid Rehousing (RRH)) who no longer need intensive services to affordable housing. This strategy is broken into Phase I and Phase II, and sets out the actions RCHSC will take to ensure the community has suitable long-term, affordable housing options for tenants ready to move on, and that tenants have the skills and are empowered to make this decision. The fundamental goal of the Move On Strategy is to promote the highest levels of independence and choice for tenants, as well as to create flow in supportive housing units to ensure these units are available for currently homeless families and individuals with disabilities who need housing combined with services. Promoting economic mobility and self-sufficiency, the Move On Strategy is first and foremost about celebrating growth, recovery and tenant success, and ensures all services are provided using strengths-based language and a recovery-focused model. Below details the CoC's process for identifying tenants who are eligible to move on; documentation needed to request ideal candidates for the strategy; and providing guidance for tenants on safety and security while prioritizing resources where they are most needed. The plan is based on a model Move On strategy discussed by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Corporation for Supportive Housing. The RCHSC Board and Coordinated Entry committee will be responsible for providing regular trainings, resources, relationship building, and outcome tracking to support implementation of and monitor the Moving On Strategy.

Recruiting Affordable Housing Providers

The Move On Strategy targets existing tenants in supportive housing who are stable and require only minimal supportive services. These tenants are, with client choice, assisted to transition to a mainstream rent subsidy (typically the Housing Choice Voucher program) or an affordable housing unit, which frees up their subsidy for someone who is chronically homeless and needs the intensive services and long-term subsidies offered in supportive housing. The mainstream rent subsidy may include programs like Public Housing Authorities (PHAs), multifamily assisted housing owners, Low Income Tax Credit (LIHTC) developments, and local low-income housing programs. Phase I of the Move On Strategy has been implemented with the Troy Housing Authority (THA), who works with local supportive housing providers to support clients in moving on from supportive housing units. Phase II of the Move On Strategy will include formalizing this practice with THA and recruiting other local affordable housing providers to participate in the program, by setting preferences for tenants moving on from supportive housing.

Identifying Households for Moving On

Housing providers identify households in supportive housing that may be ready to move on through ongoing case management with tenants. Specifically, program staff meet with tenants on an ongoing basis to establish tenant goals and set a plan towards meeting those goals, utilizing strengths-based language and a recovery-focused model. Program staff implement a client-choice model by ensuring tenants know there is a voluntary option to move on. Program staff ensure tenants interested in moving on (1) have demonstrated the ability to live stably and maintain housing, (2) will meet PHA (or other affordable housing providers) screening criteria, and (3) understand the decision to move on from supportive housing is voluntary. During Phase II of this strategy, a standardized assessment for moving on will be developed and implemented.

Program staff work with tenants to create a formal and comprehensive transition plan that identifies tenant strengths, living skills and the supports necessary to help them meet transition goals. Pre-transition plans are individualized to meet the specific needs of each household. Some common resources or supports tenants often need and are connected to include: employment supports, benefits counseling, activities of

daily living skills, community living skills, and connection to community-based services. As households volunteer, housing providers make referrals to the PHA (or other affordable housing providers).

Eligibility Considerations for Tenants

Individuals are identified by housing provider program staff who work directly with clients in the housing programs. Clients should meet four basic criteria in order to be recommended to move on: 1) a good rental history of on-time payments, 2) evidence of “good neighbor” behavior without any complaints or property management conflicts, 3) supported progress of quantitative areas and 4) low service needs. Housing providers identify households in supportive housing who may be candidates for moving on by analyzing observations (interviews/survey’s, demonstrated ability to live stably and maintain housing or any other mitigating circumstances) combined with quantitative key areas for assessing tenant capacity, motivation, confidence and emotional readiness. These key quantitative areas include:

- Emotional independence (interest and confidence in moving on),
- Financial Capacity (employment, income, savings, budgeting skills),
- Housing history (housing tenure, rent arrears, past evictions, neighbor/landlord relationships)
- Intensity of service use (need for on-site services),
- Health/behavioral health (substance use, mental health, medication management, treatment engagement, mobility),
- Connection to mainstream resources (rental supports if needed),
- Connection to family or other natural supports,
- Community living skills (self-managing behavior, limit setting relating to drugs, etc.),
- Activities of daily living skills (ability to get meals, keep apartment clean, follow lease), and
- Housing goals (location, size, affordability, live with family/friends).

Transition Services

Housing Providers are required to provide: assistance with locating and securing a housing unit; case management to support transition including but not limited to assistance building linkages to community supports and services, such as mental and physical health services, substance use treatment, stores for groceries and other necessities, recreational activities and public transportation options; and support with landlord negotiations. Services offered may also include: providing funds to cover moving services, utility deposits/arrears and furniture/household items; and assistance with family reunification.

Aftercare Supports

RCHSC recommends housing providers offer voluntary aftercare services to individuals who have moved on for at least six months after their move-out, and track types of supports provided and outcomes of those supports. It is recommended housing providers provide a minimum of two check-ins per month that can be in-person, by phone or by email.

Creating a Culture of Moving On

RCHSC believes a programmatic reward/incentive structure for Moving On can assist in further promoting a culture of independence and self-sufficiency. The CoC will develop a variety of strategies to publicize and build interest in Moving On opportunities, including providing trainings on and working with providers to: post fliers in highly visible locations; host community meetings on Moving On; conducting one-on-one outreach to tenants; and encourage Moving On peers to talk about their experiences and engage tenants.

Moving on Timing and Availability

RCHSC understands a Move On request may not be able to be satisfied immediately due to a variety of variables. However, the housing program will act as quickly as possible with community partners to move a tenant into appropriate affordable housing.

Ongoing CoC Assessment of Move On Strategy

Once annually the CoC will assess the success of this Move On Strategy, reviewing number/percentage of persons who have moved on and rate of retention in affordable housing destinations. The CoC will also discuss strengths/weaknesses related to the strategy's recommendations for recruiting affordable housing providers, identifying households for moving on, eligibility considerations for tenants, transition services, aftercare supports, and creating a culture of moving on.

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 - (b) June 8, 2022 email and website screenshot announcing the **final** Rank & Review **Renewal Part 1 Tool** is ready for completion
 - (c) August 9, 2022 email and website screenshot announcing the **draft** Rank & Review **Renewal Parts 2 Tool** is ready for public comment
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 - (g) August 9, 2022 email: Summary 2022 NOFO with Rank and Review Deadlines

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Dear RCHSC Membership,

The public comment period for the 2022 CoC Rank and Review Written Process and 2022 CoC Rank and Review Part 1 Tool is now open. Please use the link below to view the documents:

https://caresny.org/rank-and-review-2022/#512_RCHSC

Please send all comments to hschmidhamer@caresny.org by 2 PM April 19th, 2022.

Thank you!

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[Final Version NY-512 Rank and Review 06-03-2022.pdf](#)
Importance: High

Dear Continuum of Care Applicants,

Please see the attached:

- Rank and Review Tool
- Final HMIS Data Attachments

The application is also available on the CARES website: [Rank and Review NY-512 - 2022 | CARES of NY, Inc. \(caresny.org\)](#)

The application must be completed by COB Wednesday, June 15, 2022 and submitted in one PDF attachment. Please include the Rank and Review completed Tool and supporting Data Attachments as specified on the tool. Applications should be submitted to hschmidhamer@caresny.org using your agency name/project name as the subject line.

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2022 RENEWAL PROJECTS

All currently funded projects that are looking to be funded again must complete Rank and Review application materials below

[NY-512 Rank and Review Tool \(Part 1\)](#)

Release Date: **June 8, 2022** Due Date: **June 15, 2022**

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(j) August 9, 2022 email: Summary 2022 NOFO with Rank and Review Deadlines

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Subject: NY-512/RCHSC CoC: Important FY22 CoC Application Information & Dates

Date: Tuesday, August 9, 2022 11:28:00 AM

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Good Morning, RCHSC Members,

As noted last week, the FY22 Continuum of Care Notice of Funding Opportunities is now available [here](#) and due September 30th, 2022. This email details available resources, the FY22 Competition Submission Timeline, and a NOFO Summary. Please note, the CoC Application and Project Applications are not yet available in [Esnaps](#) for completion. Additionally, HUD has not yet released the CoC's Annual Renewal Demand, CoC Bonus, or DV Bonus amounts. CARES will alert you when Esnaps is open and the available amount of funds is announced.

Please also be aware, this year HUD has an extremely truncated timeline for submitting the CoC Application. We appreciate in advance your attention to requests for votes and deadlines.

This application is separate from the CoC Supplemental NOFO; for more information on the Supplemental, contact [Michelle Sandoz-Dennis](#).

[Available Resources](#)

CARES' website is a resource for the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) and Rank and Review information and deadlines. Below are links to important information.

[Rank and Review timeline/deadlines](#)

- [Esnaps Project Submission Application timeline/deadlines](#)
- [NOFO summary](#)
- [CARES' Webinars](#)
- [HUD available resources](#)

Please be sure to visit these links throughout the FY22 NOFO process for important updates.

Webinars

In order to provide an in-depth summary of the NOFO and to provide technical assistance to agencies applying for funds, CARES will produce the following webinar series:

1. NOFO Summary: HUD Priorities and the Consolidated Application
2. New Project Application: Bonus Project and Reallocation Information
3. Domestic Violence Bonus
4. Opportunities for Renewing Projects: Consolidation and Transition
5. E-Snaps Refresher – Setting-Up a Renewal Project
6. E-Snaps Refresher – Setting-Up a New Project

These webinars will be available on or by end of business August 12th. To access the page these are posted on, click [here](#). For Esnaps technical assistance, please contact [Megan Dolan](#) (ext. 727).

[FY22 CoC Consolidated Application](#)

The FY22 CoC Consolidated Application is made up of three parts:

1. CoC Application: In the community portion of the application, the Collaborative Applicant responds to narrative questions and provides attached documents to describe the CoC planning body, governance structure, overall performance, and the strategic planning process. This part of the application is scored and will determine the order in which CoCs are funded. **Please note:** once the CoC Application is available in Esnaps, CARES will post a blank copy to our website for your information. CARES estimates beginning to publicly post drafts of the application on our website by September 9th, and will accept comments through September 23rd. Please check [the public posting section](#) of CARES' NOFO website for updates.
2. Project Application: Project applications must be completed in Esnaps by applicants for all renewal, new, CoC Planning, and UFA costs, and include a description of the project, proposed budget, and required attachments.
3. CoC Priority Listing: The CoC Priority Listing ranks project applications (including reallocated, CoC Bonus, DV Bonus, and renewal applications) in order of priority based on the Rank and Review scoring outcomes.

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[FY22 CoC Project Application Submission Timeline](#)

Renewal and New Project Applications (which include applications for projects requesting reallocated, Bonus, and/or DV Bonus funding) must be submitted both through the local CoC Rank and Review Process AND through Esnaps. Please note, acceptance of a project application through the Rank and Review Process is no guarantee this project will be funded by HUD (particularly for New Project

Applications, which are highly competitive nationally).

Rank & Review Project Submission Timeline

Renewal Applications:

- Completed: Rank and Review Part I
- August 17th: Rank and Review Part 2 Application Released.
- August 24th: Rank and Review Part 2 Application due to CARES (please send to [\(Haleigh Schmidhamer\)](#)).

New Applications:

- August 17th: Rank and Review New Project Application RFP and DV Bonus Application released.
- August 24th: Rank and Review New Project Application RFP and DV Bonus Application due to CARES (please send to [\(Haleigh Schmidhamer\)](#)).

Esnaps Project Submission Timeline

- August 19th: All Renewal Project Applications due in Esnaps. CARES will review all project applications in Esnaps and will provide recommended edits by September 1st. Final edits to renewal project applications in Esnaps due September 7th.
- August 24th: All New Project Applications (including those applying for the DV Bonus) due in Esnaps. CARES will review all project applications in Esnaps and will provide recommended edits by September 12th. Final edits to new project applications in Esnaps due September 16th.
Please note: if you are applying for a New or DV Bonus Application, you will need to submit your application for Rank & Review AND in Esnaps simultaneously. However, your application will only be submitted to HUD with the full CoC Application in Esnaps if your project scores high enough through Rank & Review. This requirement to simultaneously submit a new project Rank & Review application and Esnaps application is due to the truncated timeline offered by HUD this year.

Important Note About SAM & UEI:

Registration with the federal System for Award Management (SAM) is required for submission of applications in Esnaps. For more information, visit <https://www.sam.gov/SAM>. Applicants must provide a valid Unique Entity Identifier (UEI), registered and active on the SAM website, in the project application. Applicants not registered with SAM or that do not have a valid UEI will be deemed ineligible.

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FY22 New Project Information Session

A 2022 CoC Funding Opportunity for New Projects – Information Session will be held Tuesday, August 16th at 11:30am. During this information session we will review CoC funding basics, provide an overview of CoC Bonus and DV Bonus funding opportunities, and discuss how to apply.

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FY22 Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) Summary

Approximately \$2.7 billion is available through the FY 2022 CoC Program Competition. This funding serves to:

1. Promote a community-wide commitment to end homelessness
2. Provide funding to non-profits, states, and local governments
3. Promote access to and effective utilization of mainstream resources to optimize self-sufficiency

The following are HUD policy priorities emphasized for FY 2022. Those bolded are new policy priorities this year.

1. Ending homelessness for all persons
2. Using a Housing First Approach
3. Reducing Unsheltered Homelessness
4. Improving System Performance*
5. Partnering with Housing, Health, and Service Agencies
6. Taking Action to Increase Racial Equity
7. Improving Assistance to LGBTQ+ Individuals
8. Including Persons with Lived Experience in Planning and Funding Decision Making
9. Advocating to Increase Affordable Housing

Please note, in FY21 HUD recognized the effects of COVID-19 on CoC performance and data quality and reduced the points available for rating factors related to system performance. This FY22 CoC NOFO significantly increases the points available for system performance rating factors (from 23 points in FY21 to 59 points in FY22).

There have been some additional important changes in the FY22 NOFO:

1. Tribal Organizations and Areas: Tribal Organizations and Tribal Designated Entities are eligible to apply for CoC funds; new this year if applied for through CoC registration, Tribal Areas are eligible to be added to the geographic area of a CoC.
2. Increased emphasis on CoC evaluation of racial disparities: HUD has increased the number of points related to whether CoCs and homeless providers have identified barriers that lead to racial disparities, have taken steps to eliminate those barriers to improve racial equity, and have implemented measures to evaluate the efficacy of the steps taken. Points will be awarded to CoCs that promote racial equity through the local CoC Rank & Review competition.
3. Increased emphasis on addressing the needs of LGBTQ+ individuals: HUD has placed greater emphasis on CoCs implementing and training their providers on the CoC-wide anti-discrimination policies that ensure LGBTQ+ individuals and families receive necessary services, shelter, and housing free from discrimination. Additional points have been added for CoCs that have updated their CoC-wide antidiscrimination policies with stakeholder feedback.
4. Addressing COVID-19: In FY2022 HUD is asking CoCs to demonstrate how they will build on partnerships that have increased the safety of persons experiencing homelessness from contracting COVID-19. Expanded partnerships should specifically ensure the community is prepared to prevent and respond to future infectious disease outbreaks amongst people experiencing homelessness.
5. Partnering with victim service providers: HUD added scoring factors based on CoC's demonstration of collaborating with victim service providers and projects' plans to include survivors with lived experience in policy and program development.

