



OUT WAYNE COUNTY HOMELESS SERVICES COALITION

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: SEPTEMBER 16, 2011

TO: OUT WAYNE COUNTY HOMELESS SERVICES COALITION

FROM: JENNIFER D. LEPARD, CHAIRPERSON

RE: 2011 HUD APPLICATION

The 2011 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Programs has been released.

For 2011:

- All projects due to expire in 2011 will be submitted for renewal for a period of 1 year.
- The Coalition is also accepting new applications that meet the criteria for HUD projects.

Agencies interested in making application for any projects must check the HUD NOFA for information regarding all eligibility criteria.

Applications will be accepted for all HUD-eligible projects. However:

- Projects that propose to provide permanent housing and propose to spend at least 80% of the budget on housing-related costs will receive priority.
- Any non-permanent housing project proposing to spend at least 80% of the budget on housing-related costs will receive priority.
- Projects that do not need to be renewed after completion or who have at least 50% of their budget in categories that do not require renewal will receive priority.

Please keep in mind that any project should also:

- Conform to HUD usual guidelines regarding eligible activities and clients.
- Conform to the goals of the Out Wayne County Homeless Services Coalition. Regular attendance at meetings can ensure that you are aware of these goals and current activities in place.

Working Together to End Homelessness

- Be closely linked with existing homeless programming and homeless service providers.
- Be designed to serve residents of Out Wayne County in facilities located in Out County communities.

Applicants must:

- Complete the HUD Exhibit 2 (available electronically from HUD) or prepare a summary with all the information required in Exhibit 2.
- Present the application documents and make a verbal presentation at the Out Wayne County Homeless Services Coalition meeting to be held on Tuesday, October 4, 2011. The meeting will be held at Wayne Metro, 2121 Biddle, Suite 102 in Wyandotte at 9:30 am. You must be present at the meeting to have your project considered.
- Be able to meet all application deadlines presented at the October 4th meeting.

Please contact me at 734-246-2280 ext. 127 if you have any questions.