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# **GENERAL NEWS**

#### HUD Opens Registration for Trainings on Sections 102 and 104 of HOTMA

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (<u>HUD</u>) has <u>opened</u> the registration for the remaining sessions in its series of trainings on the Housing Opportunity Through Modernization Act of 2016 (HOTMA) <u>final rule</u>. During the second and third sessions, HUD will discuss the implementation of the Section 102 and 104 of HOTMA, which requires changes to income reviews for Section 8 and public housing residents. The new rules also set limits on the assets that families residing in public housing and Section 8 assisted housing may have.

The <u>second session</u> will take place on May 9, 2023, at 2:00 p.m. Eastern time. It will cover income inclusions and exclusions, earned income disregard elimination, net family assets inclusions and exclusions, deductions, and hardship exemptions for certain expenses. Click <u>here</u> to register.

The <u>third session</u> will take place on May 16, 2023, at 2:00 p.m. Eastern time. It will cover asset limitation, calculation of income (safe harbor income verifications, enterprise income verifications), de minimis errors, and interim reexaminations. Click <u>here</u> to register.

### HUD Issues Distressed Cities Technical Assistance NOFA

Monday on <u>grants.gov</u>, HUD <u>posted</u> the notice of funding availability (<u>NOFA</u>) for the fiscal years 2022 and 2023 <u>Distressed Cities Technical Assistance</u> program. The NOFA makes approximately \$10,000,000 to provide technical assistance to units of general local government and their nonprofit partners serving communities experiencing economic hardship. The application deadline date is **May 19, 2023**. You'll find a link to the NOFA on <u>this page</u> at HUD's <u>Funding</u> <u>Opportunities</u> website.

# PH PROGRAM NEWS

### PIH Posts Op Sub Obligation Letters for Partial March and April

HUD's Office of Public and Indian Housing (PIH) has <u>posted</u> the public housing operating subsidy obligation letters for partial March and April. As usual, the letters to all PHAs in the same state are combined in a single file, which you can access through the map on <u>this webpage</u>. You'll find the link to the obligation letters on the <u>2023 operating fund grant processing page</u> at the <u>operating fund website</u>.



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