6. Advocating for affordable housing: HUD added a rating factor that awards points to CoCs that engage local leaders about increasing affordable housing supply.

A brief summary of important topics from the NOFO are below.

- **Tiering:** HUD requires CoCs to tier projects (excluding Planning and UFA Projects).
 - Tier 1 is equal to 95 percent of the CoC's Annual Renewal Demand (ARD).
 - Tier 2 is the difference between Tier 1 and the maximum amount of renewal, reallocation, and CoC Bonus funds the CoC can apply for.
 - Bonus funding is available to apply for in the amount of 5% of the CoC Final Pro Rata Need (FPRN).
 - DV Bonus funding is available to apply for in the amount of 10% of the Preliminary Pro Rata Need (PPRN) (not to be less than \$50,000). Please note, this is a decrease from 15% in FY21.

As a note: The DV Bonus is included within tiering. If a project application designated as DV Bonus is conditionally selected by HUD with DV Bonus funds, HUD will remove the ranked DV Bonus project from the New Project Listing and all other project applications ranked below the DV Bonus project will slide up one rank position

- **Bonus and Reallocated funding:** Bonus and Reallocated funding is available for the below eligible project types.
 - Permanent Supportive Housing that is Dedicated PLUS (see page 22) OR has 100% of beds dedicated to persons experiencing chronic homelessness.
 - Rapid Rehousing
 - Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing
 - HMIS (or a comparable DV Database)
 - Support Service Only – Coordinated Entry

The amount of funding to create new projects through reallocation will depend on the amount of current project funds returned to the CoC. HUD highly recommends CoCs pursue reallocation to ensure CoC-funded projects are addressing the most pressing community needs, are high performing, and are not returning funds to HUD. For more information regarding reallocation, please review the [Rank and Review Process](#).

- **DV Bonus:** Again this year an additional bonus opportunity is available for projects to serve survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking that are homeless. \$52 million (a reduction from \$102 million in FY21) is available nationwide. Below are the eligible project types.
 - Rapid Rehousing (RRH)
 - Joint Transitional Housing-Rapid Rehousing (TH-RRH)
 - Support Service Only – Coordinated Entry (SSO-CE)

A CoC can only submit one project application for an SSO-CE project. However, a CoC may apply for any number of RRH and Joint TH-RRH projects provided that each application is for

at least \$50,000. A CoC may also apply to expand an existing renewal project, including one that was previously funded with DV Bonus funding.

- Expansion Grants: Again this year, HUD is allowing renewal project applicants to submit a new project application to expand its current operations by adding units, beds, persons served, services provided, or an increase in HMIS activities. Expansion grants can utilize Bonus Funding, reallocation dollars or DV Bonus Funding, assuming the expansion will serve survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Transition Grants and Consolidated Projects: Again this year, HUD is allowing for Transition Grants and Consolidated Projects. A Transition Grant is a grant that allows agencies to change component types. Consolidated Projects combine projects that are operated by the same agency and for the same project component type. Click [here](#) for a more complete summary on CARES' website.

CARES looks forward to working with you to ensure another year of successful CoC funding. If you have any questions about what is detailed in the NOFO, please feel free to reach out to me directly.

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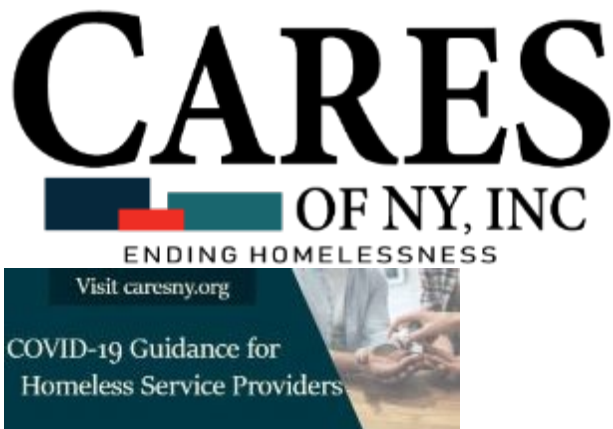
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1E-2. Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in Its Local Competition.

This attachment details the Rank & Review process for NY-512 as noted in their Written Process. Blank tools have been attached for the Renewal, New/DV Bonus, and Bonus CE/HMIS Applications.

1. **Scoring tool used in NY-512's local competition to score new and renewal applications - for all project application types.**
 - (a) NY-512's Rank and Review Written Process
 - (b) Blank Renewal Application Tool
 - (c) Blank New/DV Project Application Tool
 - (d) Blank Bonus CE/HMIS Application Tool
 - (e) Ranking and Tiering
 - This document showcases the actual points awarded for each project
 - (f) Objective Criteria, System Performance Criteria, and Considerations for Projects that Serve Clients with Severe Barriers to Housing & Services Chart
 - This document showcases:
 - **objective criteria** for the project applications
 - **system performance** criteria for the project applications
 - the available points for projects that address **severe barriers to housing and services**
 - (g) System Performance Data Attachment
 - This document is an attachment to the Rank and Review Renewal Application Tool and provides applicants with data to answer the tool's data-based questions.
 - This document showcases data used from comparable databases to score projects submitted by victim service providers

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-512 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(a) NY-512's Rank and Review Written Process

RENSSELAER COUNTY HOMELESS SERVICES COLLABORATIVE: 2022 RANK AND REVIEW PROCESS

Background

HUD's Continuum of Care (CoC) homeless assistance program serves as a source of funding for homeless services in Rensselaer County, and the planning body coordinating these services is the Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative (RCHSC). Working with the CoC (RCHSC) and providing support and technical assistance is CARES of NY, Inc., the Collaborative Applicant.

In 2021, Rensselaer CoC (RCHSC) received \$4,060,098 from HUD to support 15 housing projects for homeless individuals and families. Through the CoC, HUD awards homeless assistance grants through an annual application process known as the CoC Program Competition.

HUD requires that the CoC (RCHSC) prioritize programs which most effectively serve the community at the local level. To reach this goal, a Rank and Review Process has been implemented for applicants who wish to renew their project/s and for new and/or bonus projects, if bonus funding is available. The process of ranking and reviewing projects is designed to help the CoC (RCHSC) learn about each project's performance and effectiveness.

The Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative (RCHSC) NOFA Committee is charged with overseeing the Rank and Review process. As stated in the RCHSC Governance Charter, the NOFA Committee is responsible for "assisting the Collaborative Applicant in preparing and submitting the Continuum of Care application" including the design and operation of a collaborative process for developing and approving the submission of applications. Each year the Rank & Review Application Tool (Renewal and New/Bonus) and a Review Team is established by the Committee, which is then reviewed and approved by both the Board and full Membership.

CoC Transparency

The annual Rank and Review process is conducted in a transparent manner to ensure a fair and consistent way to prioritize projects. Each year, feedback regarding the process and tools is solicited. The process is publicly announced by the CoC, distributed in writing to the full CoC Membership, and posted publicly on the CARES, Inc. website for all community members to review and comment.

FY 2022 Rank and Review Application

The RCHSC emphasizes the importance and impact of using the Rank & Review Application as the primary basis for determining the ranking within the Project Listing submitted as part of the CoC Consolidated Application. The Rank & Review Application is thoughtfully revised each year to include both HUD and CoC standards, incorporating both national and local priorities, balancing objective performance measures with subjective narrative descriptions of project operations.

Review and Approval of the Rank & Review Renewal Application

After the annual CoC Application is submitted to HUD by the Collaborative Applicant, the NOFA Committee begins discussing that prior year's Rank and Review Written Process and Application, based on feedback from reviewers and applicants. The NOFA Committee:

1. Establishes a tentative timeline annually for the Rank and Review Process, working around

the NOFA release.

2. Discusses the prior year's Rank & Review Application Tools, Written Process, and feedback from reviewers and applicants.
3. Revises the Applications based on information gained on behalf of the CoC in the past year.
4. Recommends 3-5 Review Team members, considering previous and potential new reviewers.
5. Presents the revised Written Process, Application Tools and Review Team to full Membership for review, allowing for a one-week comment period per HUD NOFA guidance after each phase. Any comments from Membership are considered by the Committee and any further revisions are determined and accepted by the Board.
6. Presents the revised draft of the Written Process, Reviewers and Application Tools (Renewal, New/Bonus) to the RCHSC Board in phases. Any subsequent recommendations for changing the Written Process, Reviewers and/or Application Tools from the Board (majority vote) will be made by the Committee.
7. Finalizes and distributes the Rank & Review Application Tools with Membership for agencies to complete.
8. Opportunities for New/Bonus Projects are discussed with CoC Membership.

Project Participation

Renewal Projects

Each Renewal project completes a Rank and Review Application. The 2022 Rank & Review Application process will occur in two (2) parts, with the intent to allow agencies adequate time to complete the full Rank & Review Application.

* Please Note: Coordinated Entry, Planning, and HMIS projects are not required to fill out a renewal application.

*Renewal projects should have one federal fiscal years' worth of data (10/1-9/30) so should be in operation for one full federal fiscal year. See Project Tiering below for more information on how these projects are included in the final tiering.

- **Part 1** focuses on project and system outcomes, using project data entered in HMIS and objective questions to "rate" projects. The HMIS data used in Part 1 is from the previous HUD Fiscal Year (Oct 1 - Sep 30). This HMIS data used in Part 1 has been cleaned and reviewed for data quality errors when submitted to HUD for the Longitudinal Systems Analysis (LSA) report. Agencies must confirm Part 1 Data Attachment accuracy within five business days of receipt. During the Part 1/Data Training Session, agencies will be instructed on how to confirm the accuracy of the Data Attachment values.

If errors are identified on the Data Attachment, the agency must submit the Data Correction Form on the CARES Website. CARES staff will review the Data Correction Form submission to determine if the requested change is a calculation error. If the request is a calculation error, CARES staff will correct the error and resubmit the Data Attachments for the agency's review. After receiving the corrected Data Attachments, agency staff will review the changes and if no additional errors are identified, then agency staff will submit the Data Confirmation Form on the CARES website. If the request for Data Correction Form is determined to not be a calculation error, CARES staff will notify the agency of the decision and request the agency to submit the Data Confirmation Form.

If no errors are identified on the Data Attachment, the agency will submit the Data Confirmation Form on the CARES website. If an agency does not submit a Data Correction Form or Data Confirmation Form after five business days following the Part 1/Data Training Session, then the

data will be considered accurate and confirmed.

- **Part 2** focuses on qualitative project and system outcome data; allowing staff to explain in narrative unique circumstances that affect project performance and answer questions related to local priorities.

New Project Proposals

A separate application is required for Bonus and Reallocated project proposals. The CoC will create this application for new projects proposals. New proposals will be scored and ranked against other. New project proposals will automatically be ranked below renewal projects. The Review Team reviews and scores all New/Bonus project applications submitted. The community's goal is to apply for the maximum amount of available funds. The same appeals process that applies to Renewal applications applies to New/Bonus project applications.

Bonus Projects: Bonus funds may be available each year. The CoC is permitted to apply for Bonus Projects which will compete nationally against other Bonus Project Applications based on a HUD scoring system set forth in the NOFA. HUD notifies the CoC if Bonus Funds are available annually and how funds may be used. Proposed Bonus Projects must complement and fulfill unmet need/s in the community. The CoC will create a separate application for new projects proposals (separate RFP), and new proposals will be scored and ranked against other. The CoC will issue public notification of the amount of Bonus funding available, if any, along with a deadline to respond to the Request for Proposals. Bonus Projects will be selected in order to apply for all available funds.

Reallocated Projects: Reallocation is the process by which the CoC shifts funds, in whole or in part, from existing eligible renewal grant(s) in order to create new projects which will meet unmet local need/s. CoC agencies which voluntarily choose to reallocate funds will receive priority in the Ranking Process (also overseen by the Review Team). Project types that can be developed through reallocation are decided annually by HUD.

Data Sign-Off for Phase 1

Applicants must review data attachments provided by the Collaborative Applicant, and sign-off (within a one-week period) stating the data is correct. *If the data sign-off form is not completed by the provided date, it will be assumed the data is correct.* If edits to the data are noted within the one-week timeframe, those edits will be reviewed and made, if applicable, by the Collaborative Applicant. If edits to the data are made after the one-week timeframe, those edits will not be made by the Collaborative Applicant. The agency may present any proposed errors to the Review Team during the Appeals Process (see below), the Review Team will then decide on awarding additional points based on the new data. All agencies should review and confirm their data within the one-week period in order to ensure maximum number of points are awarded based on accurate data.

Debriefings

At the end of each part, Renewal Projects and New/Bonus Projects will receive a scorecard from the Collaborative Applicant and will have an opportunity to request a debriefing of their scores with the Collaborative Applicant.

Review Team

Members of the Review Team include individuals from the Continuum who are not CoC funded or

from neighboring communities knowledgeable about the CoC process, services, and its providers. Reviewers are non-funded, objective individuals who may be members and non-members of the CoC. The Collaborative Applicant invites potential Review Team members to participate in the CoC's Rank & Review process. Each reviewer is provided a copy of project applications and score card forms. The Review Team convenes to score each application which results in the CoC ranking from highest to lowest points. In the event project applications receive the same score it is the responsibility of the Review Team to reconsider scoring in order to break the tie. The Review Team provides any final comments to CARES to be shared with projects or the NOFA Committee, and will also serve as the Appeals Committee if an appeal is submitted by a project.

Project Ranking

Using the CoC-approved Rank and Review Tool, all Renewal projects seeking funding are scored and placed in numerical order by scores. New/Bonus projects are scored and placed in numerical order beneath Renewal Projects. HMIS and CE projects are placed at the bottom of Tier 1. Project scores and ranking are first shared with the projects falling in Tier 2, the Board, and then each agency receives a copy of their individual project score/s and an invitation to debrief with the Collaborative Applicant (within two days of notification). If a mathematical error is found during the review or debriefing, the score will be corrected. After any appeals are processed (see below) the NOFA Committee will adjust scores and ranking per Review Team determinations. The final ranking is first shared with agencies whose project/s fall into Tier 2, the Board, and finally shared with full Membership.

Appeals Process

Formal appeals can be submitted by an agency only after debriefings occur. Appeals must be submitted to CARES (hschmidhamer@caresny.org) within five business days after debriefing. The Appeals Process applies only to project scoring and ranking; there is no appeal for project tiering. An appeal may not be based on the following:

- 1) failure to answer required question/s;
- 2) failure to submit the application with all required attachments, or
- 3) failure to submit by the required deadline.

