

State of California 2020-2021 Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendment

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Introductions

- **HCD Staff**

- Felicity Gasser, Federal Programs Specialist
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How to Comment

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Background

- Substantial amendment needed to:
 - Conduct an activity with program funds or income not specifically described in the AP; or
 - To change the purpose, scope, location, or beneficiaries of an activity.
- Public hearing to:
 - Solicit feedback on proposed changes
 - Feedback/comment can be submitted by mail, email, Q&A chat, or by phone
 - Public Comment period ends March 11, 2021



Summary of Amendments

- National Housing Trust Fund (NHTF) to provide funding for Rental New Construction, Rehabilitation, Acquisition, and any other eligible activities as per the federal regulations at 24 CFR §93. Guidelines under development for 2022 allocation
- Unencumbered fiscal year (FY) 2014 CDBG program grant funds (\$20M) to support California's Homekey program and to fund previously submitted OTC applications that have ability to spend by regulatory expenditure deadline. Outcome anticipated: 4 projects estimated, 100 persons served



Summary of Amendments

- Reduced HUD allocation for CDBG and HOME-
 - \$529,407 less for CDBG
 - \$152,150 less for HOME
 - Will not affect funds available for NOFA
- Appendix of Program Income for CDBG, local jurisdiction name, activity expected to be carried out, and National Objective being met



Open Q & A

Submit Public comment to:
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