The Review Team also serves as the Appeals Committee. Representatives from each project have 15 minutes to present their appeal either via written materials and/or oral argument. After presentations, the Appeals Committee determines if project/s will receive any additional points and projects will be notified within 24 hours.

Threshold Review

In addition to scoring criteria, all projects must meet a minimum threshold of 100 points. A Threshold Review will occur after the Rank and Review process is complete and final scores tallied. If the threshold is not met, the Rank and Review Team may recommend possible reallocation/s or significant amendments to the contract/s to the CoC Board. Projects that may be automatically flagged for reallocation consideration:

- Projects with inadequate financial management
- Projects with a history of expending funds on ineligible activities or not expending funds at all
- Projects not participating in Coordinated Entry, Point-in-Time, or Homeless Management Information System.

Project Tiering

When the NOFA is released, the national priorities and tiering outlined are strategically applied to project ranking by the CoC. Due to the essential nature of HMIS and Coordinated Entry

projects, these projects are automatically placed at the bottom of Tier 1. Projects that were not yet operational on October 1, 2020 will be placed at the bottom of Tier 1 with the HMIS and Coordinated Entry projects. Reallocated and Bonus Projects are placed below all Renewal Projects. Per HUD guidelines, Planning Projects do not appear in the Tiering. The Board reviews and approves project tiering, then shares with Membership for a final vote. Membership votes on the tiering, which is submitted as the Project Listing in the CoC Application.

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1. Scoring tool used in NY-512 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(b) Blank Renewal Application Tool

RENSELAER COUNTY HOMELESS SERVICES COLLABORATIVE

RANK AND REVIEW APPLICATION 2022

PART 1: SYSTEM PERFORMANCE AND DATA QUALITY QUESTIONS

APPLICATION DUE DATE: JUNE 15, 2022

PROJECT INFORMATION

Organization Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Project Name: _____

Project Type: PSH RRH TH SSO (regular)

* Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21): October 1, 2020 – September 30, 2021

** To complete this Rank & Review Tool, use only persons that have an entry (i.e., intake, admission, and move-in date) in HMIS in FFY21.

- Utilization:** Using the project’s FY21 Project Application and Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21)* APR, complete the chart below. Please round up to the closest whole number.

MAX 20 pts

Please print and attach the questions noted below from the FY21 Application and FY21 APR.

Projected number served during average PIT (Project Application Question 5A)	Actual number served during PIT (APR Questions 7 and 8)		
		Persons	Households
Persons: _____ Households: _____	January		
	April		
	July		
	October		
	Average:		

Households: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____

Persons: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____

- 1a. Did your project meet its projected number of *either* households or persons served during the year (100% or more utilization)? **Yes 15 pts** **No 0 pts**

- 1b. The Continuum prioritizes projects that best utilize resources. Did your project have a utilization rate of more than 100% in *both* households and persons? **Yes 5 pts** **No 0 pts**

2. Data Quality & Completeness (project specific): Based on FY21 APR

- 2a.** Based upon FY21 APR Q6 is there an error rate of more than 5% in any of the following HMIS elements: PII, Universal Data, Income and Housing **Yes - 0 pts** **No- 5 pts**
- 2b.** Timeliness of Data Entry: Based on new participants in your project in FFY21 APR Q6E: Do you have any number of project start records at 11+ days **Yes** **No (No points)**

3. Impact on Chronic Homeless: Attachment 1

MAX 15 pts

*Total points = % system impact * total available pts*

Permanent Supportive Housing Programs ONLY

During FY21, the CoC's **PSH projects** served **181** chronically homeless individuals. To show the impact this project had toward the goal of ending chronic homelessness, refer to **Attachment 1** to note the following:

- 3a.** The total number of chronically homeless persons this project served in FY21: _____ **(0 pts)**
- 3b.** This project served what percent of the total number of CH served by the CoC in FY21 ____ %

Rapid Rehousing Housing Programs ONLY

During FY21, all federally funded **RRH projects (CoC, ESG, STEHP)** served **11** chronically homeless individuals. To show the impact of this project towards goal of ending chronic homelessness, refer to **Attachment 1** to note the following:

- 3c.** The total number of chronically homeless persons this project served in FY21: _____ **(0 pts)**
- 3d.** This RRH project served what percentage of the total number of CH in the community in FY21 ____ %

4. Positive Outcomes: Attachment 2

MAX 25 pts

*Total points = % system impact * total available pts*

Permanent Supportive Housing Projects: During FY21, the average positive outcome rate across all persons served** in CoC PSH projects (**a positive outcome for PSH is when an individual is a stayer or exits to a PH destination**) was **94%**. The CoC's Written Standard for PSH projects is 80%. To indicate how this project contributed to housing

stability across the system, please note the positive housing outcome rate listed in **Attachment 2:** _____%

Rapid Rehousing Projects: During FY21, the average positive outcome rate across all persons served** in RRH projects in the Continuum (**a positive outcome for RRH is when an individual exit to a PH destination**) was **63%**.

To indicate how this project contributed to housing stability across the system, please note the positive housing outcome rate listed in **Attachment 2:** _____%

5. Exits to Homelessness: Attachment 3 **MAX 20 pts**

*Total points = total available points - (% system impact * total available points)*

Refer to **Attachment 3** (citing all CoC project leavers to emergency shelter or a place not meant for habitation) and note the percentage who exited this project to a shelter or the street. _____%

6. Income Growth: System Impact Attachment 4 **MAX 20 pts**

*Total points = % system impact * total available pts*

Refer to **Attachment 4** (which measures **total income growth** between the two most recent client assessments for stayers; and between entry and exit for leavers), to note the percentage this project contributed to total income growth in the CoC in FY21: _____%

7. Income Growth – Project Performance **MAX 16 pts**

(Refer to **APR Q19. Cash Income – Changes over Time** to respond to questions below.)

7a. What percentage of **stayers** gained or increased **earned income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 1**) Number of Adults with Earned Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this measure: _____%

75-100% = 5 pts; 50-74% = 4 pts; 25-49% = 3 pts; 15-24% = 2 pts; 1-14% = 1 pts; 0% = 0

7b. What percentage of **stayers** gained or increased **other income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 3**) Number of Adults with Other Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this measure: _____%

50-100% = 3pts; 15-49% = 2 pts; 0-14% = 0 pts

7c. What percentage of **leavers** gained or increased **earned income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a2. Row 1**) Number of Adults with Earned Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this

measure: _____%

75-100% = 5 pts; 50-74% = 4 pts; 25-49% = 3 pts; 15-24% = 2 pts; 1-14% = 1 pts; 0% = 0

7d. What percentage of **leavers** gained or increased **other income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 3**) Number of Adults with Other Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this measure: _____%

50-100% = 3pts; 15-49% = 2 pts; 0-14% = 0 pts

8. Priority Population

MAX 10 pts

What percentage of beds are dedicated to a priority population? *Please attach Project Application Q4B. and/or 5B.*

- 100% Chronically Homeless (CH), Youth, Veteran, or Victims of DV = 10 pts**
- ≥ 50% CH, Youth, Veteran, or Victims of DV = 5 pts**
- No priority population = 0 pts**

9. Housing First

MAX 5 pts

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals **without** screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below. Does your project screen out or terminate consumers based on any the following?
Any Yes - 0 All No - 5 pts

	Yes	No
Having too little or no income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Active or history of substance abuse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Criminal record with exceptions for state-mandated restrictions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Failure to participate in supportive services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Failure to make progress on a service plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Loss of income or failure to improve income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Being a victim of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically found in the project's geographic area.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

10. Does your agency have an anti-discrimination policy? (Please attach)

MAX 5 pts

- Yes 5 points** **No 0 points**

11. Total Awarded Funds (to be filled in by CARES)

MAX 10 pts

What dollar amount did this project return in the most recently ended contract? _____

Percentage of program funds returned in relation to overall CoC returned: _____

0%=10 pts; 1-50% = 5 pts; 51-100% = 2 pts

12. Did the project draw down funds from LOCCS at least quarterly in the most recently ended contract? *(Please attach copies of last three drawdowns)* **Yes 5 pts** **No 0 pts**

13. CoC Participation

MAX 5 pts

Does the project or agency staff regularly participate in any of the following CoC committees? (*CARES will verify via attendance sheets*) **Yes 5 pts** **No 0 pts**

- | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board | <input type="checkbox"/> NOFA | <input type="checkbox"/> Data and Goals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ESG/Business | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Strategic Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prevention | <input type="checkbox"/> Systems Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Coordinated Entry |

14. Coordinated Entry

MAX 15 pts

14a. Did your project exclusively receive referrals for potential new participants through the Coordinated Entry process or through a parallel process for DV providers? (*to be verified by the CoC CE Lead Agencies or supported with documents provided by the applicant*) **Yes 10 points** **No 0 points**

14b. Did your agency attend at least 75% of the coordinated entry team meetings in 2021? (*to be verified by the CoC CE Lead Agencies*) **Yes 5 points** **No 0 points**

15. Project Monitoring:

MAX 2 pts

15a. Did your Project complete the CoC Monitoring forms and documentation with no findings/concerns? **Yes 2 pts** **No 0 pts**

15b. Did your Project complete the CoC Monitoring forms and documentation with findings/concerns that were resolved? **Yes 1 pt** **No 0 pts**

15c. Did not complete CoC Monitoring forms and documentation. **Yes 0 pts**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

(This section provides reviewers with a synopsis of your project; it is not scored).

Provide a brief project overview (300-word limit) to describe program characteristics listed below:

- Target Population
- # of participants served based upon Federal FY21 APR
- # of contracted beds and units
- Cost per bed (HUD funding only)
- Services provided to participants
- Project goals and achievements

1. Utilization: (0 to 20 points)

This question should be answered **only** by projects that scored zero points on Question 1 of the 2021 Rank & Review Application Part 1.

Please explain why your project did not achieve 100% utilization due to circumstance beyond the project's control (In response to Question 1 on Part 1 Data Tool) for the number of projected /contracted households and/or persons served during Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (10.1.20-9.30.21)

2. Leveraging and Coordination of Services: (0-5 points)

Describe how your project coordinates services with other funded and non-funded providers to leverage services. How has increased collaboration among providers affected the project's housing stability and/or impacted participant income growth to include non-cash benefits? You may refer to your FY21 APR to demonstrate specific income growth. (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly states the names of other funded and non-funded projects specifically.

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly state(s) examples of how the collaboration affected the project's housing stability and/or impacted participant income growth to include non-cash benefits.

3. System Performance- Housing Stability (0-5 pts)

What strategies does your program use to ensure clients who exit to a permanent housing destination remain stably housed? (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly states the strategy your program uses.

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly state(s) an example.

4. System Performance – Income (0-5 pts)

What support does your project provide to clients to increase non-employment cash income and employment cash income in the context of their lives, goals, and service plans?

Up to 2.5 points awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the project supports clients with increasing employment cash income.

Up to 2.5 points awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the project supports clients with increasing non-employment cash income.

5. COVID Related Question (0-2 pts)

Looking at the Part 1 Tool did your program score lower on any of the data related questions as a result of the Covid pandemic, please explain.

6. Domestic Violence Projects Only – Positive Outcomes/Safety (0-5 pts)

Outcomes considered positive for DV programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC? (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes through the DV provider lens.

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC.

7. Youth-Serving Projects– Positive Outcomes (0-5 pts for Dedicated Youth Projects, 0-2 pts for projects that serve youth)

Outcomes considered positive for youth (under age 25) serving programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for all Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability for youth across the CoC? (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes for youth through the provider lens. (Up to 1 for projects that serve youth, but are not dedicated)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability for youth across the CoC. (Up to 1 for projects that serve youth, but are not dedicated)

8. Project Performance (0-5 pts)

If you felt your project performed low on any section of Part 1 due to serving particularly vulnerable populations or households with severe needs (e.g., chronically homeless, substance use, severe mental illness, history of domestic violence, criminal history) or because of other mitigating factors that you feel the reviewers should be aware of, please explain now.

Up to 2 pts awarded if all program system performance measures are above average.

Up to 5 pts awarded if agency explains it had low performance measures due to serving particularly vulnerable populations or households with severe needs (or other mitigating factors), and how they are working to improve those outcomes.

2022 HUD Priorities

9. Equitable Services and Program Outcomes (0-3 pts)

Describe how your agency ensures equitable services and program outcomes across participants of all races and ethnicities. Applicants should give 3-4 examples of how their agency provides equitable services.

10. Lived Experience (0 or 1 pt)

Does your agency have someone with lived experience of homelessness within its Leadership, who are involved with programmatic and funding decisions?

Yes- 1 points **No - 0 points**

11. Reducing Length of Time Homeless (0-2 pts)

How will this project reduce the average length of time homeless for project participants?

Up to 2pts if applicant describes how their project will serve those with the longest lengths of time homeless and strategies for reducing length of time homeless.

12. Diverse Stakeholders (0-4 pts)

Does your agency have a racially and ethnically diverse group of stakeholders who are responsible for making programmatic and funding decisions? If not, how does your agency plan to incorporate the views of a diverse set of stakeholders into reviewing your policies, procedures, and funding decisions?

Up to 4 pts if applicant has racially and ethnically diverse stakeholder decisionmakers.

Up to 3 pts if applicant can identify a plan for incorporating diverse stakeholder views in the future.

13. Partnerships with LGBTQ+ Serving Organizations

Does your organization partner with other organizations with expertise in serving the LGBTQ+ population? If yes, how will you leverage those partnerships to serve your project participants?

Up to 2 pts if applicant identifies specific organizations that they partner with.

Up to 2 pts if applicant describes how they will leverage the partnership(s) for project Clients.

14. Support Services- Unsheltered Persons (0-2 pts)

Describe the support services your agency has tailored to serve persons coming from an unsheltered situation.

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-512 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(c) Blank New/DV Bonus Project Application Tool

Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative

New/DV Bonus Project RFP 2022 (Reallocation, New Bonus, and/or DV Bonus Projects)

Application may not exceed six (6) pages

Please note: if your project is selected to move forward in applying for New CoC funding, you will need to submit an application in Esnap. If your project is selected to move forward in applying for DV Bonus CoC funding, you will need to submit an application in Esnap and work with the Collaborative Applicant to fill out the DV Bonus section of the CoC Application. Being selected through the Rank & Review process does not guarantee funding; rather it allows the project to apply for CoC funding to HUD, which is a competitive process.

Project Information

Applicant/Agency Name: _____

Agency Point of Contact: _____

Proposed Project Name: _____

Please check the box of the project type you are applying for:

a. New/Reallocated Projects Only

- Permanent Supportive Housing that is either Dedicated PLUS OR has 100% of beds dedicated to persons experiencing chronic homelessness.
- Permanent Housing-Rapid Rehousing
- Joint TH and PH-RRH (project must be housing first)

b. DV Bonus Projects Only

- Rapid Rehousing (PH RRH) projects that demonstrate trauma informed, victim centered approaches - minimum \$50,000 per project (must be housing first)
- Joint TH and PH RRH component projects that demonstrate trauma informed, victim centered approaches - minimum \$50,000 per project (must be housing first)
- SSO project for CE to implement policies, procedures and practices that equip the CoC's CE to better meet the needs of survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

Please check the box to signify whether the project being applied for is a:

- New Project Expansion Project

1. Is the applicant a current member of the Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative (RCHSC) Continuum of Care (CoC)? Yes - 10 pts No - 0 pts

a. If no, what is the agency's current involvement with the RCHSC CoC?

2. Is the agency applying as a current CoC funded grantee? Yes - 5 pts No - 10 pts
a. If yes, are there any unresolved monitoring or audit findings from HUD or the CoC?
Yes - 0 pts No - 3 pts
3. Is your agency an active participant in the RCHSC Coordinated Entry program?
Yes – 5 pts No - 0 pts
a. If no, is your agency willing to become an active participant in the RCHSC Coordinated Entry program?
Yes – 2 pts No - 0 pts
4. HMIS Participation
- a. **New/Reallocated Projects Only**
- i. Is your agency an active participant in the HMIS System?
Yes – 3 pts No - 0 pts
- ii. If no, is your agency willing and able to become an active participant in the HMIS System?
0- 3 pts if agency details how HMIS implementation will be accomplished

b. DV Bonus Projects Only

- i. Does your agency currently report in a DV system that is comparable to the HMIS system?
Yes – 3 pts No - 0 pts
- ii. If not, how will you implement a comparable HMIS system for this project, for reporting purposes?
0- 3 pts if agency details how comparable HMIS system implementation will be accomplished.

5. Agency Experience

- a. New/Reallocated Projects Only:** Please provide a detailed description of the agency's experience in administering projects dedicated to serving an underserved population (i.e. your target population). Please specify the name of current or past programs, and note the funding sources. **0-10 pts**
- 4 pts for detailing past experience serving and underserved population
 - 2 points for explaining how you have connected clients to supportive services
 - 2 points for providing an example of how your agency has moved clients from assisted housing to housing they could sustain—and how the agency will address housing stability after the housing subsidy ends
 - 2 points for describing how you prioritize program participant choice

b. DV Bonus Projects Only: Please provide a detailed description of the agency's experience in administering projects dedicated to serving survivors of domestic violence, dating violence and stalking. Please specify the name of current or past programs and note the funding sources. **0-20 pts**

- 5 points for past experience serving a domestic violence survivor population
- 3 points for explaining how you have connected survivors to supportive services
- 3 points for providing an example of how your agency has moved clients from assisted housing to housing they could sustain—and how the agency will address housing stability after the housing subsidy ends
- 3 points for describing how you prioritize program participant choice while ensuring safety of your clients
- 3 points for describing how the program will establish and maintain an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures program participant staff interactions with clients are based on equality and minimize power differentials;
- 3 points if you describe how your program will place emphasis on program participants' strengths, e.g., strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans include assessments of program participants strengths and works towards goals and aspirations

6. **New/Reallocated Projects Only: Priority Population**

Does your project designate 100% of beds to Mental Health, Substance Abuse, CH, Co-Occurring Conditions, and/or Families? Yes - 5 pts No - 0 pts

- a. If your project is not serving 100% of the above listed priority populations, please describe how your project is addressing an unmet need for the population your project will serve. (0-3 points)

7. Project Description

- a. **New/Reallocated Projects Only:** Please provide a project description that addresses the entire scope of your project. Please include the target population that will be served and the outreach plan. **(0 – 15 points)**

- 10 points if you outline a detailed strategy that will be used to help participants regain and maintain housing stability.
- 1 point if the project clearly states the number of units/beds requested
- 2 points if an outreach plan is noted and specifies how the project will conduct targeted outreach to persons least likely to apply and/or traditionally underserved populations (i.e. BIPOC, LGBTQ+ community)
- 2 points if the budget notes at least 80 percent of the requested funds are dedicated to housing

- b. **DV Bonus Projects Only:** Please provide a detailed description of the agency’s experience in administering projects dedicated to serving survivors of domestic violence, dating violence and stalking. **(up to 20 points)**
- 5 points for past experience serving a domestic violence survivor population
 - 3 points for explaining how you have connected survivors to supportive services
 - 3 points for providing an example of how your agency has moved clients from assisted housing to housing they could sustain—and how the agency will address housing stability after the housing subsidy ends
 - 3 points for describing how you prioritize program participant choice while ensuring safety of your clients
 - 3 points for describing how the program will establish and maintain an environment of agency and mutual respect, e.g., the project does not use punitive interventions, ensures program participant staff interactions with clients are based on equality and minimize power differentials;
 - 3 points if you describe how your program will place emphasis on program participants’ strengths, e.g., strength-based coaching, questionnaires and assessment tools include strength-based measures, case plans include assessments of program participants strengths and works towards goals and aspirations

8. Housing First (0-25 pts)

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals **without** screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below. Does your project screen out or terminate consumers based on any the following?

Note: Eligible DV bonus project must follow a Housing First approach. If you respond “Yes” to any of the following, your project is not be eligible to apply for this funding.

New/Reallocated Projects Only: Any Yes - 0 All No - 25 pts

DV Bonus Projects Only: No Points

	Yes	No
Having too little or no income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Active or history of substance abuse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Criminal record with exceptions for state-mandated restrictions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Failure to participate in supportive services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Failure to make progress on a service plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Loss of income or failure to improve income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Being a victim of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically found in the project’s geographic area	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

9. Please describe how the need for this project within this geographic area was identified. Please note where in the **Ten-Year Plan/Addendum to the Ten-Year Plan** it points to this gap in service, and using the most recent HMIS Annual Report (or DV equivalent) note the population in need of this service.

0-5 pts

2.5 points for referencing a gap in service within the Ten-Year Plan/Addendum to the Ten Year Plan

2.5 points for relating the project's target population to the most recent HMIS annual report (or DVEquivalent)

10. **New/Reallocated Projects Only:** Describe the support services your agency has tailored to serve persons coming from an unsheltered situation. (2pt)

11. Describe how your agency ensures equitable services and program outcomes across participants of all races and ethnicities. Applicants should give 3-4 examples of how their agency provides equitable services. (0-3 pts)

12. Does your agency have someone with lived experience of homelessness within its Leadership, who are involved with programmatic and funding decisions?

Yes- 1 points No – 0 points

13. How will this project reduce the average length of time homeless for project participants? (0-2pts)

- Up to 2pts if applicant describes how their project will serve those with the longest lengths of time homeless and strategies for reducing length of time homeless

14. Does your agency have relationships/partnerships with any of the below? Check all that apply. (1 pt for each checked box)

Public/Private Healthcare Organizations

PHAs, local housing organizations, or other non-CoC/ESG funding streams

Local Workforce Development Sectors

14a. If you checked Public/Private Healthcare Organizations, does your agency have a written commitment from a health care organization with the value of the commitment and the date(s) the healthcare resources will be provided (should provide services during grant term), or can you procure one by September 15th if your project is chosen to move forward*?

Yes- 10 points No – 0 points

**Please note, this commitment will be submitted with the CoC's full CoC Application so the CoC is awarded additional points.*

14b. If you checked PHAs, local housing organizations, or other non-CoC/ESG funding streams, will your project utilize housing subsidies or subsidized housing units not funded through the CoC or ESG by: **providing at least 25 percent of the units** included in the project; or in the case of a rapid re-housing project, **serve at least 25 percent of the program participants** anticipated to be served by the project*?

Yes- 10 points No – 0 points

**Please note, this commitment will be submitted with the CoC's full CoC Application so the CoC is awarded additional points.*

14c. If you checked Local Workforce Development Sectors, do you have a written commitment or other document demonstrating your partnership, or could you procure one if your project is chosen to move forward?

Yes- 10 points No – 0 points

15. Does your agency have a racially and ethnically diverse group of stakeholders who are responsible for making programmatic and funding decisions? If not, how does your agency plan to incorporate the views of a diverse set of stakeholders into reviewing your policies, procedures, and funding decisions? Provide your response below. (0-4 pts)

- 4pts if applicant has racially and ethnically diverse stakeholder decisionmakers
- 3pts if applicant can identify a plan for incorporating diverse stakeholder views in the future

16. Does your organization partner with other organizations with expertise in serving the LGBTQ+ population? If yes, how will you leverage those partnerships to serve your project participants? (0-6 pts)

- 3 points if applicant identifies specific organizations that they partner with
- 3 points if applicant describes how they will leverage the partnership(s) for project clients

19. Will the project be able to start within 12 months? Yes - 5 pts No - 0 pts

20. Please provide a 12 month budget that address the entire scope of your project. (Required for review)

ACTIVITY	CoC FUNDS REQUESTED	NOTES
A. Rental Assistance	\$	
B. Support Services	\$	
1. Salaries	\$	
2. Benefits	\$	
3. Other	\$	
C. Operating	\$	
D. Admin	\$	
E. Total Project Costs	\$	
MATCH	AMOUNT	SOURCE
F. 25% Match Requirement	\$	

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-512 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(d) Blank Bonus CE/HMIS Application Tool

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CE-HMIS RFP 2022

(Reallocation and/or Bonus Projects)

11. Does your agency have a racially and ethnically diverse group of stakeholders who are responsible for making programmatic and funding decisions? If not, how does your agency plan to incorporate the views of a diverse set of stakeholders into reviewing your policies, procedures, and funding decisions? Provide your response below (0-5 pts).

- *5 pts if applicant has racially and ethnically diverse stakeholder decisionmakers*
- *3 pts if applicant can identify a plan for incorporating diverse stakeholder views in the future*

12. Describe how your agency ensures equitable services and program outcomes across participants of all races and ethnicities. Applicants should give 3-4 examples of how their agency provides equitable services. (0-5 pts)

13. Does your agency have someone with lived experience of homelessness within its Leadership, who are involved with programmatic and funding decisions?

Yes- 5 points No – 0 points

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CE-HMIS RFP 2022

(Reallocation and/or Bonus Projects)

Coordinated Entry Projects Only Please Complete This Section

11. What % of ARD funds are already dedicated to CE? (CARES will answer this question on your behalf) _____

0%=30 pts. .1%-1%=20 pts. 1.1%-2%=10 pts. 2.1%-3%=5 pts. >3%=0 pts.

12. Does your currently funded CE project ensure the following required data elements are entered into HMIS or a comparable database: (if not currently funded skip to Q12a.)

All Yes=10 pts Any No's=0 pts

CE Assessment Element	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
CE Event Element	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Current Living Situation Element	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

12a. If your agency is not a currently funded CE project, please explain the staffing plan and training your agency will provide to accomplish the above required data elements are entered into HMIS or a comparable database? (up to 10 pts)

13. Please list the following entities for your project's CE system:

Policy Oversight Entity: _____

Management Entity: _____

Evaluation Entity: _____

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CE-HMIS RFP 2022

(Reallocation and/or Bonus Projects)

In 3-5 sentences please describe how your program will work with each to ensure program compliance. **(0-10 pts)**

14. Does your CE System have a data privacy policy? Yes=5 pts No=0 pts

HMIS Projects Only Please Complete This Section

15. What % of ARD funds are already dedicated to HMIS? (CARES will answer this question on your behalf) _____

0%=30 pts. .1%-1%=20 pts. 1.1%-2%=10 pts. 2.1%-4%=5 pts. >4%=0 pts.

16. Do 100% of required projects participate in your HMIS project? Yes=10 pts No=0 pts

16a. If your HMIS does not currently have 100% required participation what is your plan for engagement? Please explain. **(0-10 pts.)**

16b. Do any non-required projects participate in your HMIS? Yes=5 pts No=0 pts

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CE-HMIS RFP 2022

(Reallocation and/or Bonus Projects)

17. Has your HMIS project submitted all required reports on time within the last fiscal year?
(ex: LSA, SPM and HMIS Grantee APR) Yes=5 pts No=0 pts
18. Does your HMIS System have a data privacy policy? Yes=5 pts No=0 pts

CE & HMIS Projects-Please provide a 12-month budget proposal (required for review)

ACTIVITY	CoC FUNDS REQUESTED	NOTES
A. Support Services	\$	
1. Salaries	\$	
2. Benefits	\$	
3. Other	\$	
B. HMIS	\$	
C. Admin	\$	
D. Total Project Costs	\$	
MATCH	AMOUNT	SOURCE
E. 25% Match Requirement	\$	

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1. Scoring tool used in NY-512 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(e) Ranking and Tiering

- This document showcases the actual points awarded for each project

RGHSC 2022 Ranking and Tiering

Rank	Score	Applicant Name	Program Name	Project Type	Funding Amount	Grant Number
1	187	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 800	PSH	\$2,318,306	NY0146L2C122114
2	184.5	YWCA of the Greater Capital Region, Inc.	Family Apartment Program	PSH	\$33,599	NY0585L2C122113
3	181.4	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 309	PSH	\$83,545	NY0668L2C122110
5	181	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St. Paul's Center Permanent Supportive Housing	PSH	\$92,462	NY1093L2C122105
4	179.6	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	Bert's Place	PSH	\$120,746	NY0804L2C122111
6	174	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH Bethune	PSH	\$169,539	NY0840L2C122110
7	166.8	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 352	RRH	\$83,485	NY0152L2C122114
8	165.3	Catholic Charities Housing Office	St. Peter's Residence	PSH	\$383,347	NY1209L2C122103
9a	164.8	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH Consolidated	PSH	\$313,653	NY0143L2C122114
10	N/A	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	Unity House Coordinated Entry for RGHSC 2022	SSO	\$54,000	NY1210D2C122103
11	N/A	Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc.	Rensselaer County Portion of the Capital Region HMIS (2022)	HMIS	\$16,983	NY0147L2C122114
12	N/A	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH- Rensselaer Coordinated Entry (2022)	SSO	\$82,548	NY1094L2C122105
9b	164.8	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH Consolidated	PSH	\$48,077	NY0143L2C122114
13	161	YWCA of the Greater Capital Region, Inc.	Apartment Program	PSH	\$149,408	NY0139L2C122114
B1-14	131	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St Paul Center - PSH Expansion	PSH	\$148,575	
B2-15	128	Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc.	HMIS Expansion	HMIS	\$32,700	
B3-16	123	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	CE Expansion	SSO	\$16,200	

*No projects were rejected during the Rank and Review process this year

Annual Renewal Demand	\$	3,949,698
Tier 1	\$	3,752,213
Tier 2	\$	197,485
Planning	\$	118,491
Bonus	\$	197,485
DV	\$	174,223

Expansions	Applicant Name	Renewal Project	Expansion Project
St Paul Center - PSH Expansion	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St. Paul's Center Permanent Supportive Housing	St Paul Center - PSH Expansion
CE Expansion	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH- Rensselaer Coordinated Entry (2022)	CE Expansion

1E-2: Project Review and Ranking Process Your CoC Used in its Local Competition.

1. Scoring tool used in NY-512 local competition to score new and renewal application and for all project application types.

(f) Objective Criteria, System Performance Criteria, and Considerations for Projects that Serve Clients with Severe Barriers to Housing & Services Chart

- This document showcases:
 - **objective criteria** for the project applications
 - **system performance** criteria for the project applications
 - the available points for projects that address **severe barriers to housing and services**

NY-512 Objective Criteria

Question	Point Value	Objective Criterion	System Performance Measure	Considerations for Serving those with Severe Barriers to housing and services
Renewal Part 1				
1. Utilization Rate	20	Utilization Rate		
2. Data Quality and Completeness	5	Data Quality & Completeness		
3. Impact on Chronic Homelessness	15	Impact on CH	Impact on CH	
4. Positive Outcomes	25	Positive Outcomes	Positive Outcomes	
5. Exits to Homelessness	20	Exits to Homelessness	Exits to Homelessness	
6. Income Growth- System Impact	20	Effect on Income Growth	Effect on Income Growth	
7. Income Growth- Project Performance	16	Effect on Income Growth	Effect on Income Growth	
8. Priority Population	10	Population Served		
9. Housing First	5	Housing First		
11. Total Awarded Funds	10	Funding		
12. LOCCS Drawdowns	5	Funding		
11. CoC Participation	5	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
14. Coordinated Entry	15	Coordinated Entry Participation		
15. Project Monitoring	2	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
Renewal Part 2				
6. DV Positive Outcomes/Safety	5			Specific Method for Evaluating Projects Submitted by Victim Service Providers - Positive Outcomes based on Safety Concerns
7. Youth- Positive Outcomes/Safety	5			Specific Method for Evaluating Projects Submitted by Youth Service Providers: Positive Outcomes based on Increase of Income and Housing Stability
Total Points	247		173	96
Percentage of Points	494	Total Objective Criteria	35%	Total System Performance Criteria
<p>Please note: the above points for Objective Criteria, System Performance Measures, and considerations for serving those with severe barriers to housing and services refer to the following types of projects: PSH, RRH, TH, TH-RRH</p> <p><i>HMIS & CE projects are not scored through Rank & Review per the CoC's Rank & Review Written Process</i></p>				

New Bonus Tool				
1. CoC Member	10	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2. CoC Funded	10	Funding/ CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2a. Unresolved Monitoring Findings	3	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
3. CE Participation	5	Coordinated Entry Participation		
4. HMIS Participation	3	HMIS Participation		

6. Priority Populations	5	Population Served		
8. Housing First	25	Housing First		
12. People with Lived Experience of Homelessness in Le	1	Including People with Lived Experience of Homelessness		
14. Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing	33	Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing		
19. Project Start Date	5	Project Start Date		
Total Points	147		100	
Percentage of Points	147	Total Objective Criteria	68%	
<p>Please note: the above points for Objective Criteria refer to the following types of new projects: PSH, RRH, TH, TH-RRH</p> <p><i>HMIS & CE projects are not scored on Objective Criteria given such criteria do not make sense for SSO projects</i></p>				

DV Bonus Tool				
1. CoC Member	10	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2. CoC Funded	10	Funding/ CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2a. Unresolved Monitoring Findings	3	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
3. CE Participation	5	Coordinated Entry Participation		
4. HMIS Participation	3	HMIS Participation		
8. Housing First	Unscored-eligibility threshold	Housing First		
12. People with Lived Experience of Homelessness in Le	1	Including People with Lived Experience of		
14. Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing	33	Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing		
19. Project Start Date	5	Project Start Date		
Total Points	130		70	
Percentage of Points	130	Total Objective Criteria	54%	
<p>Please note: the above points for Objective Criteria refer to the following types of new projects: PSH, RRH, TH, TH-RRH</p> <p><i>HMIS & CE projects are not scored on Objective Criteria given such criteria do not make sense for SSO projects</i></p>				

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(g) System Performance Data Attachment

- This document is an attachment to the Rank and Review Renewal Application Tool and provides applicants with data to answer the tool's data-based questions.
- This document showcases data used from comparable databases to score projects submitted by victim service providers

Project Type	Project Name	CH Served	Percent of System Impact
PSH	Bert's Place ²	20	11%
PSH	CCHO - St. Peter's PSH	47	26%
PSH	JH - Consolidated	41	23%
PSH	JH Bethune	10	6%
PSH	St. Paul Center Permanent Supportive Housing	11	6%
PSH	UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309 ¹	6	3%
PSH	UH 800 ³	64	35%
PSH	YWCA Apartment Program	2	1%
PSH	YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program (UH 804 YW)	0	0%
9		181	100%

Project Type	Project Name	CH Served	Percent of System Impact
RRH	City of Troy ESG - TAUM Rapid Rehousing	0	0%
RRH	JH STEHP Rapid Rehousing	11	100%
RRH	St Paul Center - STEHP Rapid Rehousing	0	0%
RRH	UH - Rapid Rehousing 352 ¹	0	0%
4		11	100%

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² Project data is combined from multiple sub-projects - see Addendum B for more information.

³ Both 1 and 2

Bert's Place is a JH PSH project. There is overlap in terms of clients served by Bert's Place with UH 800 and JH Consolidated.

As such, these beds were only captured once in the total.

YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program is a YWCA PSH project and part of UH 800. As such, these beds were only captured once within the total.

JH Bethune serves distinct clients from UH 800 JH (which is also called JH Bethune).

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 Q4: Attachment 2
 Positive Outcomes

Project Type	Project Name	People Served	Positive Outcomes	Percent of System Impact
PSH	Bert's Place ²	26	23	88%
PSH	CCHO - St. Peter's PSH	56	48	86%
PSH	JH - Consolidated	50	42	84%
PSH	JH Bethune	61	59	97%
PSH	St. Paul Center Permanent Supportive Housing	24	23	96%
PSH	UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309 ¹	12	12	100%
PSH	UH 800 ³	384	371	97%
PSH	YWCA Apartment Program	38	38	100%
PSH	YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program (UH 804 YW)	10	10	100%

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Project Type	Project Name	People Served	Positive Outcomes	Percent of System Impact
RRH	City of Troy ESG - TAUM Rapid Rehousing	110	62	56%
RRH	JH STEHP Rapid Rehousing	186	71	38%
RRH	St Paul Center - STEHP Rapid Rehousing	6	4	67%
RRH	UH - Rapid Rehousing 352 ¹	55	50	91%

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 Q5: Attachment 3
 Exits to Homelessness

Project Type	Project Name	Leavers	Exit to Homelessness	Percent of System Impact
PSH	Bert's Place ²	4	2	40%
PSH	CCHO - St. Peter's PSH	14	1	20%
PSH	JH - Consolidated	9	4	80%
PSH	JH Bethune	6	0	0%
PSH	St. Paul Center Permanent Supportive Housing	1	0	0%
PSH	UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309 ¹	3	0	0%
PSH	UH 800 ³	60	0	0%
PSH	YWCA Apartment Program	4	0	0%
PSH	YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program (UH 804 YW)	2	0	0%
9		97	5	80%

Project Type	Project Name	Leavers	Exit to Homelessness	Percent of System Impact
RRH	City of Troy ESG - TAUM Rapid Rehousing	63	0	0%
RRH	JH STEHP Rapid Rehousing	118	7	100%
RRH	St Paul Center - STEHP Rapid Rehousing	4	0	0%
RRH	UH - Rapid Rehousing 352 ¹	36	0	0%
4		36	7	100%

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³ Both ¹ and ²

Bert's Place is a JH PSH project. There is overlap in terms of clients served by Bert's Place with UH 800 and JH Consolidated. As such, these beds were only captured once in the total.

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 Q6: Attachment 4
 Income Growth

Project Type	Project Name	Adults Served	Adults with Income Growth	Percent of System Impact
PSH	Bert's Place ²	26	26	100%
PSH	CCHO - St. Peter's PSH	56	10	18%
PSH	JH - Consolidated	50	23	46%
PSH	JH Bethune	23	6	26%
PSH	St. Paul Center Permanent Supportive Housing	8	6	75%
PSH	UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309 ¹	9	5	56%
PSH	UH 800 ³	221	101	46%
PSH	YWCA Apartment Program	17	5	29%
PSH	YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program (UH 804 YW)	5	3	60%

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Project Type	Project Name	Adults Served	Adults with Income Growth	Percent of System Impact
RRH	City of Troy ESG - TAUM Rapid Rehousing	42	0	0%
RRH	JH STEHP Rapid Rehousing	95	0	0%
RRH	St Paul Center - STEHP Rapid Rehousing	2	0	0%
RRH	UH - Rapid Rehousing 352 ¹	23	1	4%

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Bert's Place is a JH PSH project. There is overlap in terms of clients served by Bert's Place with UH 800 and JH Consolidated.

These households were captured in each project by which they were served (Bert's Place, UH 800, and JH Consolidated, as applicable) in reporting for this metric.

YWCA GCR Family Apartment Program is a YWCA PSH Project and part of UH 800. As such, households were captured in each project in reporting this metric.

JH Bethune serves distinct clients from UH 800 JH (which is also called JH Bethune).

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Attachment Addendum A - External Projects
(Projects whose data is not pulled from CRHMIS)

Project Type	Project Name
PSH	UH 800
PSH	UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309
RRH	UH - Rapid Rehousing 352

UH 800 is a project operated by Unity House, a Victim Service Provider. As such, data is provided from a comparable database.

UH - Permanent Supportive Housing 309 is a program for victims of domestic violence which provided data from a comparable database.

UH - Rapid Rehousing 352 is a program for victims of domestic violence which provided data from a comparable database.

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Attachment Addendum B - Combined Projects

Project Name	Combined Project Name
JH - Consolidated	Bert's Place
UH 804 JH	
UH 300	UH 800
UH 800	
UH 800 JH	
UH 804 JH	
UH 804 UH	
UH 804 YW	

Bert's Place is a PSH project operated by Joseph's House. All clients served by Bert's Place are also either served by UH 804 JH or JH Consolidated. As such, in HMIS, an entitlement feature is used when pulling the data in order to only collect data on those clients served by Joseph's House's Bert's Place CoC contract.

UH 800 is a consolidated PSH project operated by Unity House, with subcontracts to Joseph's House and YWCA. There are six sub-projects that make up UH 800. Given Unity House is a Victim Service Provider and thus is prohibited from entering into HMIS, data was submitted to CARES HMIS Team for each sub-project and manually combined to create the total UH 800 metric outcomes.

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

This attachment provides a copy of a score card used for **one renewal project** submitted in NY-512's local competition. It contains the following:

1. Blank Renewal Project Application Tool
 - a. The application tool contextualizes scoring card
2. Renewal Project Score Card
 - a. Unity House of Troy, Inc. – UH 800
3. NY-512's Objective Criteria and System Performance Criteria Chart with Point Values

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

1. Blank Renewal Project Application Tool
 - a. The application tool contextualizes scoring card

RENSELAER COUNTY HOMELESS SERVICES COLLABORATIVE

RANK AND REVIEW APPLICATION 2022

PART 1: SYSTEM PERFORMANCE AND DATA QUALITY QUESTIONS

APPLICATION DUE DATE: JUNE 15, 2022

PROJECT INFORMATION

Organization Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Project Name: _____

Project Type: PSH RRH TH SSO (regular)

* *Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21): October 1, 2020 – September 30, 2021*

** *To complete this Rank & Review Tool, use only persons that have an entry (i.e., intake, admission, and move-in date) in HMIS in FFY21.*

- Utilization:** Using the project’s FY21 Project Application and Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21)* APR, complete the chart below. Please round up to the closest whole number.

MAX 20 pts

Please print and attach the questions noted below from the FY21 Application and FY21 APR.

Projected number served during average PIT (Project Application Question 5A)	Actual number served during PIT (APR Questions 7 and 8)		
		Persons	Households
Persons: _____ Households: _____	January		
	April		
	July		
	October		
	Average:		

Households: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____

Persons: Average Actual _____ / Projected _____ = **Utilization** _____

- 1a. Did your project meet its projected number of *either* households or persons served during the year (100% or more utilization)? **Yes 15 pts** **No 0 pts**

- 1b. The Continuum prioritizes projects that best utilize resources. Did your project have a utilization rate of more than 100% in *both* households and persons? **Yes 5 pts** **No 0 pts**

2. Data Quality & Completeness (project specific): Based on FY21 APR

- 2a.** Based upon FY21 APR Q6 is there an error rate of more than 5% in any of the following HMIS elements: PII, Universal Data, Income and Housing **Yes - 0 pts** **No- 5 pts**
- 2b.** Timeliness of Data Entry: Based on new participants in your project in FFY21 APR Q6E: Do you have any number of project start records at 11+ days **Yes** **No (No points)**

3. Impact on Chronic Homeless: Attachment 1

MAX 15 pts

*Total points = % system impact * total available pts*

Permanent Supportive Housing Programs ONLY

During FY21, the CoC's **PSH projects** served **181** chronically homeless individuals. To show the impact this project had toward the goal of ending chronic homelessness, refer to **Attachment 1** to note the following:

- 3a.** The total number of chronically homeless persons this project served in FY21: _____ **(0 pts)**
- 3b.** This project served what percent of the total number of CH served by the CoC in FY21 ____ %

Rapid Rehousing Housing Programs ONLY

During FY21, all federally funded **RRH projects (CoC, ESG, STEHP)** served **11** chronically homeless individuals. To show the impact of this project towards goal of ending chronic homelessness, refer to **Attachment 1** to note the following:

- 3c.** The total number of chronically homeless persons this project served in FY21: _____ **(0 pts)**
- 3d.** This RRH project served what percentage of the total number of CH in the community in FY21 ____ %

4. Positive Outcomes: Attachment 2

MAX 25 pts

*Total points = % system impact * total available pts*

Permanent Supportive Housing Projects: During FY21, the average positive outcome rate across all persons served** in CoC PSH projects (**a positive outcome for PSH is when an individual is a stayer or exits to a PH destination**) was **94%**. The CoC's Written Standard for PSH projects is 80%. To indicate how this project contributed to housing

stability across the system, please note the positive housing outcome rate listed in **Attachment 2:** _____%

Rapid Rehousing Projects: During FY21, the average positive outcome rate across all persons served** in RRH projects in the Continuum (**a positive outcome for RRH is when an individual exit to a PH destination**) was **63%**.

To indicate how this project contributed to housing stability across the system, please note the positive housing outcome rate listed in **Attachment 2:** _____%

5. Exits to Homelessness: Attachment 3 **MAX 20 pts**

*Total points = total available points - (% system impact * total available points)*

Refer to **Attachment 3** (citing all CoC project leavers to emergency shelter or a place not meant for habitation) and note the percentage who exited this project to a shelter or the street. _____%

6. Income Growth: System Impact Attachment 4 **MAX 20 pts**

*Total points = % system impact * total available pts*

Refer to **Attachment 4** (which measures **total income growth** between the two most recent client assessments for stayers; and between entry and exit for leavers), to note the percentage this project contributed to total income growth in the CoC in FY21: _____%

7. Income Growth – Project Performance **MAX 16 pts**

(Refer to **APR Q19. Cash Income – Changes over Time** to respond to questions below.)

7a. What percentage of **stayers** gained or increased **earned income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 1**) Number of Adults with Earned Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this measure: _____%

75-100% = 5 pts; 50-74% = 4 pts; 25-49% = 3 pts; 15-24% = 2 pts; 1-14% = 1 pts; 0% = 0

7b. What percentage of **stayers** gained or increased **other income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 3**) Number of Adults with Other Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this measure: _____%

50-100% = 3pts; 15-49% = 2 pts; 0-14% = 0 pts

7c. What percentage of **leavers** gained or increased **earned income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a2. Row 1**) Number of Adults with Earned Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this

measure: _____%

75-100% = 5 pts; 50-74% = 4 pts; 25-49% = 3 pts; 15-24% = 2 pts; 1-14% = 1 pts; 0% = 0

7d. What percentage of **leavers** gained or increased **other income** between start and annual assessment? Note percent in **Q19a1. Row 3**) Number of Adults with Other Income - **Column 9**) Performance Measure: Percent of Persons to accomplish this measure: _____%

50-100% = 3pts; 15-49% = 2 pts; 0-14% = 0 pts

8. Priority Population

MAX 10 pts

What percentage of beds are dedicated to a priority population? *Please attach Project Application Q4B. and/or 5B.*

- 100% Chronically Homeless (CH), Youth, Veteran, or Victims of DV = 10 pts**
- ≥ 50% CH, Youth, Veteran, or Victims of DV = 5 pts**
- No priority population = 0 pts**

9. Housing First

MAX 5 pts

Housing First is a recovery-oriented approach to end homelessness by rapidly housing individuals **without** screening out or terminating consumers based on any of the criteria below. Does your project screen out or terminate consumers based on any the following?
Any Yes - 0 All No - 5 pts

	Yes	No
Having too little or no income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Active or history of substance abuse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Criminal record with exceptions for state-mandated restrictions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Failure to participate in supportive services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Failure to make progress on a service plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Loss of income or failure to improve income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Being a victim of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any other activity not covered in a lease agreement typically found in the project's geographic area.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

10. Does your agency have an anti-discrimination policy? (Please attach)

MAX 5 pts

Yes 5 points **No 0 points**

11. Total Awarded Funds (to be filled in by CARES)

MAX 10 pts

What dollar amount did this project return in the most recently ended contract? _____

Percentage of program funds returned in relation to overall CoC returned: _____

0%=10 pts; 1-50% = 5 pts; 51-100% = 2 pts

12. Did the project draw down funds from LOCCS at least quarterly in the most recently ended contract? *(Please attach copies of last three drawdowns)* **Yes 5 pts** **No 0 pts**

13. CoC Participation

MAX 5 pts

Does the project or agency staff regularly participate in any of the following CoC committees? (*CARES will verify via attendance sheets*) **Yes 5 pts** **No 0 pts**

- | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board | <input type="checkbox"/> NOFA | <input type="checkbox"/> Data and Goals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ESG/Business | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Strategic Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prevention | <input type="checkbox"/> Systems Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Coordinated Entry |

14. Coordinated Entry

MAX 15 pts

14a. Did your project exclusively receive referrals for potential new participants through the Coordinated Entry process or through a parallel process for DV providers? (*to be verified by the CoC CE Lead Agencies or supported with documents provided by the applicant*) **Yes 10 points** **No 0 points**

14b. Did your agency attend at least 75% of the coordinated entry team meetings in 2021? (*to be verified by the CoC CE Lead Agencies*) **Yes 5 points** **No 0 points**

15. Project Monitoring:

MAX 2 pts

15a. Did your Project complete the CoC Monitoring forms and documentation with no findings/concerns? **Yes 2 pts** **No 0 pts**

15b. Did your Project complete the CoC Monitoring forms and documentation with findings/concerns that were resolved? **Yes 1 pt** **No 0 pts**

15c. Did not complete CoC Monitoring forms and documentation. **Yes 0 pts**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

(This section provides reviewers with a synopsis of your project; it is not scored).

Provide a brief project overview (300-word limit) to describe program characteristics listed below:

- Target Population
- # of participants served based upon Federal FY21 APR
- # of contracted beds and units
- Cost per bed (HUD funding only)
- Services provided to participants
- Project goals and achievements

1. Utilization: (0 to 20 points)

This question should be answered **only** by projects that scored zero points on Question 1 of the 2021 Rank & Review Application Part 1.

Please explain why your project did not achieve 100% utilization due to circumstance beyond the project's control (In response to Question 1 on Part 1 Data Tool) for the number of projected /contracted households and/or persons served during Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (10.1.20-9.30.21)

2. Leveraging and Coordination of Services: (0-5 points)

Describe how your project coordinates services with other funded and non-funded providers to leverage services. How has increased collaboration among providers affected the project's housing stability and/or impacted participant income growth to include non-cash benefits? You may refer to your FY21 APR to demonstrate specific income growth. (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly states the names of other funded and non-funded projects specifically.

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly state(s) examples of how the collaboration affected the project's housing stability and/or impacted participant income growth to include non-cash benefits.

3. System Performance- Housing Stability (0-5 pts)

What strategies does your program use to ensure clients who exit to a permanent housing destination remain stably housed? (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly states the strategy your program uses.

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly state(s) an example.

4. System Performance – Income (0-5 pts)

What support does your project provide to clients to increase non-employment cash income and employment cash income in the context of their lives, goals, and service plans?

Up to 2.5 points awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the project supports clients with increasing employment cash income.

Up to 2.5 points awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the project supports clients with increasing non-employment cash income.

5. COVID Related Question (0-2 pts)

Looking at the Part 1 Tool did your program score lower on any of the data related questions as a result of the Covid pandemic, please explain.

6. Domestic Violence Projects Only – Positive Outcomes/Safety (0-5 pts)

Outcomes considered positive for DV programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC? (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes through the DV provider lens.

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability and ensure safety for victims of domestic violence across the CoC.

7. Youth-Serving Projects– Positive Outcomes (0-5 pts for Dedicated Youth Projects, 0-2 pts for projects that serve youth)

Outcomes considered positive for youth (under age 25) serving programs may not be the same as positive outcomes for all Permanent Supportive Housing programs. How does your agency contribute to housing stability for youth across the CoC? (250 words or less)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes positive outcomes for youth through the provider lens. (Up to 1 for projects that serve youth, but are not dedicated)

Up to 2.5 pts awarded if the narrative clearly describes how the agency contributed to positive housing stability for youth across the CoC. (Up to 1 for projects that serve youth, but are not dedicated)

8. Project Performance (0-5 pts)

If you felt your project performed low on any section of Part 1 due to serving particularly vulnerable populations or households with severe needs (e.g., chronically homeless, substance use, severe mental illness, history of domestic violence, criminal history) or because of other mitigating factors that you feel the reviewers should be aware of, please explain now.

Up to 2 pts awarded if all program system performance measures are above average.

Up to 5 pts awarded if agency explains it had low performance measures due to serving particularly vulnerable populations or households with severe needs (or other mitigating factors), and how they are working to improve those outcomes.

2022 HUD Priorities

9. Equitable Services and Program Outcomes (0-3 pts)

Describe how your agency ensures equitable services and program outcomes across participants of all races and ethnicities. Applicants should give 3-4 examples of how their agency provides equitable services.

10. Lived Experience (0 or 1 pt)

Does your agency have someone with lived experience of homelessness within its Leadership, who are involved with programmatic and funding decisions?

Yes- 1 points **No - 0 points**

11. Reducing Length of Time Homeless (0-2 pts)

How will this project reduce the average length of time homeless for project participants?

Up to 2pts if applicant describes how their project will serve those with the longest lengths of time homeless and strategies for reducing length of time homeless.

12. Diverse Stakeholders (0-4 pts)

Does your agency have a racially and ethnically diverse group of stakeholders who are responsible for making programmatic and funding decisions? If not, how does your agency plan to incorporate the views of a diverse set of stakeholders into reviewing your policies, procedures, and funding decisions?

Up to 4 pts if applicant has racially and ethnically diverse stakeholder decisionmakers.

Up to 3 pts if applicant can identify a plan for incorporating diverse stakeholder views in the future.

13. Partnerships with LGBTQ+ Serving Organizations

Does your organization partner with other organizations with expertise in serving the LGBTQ+ population? If yes, how will you leverage those partnerships to serve your project participants?

Up to 2 pts if applicant identifies specific organizations that they partner with.

Up to 2 pts if applicant describes how they will leverage the partnership(s) for project Clients.

14. Support Services- Unsheltered Persons (0-2 pts)

Describe the support services your agency has tailored to serve persons coming from an unsheltered situation.

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

2. Renewal Project Score Card

a. Unity House of Troy, Inc. – UH 800

Agency Name:	Unity House of Troy, Inc.			Final Score:	187
Project Name:	UH 800				
	Submitted by Deadline w/Required Docs		Yes		
		Total Possible Points	Points Awarded		
Part I: Data-Related Questions (178)					
20 pts max	1a. Utilization Rate 100%	CARES	15	15	
	1b. Exceeded 100% in Persons & Households	CARES	5	5	
5 pts max	2. Data Quality & Completeness	APR Q6	5	0	
15 pts max	3. Impact on Chronic Homeless	Attach 1	15	5.25	
25 pts max	4. Positive Outcomes	Attach 2	25	24.25	
20 pts max	5. Exits to Homelessness	Attach 3	20	20	
20 pts max	6. Income Growth: System Impact	Attach 4	20	9.2	
16 pts max	7a. Stayers- Earned Income	APR Q19a1	5	2	
	7b. Stayers- Other Income	APR Q19a1	3	3	
	7c. Leavers- Earned Income	APR Q19a2	5	3	
	7d. Leavers- Other Income	APR Q19a2	3	3	
10 pts max	8. Priority Population	CARES	10	10	
5 pts max	9. Housing First	CARES	5	5	
5 pts max	10. Anti-Discrimination Policy	CARES	5	5	
10 pts max	11. Total Awarded Funds	CARES	10	10	
5 pts max	12. LOCCS Drawdowns	CARES	5	5	
5 pts max	13. CoC Participation	CARES	5	5	
15 pts max	14a. Coordinated Entry	CE Lead	10	10	
	14b. Coordinated Entry	CE Lead	5	5	
2 pts max	15. Project Monitoring	CARES	2	2	
	Total		178	146.7	
Part II: Project & System Performance-Related Questions (68)					
20 pts max	1. Utilization	Reviewers	20	N/A	
5 pts max	2. Leveraging and Coordination of Services	Reviewers	5	4.166667	
5 pts max	3. System Performance- Housing Stability	Reviewers	5	5	
5 pts max	4. System Performance- Income	Reviewers	5	5	
2 pts max	5. COVID Related Question	Reviewers	2	N/A	
5 pts max	6. DV Projects Only- Positive Outcomes/Safety	Reviewers	5	5	
5 pts max	7. Youth-Serving Projects- Positive Outcomes	Reviewers	5	1.666667	
5 pts max	8. Project Performance	Reviewers	5	3	
3 pts max	9. Equitable Services and Program Outcomes	Reviewers	3	3	
1 pt max	10. Lived Experience	CARES	1	1	
2 pts max	11. Reducing Length of Time Homeless	Reviewers	2	2	
4 pts max	12. Diverse Stakeholders	Reviewers	4	4	
4 pts max	13. Partnerships with LGBTQ+ Serving Organizations	Reviewers	4	4	
2 pts max	14. Support Services- Unsheltered Persons	Reviewers	2	2	
	Total		68	39.83333	

1E-2a. Scored Project Forms for One Project from Your CoC's Local Competition.

3. NY-512's Objective Criteria and System Performance Criteria Chart with Point Values

NY-512 Objective Criteria

Question	Point Value	Objective Criterion	System Performance Measure	Considerations for Serving those with Severe Barriers to housing and services
Renewal Part 1				
1. Utilization Rate	20	Utilization Rate		
2. Data Quality and Completeness	5	Data Quality & Completeness		
3. Impact on Chronic Homelessness	15	Impact on CH	Impact on CH	
4. Positive Outcomes	25	Positive Outcomes	Positive Outcomes	
5. Exits to Homelessness	20	Exits to Homelessness	Exits to Homelessness	
6. Income Growth- System Impact	20	Effect on Income Growth	Effect on Income Growth	
7. Income Growth- Project Performance	16	Effect on Income Growth	Effect on Income Growth	
8. Priority Population	10	Population Served		
9. Housing First	5	Housing First		
11. Total Awarded Funds	10	Funding		
12. LOCCS Drawdowns	5	Funding		
11. CoC Participation	5	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
14. Coordinated Entry	15	Coordinated Entry Participation		
15. Project Monitoring	2	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
Renewal Part 2				
6. DV Positive Outcomes/Safety	5			Specific Method for Evaluating Projects Submitted by Victim Service Providers - Positive Outcomes based on Safety Concerns
7. Youth- Positive Outcomes/Safety	5			Specific Method for Evaluating Projects Submitted by Youth Service Providers: Positive Outcomes based on Increase of Income and Housing Stability
Total Points	247		173	96
Percentage of Points	494	Total Objective Criteria	35%	Total System Performance Criteria
<p>Please note: the above points for Objective Criteria, System Performance Measures, and considerations for serving those with severe barriers to housing and services refer to the following types of projects: PSH, RRH, TH, TH-RRH</p> <p><i>HMIS & CE projects are not scored through Rank & Review per the CoC's Rank & Review Written Process</i></p>				

New Bonus Tool				
1. CoC Member	10	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2. CoC Funded	10	Funding/ CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2a. Unresolved Monitoring Findings	3	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
3. CE Participation	5	Coordinated Entry Participation		
4. HMIS Participation	3	HMIS Participation		

6. Priority Populations	5	Population Served		
8. Housing First	25	Housing First		
12. People with Lived Experience of Homelessness in Le	1	Including People with Lived Experience of Homelessness		
14. Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing	33	Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing		
19. Project Start Date	5	Project Start Date		
Total Points	147		100	
Percentage of Points	147	Total Objective Criteria	68%	
<p>Please note: the above points for Objective Criteria refer to the following types of new projects: PSH, RRH, TH, TH-RRH</p> <p><i>HMIS & CE projects are not scored on Objective Criteria given such criteria do not make sense for SSO projects</i></p>				

DV Bonus Tool				
1. CoC Member	10	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2. CoC Funded	10	Funding/ CoC Participation and Monitoring		
2a. Unresolved Monitoring Findings	3	CoC Participation and Monitoring		
3. CE Participation	5	Coordinated Entry Participation		
4. HMIS Participation	3	HMIS Participation		
8. Housing First	Unscored-eligibility threshold	Housing First		
12. People with Lived Experience of Homelessness in Le	1	Including People with Lived Experience of		
14. Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing	33	Partnerships with Healthcare and Housing		
19. Project Start Date	5	Project Start Date		
Total Points	130		70	
Percentage of Points	130	Total Objective Criteria	54%	
<p>Please note: the above points for Objective Criteria refer to the following types of new projects: PSH, RRH, TH, TH-RRH</p> <p><i>HMIS & CE projects are not scored on Objective Criteria given such criteria do not make sense for SSO projects</i></p>				

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

This attachment details the 13 Day Notification of Projects Rejected or Reduced for NY-512. It contains the following:

1. Sample Notification of Project Reduction
2. Sample Notification of Project Rejection
3. September 13, 2022 email to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant's website the Ranking and Tiering showing NY-512 Rejected Projects
4. September 13, 2022 website screenshot showing posted Ranking & Tiering for NY-512 Rejected Projects

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

1. Sample Notification of Project Reduction

From: [Samantha Barnaby](#)
To: [Samantha Barnaby](#)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Reduced
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 1:27:33 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear **Sample**,

On behalf of the Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative, we would like to thank **Sample Agency** for its application, **Sample Application Name**, for bonus funding through NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Unfortunately, through the Rank and Review process for New Projects, your application was chosen to be reduced in the amount of \$54,000.

Although the project was eligible and strong, your project was ranked outside of the eligible funding amount after the combined total of accepted applications. Although the full project amount was eligible, it is the recommendation of the CoC Committee to reduce funds in order to more effectively meet the unique needs of the most vulnerable in NY-512.

Summary:

Agency: **Sample Agency**
Project name: **Sample Application Name**
Project score: 98/206
Funding amount requested: \$154,968
Funding reduced by: \$54,000
Status: **Reduced**

Thanks

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2. Sample Notification of Project Rejection

From: [Samantha Barnaby](#)
To: [Samantha Barnaby](#)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Rejected
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 1:49:16 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Sample,

On behalf of the Rensselaer County Homeless Services Collaborative, we would like to thank Sample Agency for its application, Sample Application Name, for bonus funding through NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Unfortunately, through the Rank and Review process for New Projects, your application was not selected to apply.

Although the project was eligible and strong, your project was ranked outside of the eligible funding amount after the combined total of accepted applications. This year, applications that indicated they would serve priority populations, as identified by the CoC, were prioritized during the Rank & Review process, which is one reason why your application was ultimately not selected to be included in this year's application for Bonus funding. The CoC encourages you to apply again if funding becomes available in future CoC competitions.

Summary:

Agency: Sample Agency
Project name: Sample Application Name
Project score: 98/206
Funding amount requested: \$154,968
Status: Rejected

Thanks

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3. September 13, 2022 email to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant's website the Ranking and Tiering showing NY-512 Rejected Projects

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Subject: RE: NY-512/RCHSC Public Posting of FY22 Draft Consolidated Application
Date: Tuesday, September 13, 2022 2:18:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear NY-512 RCHSC Membership,

As a follow-up to the Public Posting email sent Friday, please be aware the Final Ranking & Tiering is also now posted on the [CARES website](#). This document details the accepted and rejected project applications as a result of the local CoC competition for FY22.

Please reach out with any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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Subject: NY-512/RCHSC Public Posting of FY22 Draft Consolidated Application

Good Afternoon NY-512 RCHSC,

2022 Consolidated Application Public Posting

Draft version 1 of the [2022 Consolidated Application](#) has been posted to the [CARES Website](#) for public comment. The posting includes:

1. Draft CoC Application Narratives (completed to date)
2. Draft Attachments (completed to date)
3. Planning Grant

Due to the shortened timeline of this year's Consolidated Application, CARES will be publicly posting the Consolidated Application twice: once today, and once as the Final Submission Posting on 9/23. As such, we ask that you [review the Draft CoC Application and provide CARES with any content that should be highlighted in the answers by COB Friday, September 16th](#). Thank you for your support in ensuring the CoC submits a robust and successful application.

Thank you,

1E-5. Projects Rejected/Reduced–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

4. September 13, 2022 website screenshot showing posted Ranking & Tiering for NY-512 Rejected Projects

Once a substantial portion of the Consolidated Application is completed, CARES will post an updated version of the application on Fridays. CoC community members are encouraged to review and provide comments to CARES by emailing planning_team@caresny.org.

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2022 Funding Snapshot

Community	ARD	Tier 1	Tier 2* (5% ARD + CoC Bonus)	CoC Bonus	DV Bonus	Planning Grant
NY-512 Rensselaer	\$3,949,698	\$3,752,213	\$394,970	\$197,485	\$174,223	\$118,491

Consolidated Application

- DRAFT: [NY 512 CoC Consolidated Application – Narrative – 9.9.22](#)
- DRAFT: [NY 512 CoC Consolidated Application – Attachments – 9.9.22](#)

CoC Priority Listing

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CoC Project Description

Coming Soon

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1E-5a. Projects Accepted–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

This attachment details the 15 Day Notification of Projects Accepted by NY-512. It contains the following:

1. September 12, 2022 Email notification of Projects Accepted:
 - a. **CARES of NY, Inc.**
 - i. Rank: 11 - Rensselaer County Portion of the Capital Region HMIS (2022) - *Renewal Project Application*
 - ii. B2-15 HMIS Expansion – *New Project Application*
 - b. **Catholic Charities Housing Office**
 - i. Rank: 8 - St. Peter’s Residence – *Renewal Project Application*
 - c. **St. Paul’s Center**
 - i. Rank: 4 - St. Paul’s Center Permanent Supportive Housing - *Renewal Project Application*
 - ii. B1-14 St Paul Center – PSH Expansion – *New Project Application*
 - d. **Unity House of Troy**
 - i. Rank: 1 - UH 800 - *Renewal Project Application*
 - ii. Rank: 3 - UH 309 - *Renewal Project Application*
 - iii. Rank: 7 - UH 352 - *Renewal Project Application*
 - iv. Rank: 10 - Unity House Coordinated Entry for RCHSC - *Renewal Project Application*
 - e. **YWCA of the Greater Capital Region**
 - i. Rank: 2 - YWCA-GCR Family Apartment Program – *Renewal Project Application*
 - ii. Rank: 13 - YWCA-GCR Apartment Program – *Renewal Project Application*
2. September 15, 2022 Email notification of Projects Accepted:
 - a. **Joseph House and Shelter**
 - i. Rank: 6 - JH - Bethune – *Renewal Project Application*
 - ii. Rank: 5 - JH - Bert's Place – *Renewal Project Application*
 - iii. Rank: 12 - JH - Consolidated – *Renewal Project Application*
 - iv. Rank: 11 - JH - Rensselaer Coordinated Entry – *Renewal Project Application*
 - v. B3-16 CE Expansion – *New Project Application*
3. September 13, 2022 Email notification to CoC Membership announcing the CoC posted to the Collaborative Applicant’s website the Ranking and Tiering showing NY-512 Accepted Projects
4. September 13, 2022 Website screenshot showing posted Ranking & Tiering for NY-512 Accepted Projects

1E-5a. Projects Accepted–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

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a. CARES of NY, Inc.

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- ii. B2-15 HMIS Expansion – *New Project Application*

From: [Haleigh Schmidhamer](#)
To: [Denise Brodt](#)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Acceptance
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 4:31:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Denise,

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-512 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc. on having your projects accepted within NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Ranked Position, Agency Name, Project Name, funding request, score/total score
Ranked #10/16, Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc., Rensselaer County Portion of the Capital Region HMIS (2022), \$16,983, scored N/A
Ranked #B2-15/16, Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc., HMIS Expansion, \$32,700, scored 128/147

Please note, this means your projects will be included within the NY-512 CoC NOFO application; HUD will determine and announce which projects will officially receive funding at a later date. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions and congratulations on your accepted projects.

Thank you,

Haleigh

Haleigh Schmidhamer, MCRP

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1E-5a. Projects Accepted–Notification Outside of e-snaps.

1. September 12, 2022 email notification of Projects Accepted:

b. Catholic Charities Housing Office

i. Rank: 8 - St. Peter's Residence – *Renewal Project Application*

From: [Haleigh Schmidhamer](#)
To: [Sondra Young](#)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Acceptance
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 4:34:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Sondra,

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-512 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate Catholic Charities Housing Office on having your projects accepted within NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Ranked Position, Agency Name, Project Name, funding request, score/total score
Ranked #8/16, Catholic Charities Housing Office, St. Peter's Residence, \$383,347, scored 165.3/226

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Thank you,

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1. September 12, 2022 email notification of Projects Accepted:

c. St. Paul's Center

- i. Rank: 4 - St. Paul's Center Permanent Supportive Housing - *Renewal Project Application*
- ii. B1-14 St Paul Center – PSH Expansion – *New Project Application*

From: [Haleigh Schmidhamer](#)
To: [Tracy Pitcher \(tpitcher@stpaulscenter.com\)](mailto:tpitcher@stpaulscenter.com)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Acceptance
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 4:37:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Tracy,

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-512 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate St. Paul's Center on having your projects accepted within NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Ranked Position	Agency Name	Project Name	funding request	score/total score
Ranked #4/16	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St. Paul's Center Permanent Supportive Housing	\$ 92,462	scored 181/226
Ranked #B1-14/16	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St Paul Center - PSH Expansion	\$ 148,575	scored 131/147

Please note, this means your projects will be included within the NY-512 CoC NOFO application; HUD will determine and announce which projects will officially receive funding at a later date. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions and congratulations on your accepted projects.

Thank you,

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1. September 12, 2022 email notification of Projects Accepted:

d. Unity House of Troy

- i. Rank: 1 - UH 800 - *Renewal Project Application*
- ii. Rank: 3 - UH 309 - *Renewal Project Application*
- iii. Rank: 7 - UH 352 - *Renewal Project Application*
- iv. Rank: 10 - Unity House Coordinated Entry for RCHSC – *Renewal*

From: [Haleigh Schmidhamer](#)
To: [Andrea Ryan](#)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Acceptance
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 4:38:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Andrea,

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-512 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate **Unity House** on having your projects accepted within NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's **accepted projects**, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Ranked Position	Agency Name	Project Name	funding request	score/total score
Ranked #1/16	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 800	\$2,318,306	scored 187/226
Ranked #3/16	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 309	\$83,545	scored 181.4/226
Ranked #7/16	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 352	\$83,485	scored 166.8/226
Ranked #9/16	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	Unity House Coordinated Entry for RCHSC,	\$54,000	scored N/A

Please note, this means your projects will be included within the NY-512 CoC NOFO application; HUD will determine and announce which projects will officially receive funding at a later date. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions and congratulations on your accepted projects.

Thank you,

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1. September 12, 2022 email notification of Projects Accepted:

e. YWCA of the Greater Capital Region

- i. Rank: 2 - YWCA-GCR Family Apartment Program – *Renewal Project Application*
- ii. Rank: 13 - YWCA-GCR Apartment Program – *Renewal Project Application*

From: [Haleigh Schmidhamer](#)
To: [Bonnie Benson](#)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Acceptance
Date: Monday, September 12, 2022 4:36:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Bonnie,

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-512 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate the YWCA GCR on having your projects accepted within NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Ranked Position	Agency Name	Project Name	funding request	score/total score
Ranked #2/16	YWCA of the Greater Capital Region, Inc.	Family Apartment Program	\$ 33,599	scored 184.5/226
Ranked #13/16	YWCA of the Greater Capital Region, Inc.	Apartment Program	\$ 149,408	scored 161/226

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- iv. Rank: 11 - JH - Rensselaer Coordinated Entry – *Renewal Project Application*
- v. B3-16 CE Expansion – *New Project Application*

From: [Haleigh Schmidhamer](#)
To: [Andra Ordansky](#); [Kevin O'Connor \(koconnor@josephshousetroy.org\)](mailto:koconnor@josephshousetroy.org)
Subject: FY22 CoC Application Local Competition – CoC Project Acceptance
Date: Thursday, September 15, 2022 2:40:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear Andra and Kevin,

As the Collaborative Applicant for the NY-512 CoC, CARES would like to congratulate Joseph's House on having your projects accepted within NY-512's FY22 Continuum of Care local competition. Below is a detailed list of your agency's accepted projects, funding requests, scores, and ranked positions:

Ranked Position, Agency Name, Project Name, funding request, score/total score
Ranked #5/16, Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc., Bert's Place, \$120,746, scored 179.6/226
Ranked #6/16, Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc., JH Bethune, \$169,539, scored 174/226
Ranked #12/16, Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc., JH Consolidated, \$361,730, scored 164.8/226
Ranked #11/16, Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc., JH- Rensselaer Coordinated Entry (2022), \$82,548, scored N/A
Ranked #B3-16/16, Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc., CE Expansion, \$16,200, scored 123/147

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Subject: RE: NY-512/RCHSC Public Posting of FY22 Draft Consolidated Application
Date: Tuesday, September 13, 2022 2:18:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Dear NY-512 RCHSC Membership,

As a follow-up to the Public Posting email sent Friday, please be aware the **Final Ranking & Tiering is also now posted on the [CARES website](#)**. This document details the **accepted and rejected project applications** as a result of the local CoC competition for FY22.

Please reach out with any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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From: CARES Planning Team

Sent: Friday, September 9, 2022 3:16 PM

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Subject: NY-512/RCHSC Public Posting of FY22 Draft Consolidated Application

Good Afternoon NY-512 RCHSC,

2022 Consolidated Application Public Posting

Draft version 1 of the [2022 Consolidated Application](#) has been posted to the [CARES Website](#) for public comment. The posting includes:

1. Draft CoC Application Narratives (completed to date)
2. Draft Attachments (completed to date)
3. Planning Grant

Due to the shortened timeline of this year's Consolidated Application, CARES will be publicly posting the Consolidated Application twice: once today, and once as the Final Submission Posting on 9/23. As such, we ask that you [review the Draft CoC Application and provide CARES with any content that should be highlighted in the answers by COB Friday, September 16th](#). Thank you for your support in ensuring the CoC submits a robust and successful application.

Thank you,

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CoC Project Description

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DRAFT: [NY 512 CoC Planning Project – 9.9.22](#)

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1E-5b. Local Competition Selection Results–Scores for All Projects.

This attachment details the final project scores for all new and renewal projects considered for NY-512 during its local competition. It contains the following:

1. Ranking and Tiering for NY-512 Projects

RGHSC 2022 Ranking and Tiering

Rank	Score	Applicant Name	Program Name	Project Type	Funding Amount	Grant Number
1	187	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 800	PSH	\$2,318,306	NY0146L2C122114
2	184.5	YWCA of the Greater Capital Region, Inc.	Family Apartment Program	PSH	\$33,599	NY0585L2C122113
3	181.4	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 309	PSH	\$83,545	NY0668L2C122110
5	181	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St. Paul's Center Permanent Supportive Housing	PSH	\$92,462	NY1093L2C122105
4	179.6	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	Bert's Place	PSH	\$120,746	NY0804L2C122111
6	174	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH Bethune	PSH	\$169,539	NY0840L2C122110
7	166.8	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	UH 352	RRH	\$83,485	NY0152L2C122114
8	165.3	Catholic Charities Housing Office	St. Peter's Residence	PSH	\$383,347	NY1209L2C122103
9a	164.8	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH Consolidated	PSH	\$313,653	NY0143L2C122114
10	N/A	Unity House of Troy, Inc.	Unity House Coordinated Entry for RGHSC 2022	SSO	\$54,000	NY1210D2C122103
11	N/A	Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc.	Rensselaer County Portion of the Capital Region HMIS (2022)	HMIS	\$16,983	NY0147L2C122114
12	N/A	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH- Rensselaer Coordinated Entry (2022)	SSO	\$82,548	NY1094L2C122105
9b	164.8	Joseph's House & Shelter, Inc.	JH Consolidated	PSH	\$48,077	NY0143L2C122114
13	161	YWCA of the Greater Capital Region, Inc.	Apartment Program	PSH	\$149,408	NY0139L2C122114
B1-14	131	St. Paul's Center, Inc.	St Paul Center - PSH Expansion	PSH	\$148,575	
B2-15	128	Corporation for AIDS Research, Education and Services, Inc.	HMIS Expansion	HMIS	\$32,700	
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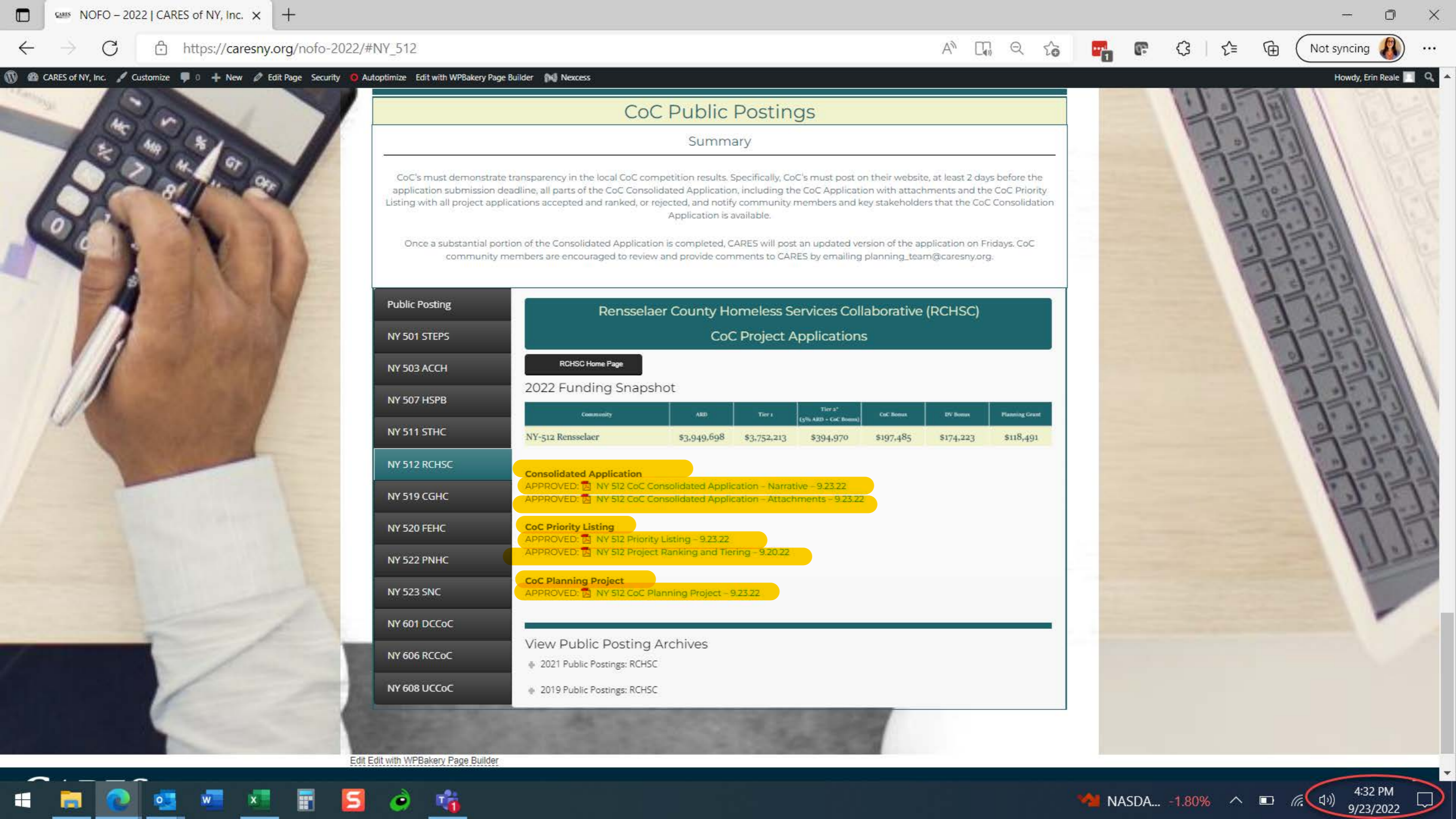
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CoC Public Postings

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Date: Friday, September 23, 2022 4:27:00 PM
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Good Afternoon NY-512 RCHSC Membership,

All parts of the 2022 approved Consolidated Application and Priority Listing have been posted to the [CARES Website](#) for public comment.

Specifically, you will find the approved versions of:

- Consolidated Application Narratives & Attachments
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- Project Ranking & Tiering
- Planning Grant

CARES will be submitting the CoC Application & Priority Listing on behalf of the CoC on Wednesday, September 28th. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to reach out.

Thank you,

CARES Planning Team

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From: CARES Planning Team

Sent: Tuesday, September 13, 2022 2:19 PM

Subject: RE: NY-512/RCHSC Public Posting of FY22 Draft Consolidated Application

Dear NY-512 RCHSC Membership,

As a follow-up to the Public Posting email sent Friday, please be aware the Final Ranking & Tiering is also now posted on the [CARES website](#). This document details the accepted and rejected project applications as a result of the local CoC competition for FY22.

Please reach out with any questions or concerns.

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2. September 9, 2022 email notification to NY-512 members and stakeholders that the **draft** version of CoC Consolidated Application was publicly posted to website

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Subject: NY-512/RCHSC Public Posting of FY22 Draft Consolidated Application
Date: Friday, September 9, 2022 3:15:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Good Afternoon NY-512 RCHSC,

2022 Consolidated Application Public Posting

Draft version 1 of the 2022 Consolidated Application has been posted to the [CARES Website](#) for public comment. The posting includes:

1. Draft CoC Application Narratives (completed to date)
2. Draft Attachments (completed to date)
3. Planning Grant

Due to the shortened timeline of this year's Consolidated Application, CARES will be publicly posting the Consolidated Application twice: once today, and once as the Final Submission Posting on 9/23. As such, we ask that you review the Draft CoC Application and provide CARES with any content that should be highlighted in the answers by COB Friday, September 16th. Thank you for your support in ensuring the CoC submits a robust and successful application.

Thank you,

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3A-1. New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Housing Resources.

This attachment details the Housing Leveraging Commitments for new Projects in **NY-512**. It includes:

1. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements
2. Housing Leveraging Commitment between **St Paul Center** and **ESSHI State Contracting Agency (SCA)** for **Projects: Lee Dyer Family Apartments & Housing Options**.

3A-1. New PH-PSH/PH-RRH Project–Leveraging Housing Resources.

1. Checklist verifying commitment meets all HUD requirements

Checklist for New CoC Project Applicants that are Leveraging Housing Resources

You have indicated that your proposed project will be able to **leverage housing resources**. You must submit to CARES (1) the below checklist and (2) a contract, letter of commitment, or other formal written documents from the funding body that includes:

Project name should be listed in the commitment documentation

Project name: St Paul Center - PSH Expansion project

Source of commitment should be listed in the commitment documentation (i.e. private organizations, state or local government, PHAs, faith-based organizations, federal programs other than CoC or ESG programs)

Source of Commitment: The source of the commitment is Empire State Supportive Housing Initiative (ESSHI) funding.

Amount of funding committed per the following:

a. PSH: the number of housing units for a PSH project that are not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of units must be at least 25% of the total units to be provided by the proposed new CoC project application for full points.

OR

b. RRH or TH-RRH: The number of program participants to be provided RRH or TH-RRH that is not funded through the CoC or ESG Programs. The number of program participants to be served must be at least 25% of the total participants to be served in the proposed CoC new project application for full points.

Calculation showing the amount of non-CoC/ESG resources committed in the written commitment, and that this is at least 25% of units (for PSH) or participants (for RRH) to be served through the proposed New CoC Project Application:

a. The expansion program proposes an additional 7 units for the PSH program. The ESSHI leveraging has the capacity to support up to 25 units, more than 100% of the expansion project.

The date that the funding (outside of CoC or ESG programs) will be available is on the written commitment (should run concurrently with the new project).

Dates of housing commitment: The Lee Dyer Housing ESSHI project began on 9/1/2019 and will extend 5 years, with the opportunity to renew. The Housing Options ESSHI project will begin on 3/1/2023, ahead of the CoC project start date, and will also extend for 5 years, with the opportunity to renew.

3A-1a Housing Leveraging Commitments

2. Housing Leveraging Commitment between **St Paul Center** and **ESSHI State Contracting Agency (SCA)** for **Projects: Lee Dyer Family Apartments & Housing Options.**



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September 16, 2022

TO: Kelsey Addy, Director of Planning, CARES of NY, Inc.

FR: Tracy Pitcher, Executive Director

RE: Empire State Homeless Housing Initiative (ESSHI) Award Commitments

This letter confirms the commitment of ESSHI funds in support of St. Paul's Center St Paul Center - PSH Expansion project:

- Lee Dyer Family Apartments: 9 permanent supportive housing units for families experiencing homelessness. Contract # TDA01-C00477GG-3410000 represents the project located at 212 and 214 Washington Ave., Rensselaer, NY, in the county of Rensselaer. The award provides \$26,010 per unit, or \$234,090 annually. The contract is a 5-year contract with a 2% escalation factor, subject to the availability of state funds; this is intended to be renewable for an additional 5-year term.
- Housing Options: 16 permanent supportive housing units for adults, 55 yoa+, experiencing homelessness. Application #2020-00202 represents the project located at 3 Cerone Commercial Drive in Albany, in the county of Albany. The conditional award provides \$25,000 per unit, or \$400,000 annually. The conditional award, once finalized, features a 5-year contract with a 2% escalation factor, subject to the availability of state funds; this is intended to be renewable for an additional 5-year term.

Attachments: ESSHI Award letters for Lee Dyer and Housing Options



May 15, 2019

Tracy Pitcher
Executive Director
St. Paul's Center, Inc.
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RE: Empire State Supportive Housing Initiative (ESSHI) Award

Dear ESSHI Awardee:

On behalf of the Empire State Supportive Housing Initiative (ESSHI) Interagency Workgroup, I am pleased to inform you that your agency has met the requirement of the conditional ESSHI award by demonstrating that the capital funds necessary to develop the proposed supportive housing project have been secured.

Therefore, this letter will serve as notification of the commitment of ESSHI funds in support of the nine (9) units to be developed as described in application #2018-071 (Unit Sequence #s 959-967). The project site will be located at 212 & 214 Washington Avenue, Rensselaer, NY (Rensselaer County). The approved award provides a maximum of \$25,000 per unit or \$225,000 annually. The ESSHI award will increase by a two (2) percent escalation factor, subject to the availability of State funds.

Please note that your assigned ESSHI State Contracting Agency (SCA) is the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA). You should continue to maintain frequent communication with the SCA in order to keep the Interagency Workgroup apprised of the status of the project in development and to develop the services and operating contract. The projected funding need date of the project is 9/1/2019. Note that this commitment may be rescinded if any of the committed capital funds are withdrawn.

Note that the specifics of a resulting ESSHI contract, including but not limited to the work plan, staffing plan and budget, are subject to the review, modification and approval of the State Contracting Agency. The contract is further subject to review and approval by the Division of Budget, Office of the Attorney General, and Office of the State Comptroller, as well as the availability of State funds.

As a reminder, the ESSHI contract is designed to be a multi-year contract with an initial 5-year term, intended to be renewable for additional 5-year terms.

Congratulations and we wish you well in your endeavors in developing and providing needed supportive housing for homeless New Yorkers.

Sincerely,

Moira Tashjian, MPA
Associate Commissioner
Adult Community Care Group – Office of Mental Health

Chair, Interagency Workgroup

cc: Jason Harper, OTDA



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October 28, 2021

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RE: Empire State Supportive Housing Initiative (ESSHI) Award

Dear ESSHI Awardee:

On behalf of the Empire State Supportive Housing Initiative (ESSHI) Interagency Workgroup, I am pleased to inform you that your agency has met the requirement of the conditional ESSHI award by demonstrating that the capital funds necessary to develop the proposed supportive housing project have been secured.

Therefore, this letter will serve as notification of the commitment of ESSHI funds in support of the sixteen (16) units to be developed as described in application #2020-00202 (Unit Sequence #s 344-359). The project site will be located at 3 Cerone Commercial Drive Albany, NY (Albany County). The approved award provides \$25,000 per unit or \$400,000 annually. The ESSHI award will increase by a two (2) percent escalation factor, subject to the availability of State funds.

Please note that your assigned ESSHI State Contracting Agency (SCA) is the Department of health (DOH). You should continue to maintain frequent communication with the SCA in order to keep the Interagency Workgroup apprised of the status of the project in development and to develop the services and operating contract. The projected funding need of the project is 03/01/2023. Note that this commitment may be rescinded if any of the committed capital funds are withdrawn.

Note that the specifics of a resulting ESSHI contract, including but not limited to the work plan, staffing plan and budget, are subject to the review, modification and approval of the State Contracting Agency. The contract is further subject to review and approval by the Division of Budget, Office of the Attorney General, and Office of the State Comptroller, as well as the availability of State funds.

As a reminder, the ESSHI contract is designed to be a multi-year contract with an initial 5-year term, intended to be renewable for additional 5-year terms.

Congratulations and we wish you well in your endeavors in developing and providing needed supportive housing for homeless New Yorkers.

Sincerely,

Moira Tashjian, MPA
Acting Executive Deputy Commissioner
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