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GENERAL NEWS

HUD Announces Waivers to Help MS Recover from Storms and Tornadoes

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (<u>HUD</u>) has <u>announced</u> a package of <u>29</u> <u>regulatory and administrative waivers</u> aimed at helping communities in Mississippi accelerate their recovery from severe storms, straight-line winds, and tornadoes.

The regulatory and administrative relief covers the following programs: Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Housing Trust Fund (HTF), Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG), and Continuum of Care (CoC). The memorandum also announces a simplified notification process for grantees of these programs to use the suspension and waiver flexibility of CPD statutory and regulatory requirements to expedite the delivery of assistance.

Treasury Posts New ERAP Resource

The U.S. Department of the Treasury (<u>Treasury</u>) has posted the following resource to the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (<u>ERAP</u>) website:

• <u>Emergency Rental Assistance: Supporting Renting Families, Driving Lasting Reform</u>, a blogpost reflecting on the evolution of the ERA program over the past two years.

You can find more ERA resources on the ERAP website.

PH PROGRAM NEWS

HUD Posts Materials for Public Housing Repositioning Webinars

On the <u>HUD Exchange News webpage</u>, HUD <u>announced</u> that it has posted the materials for the following sessions in its Public Housing Repositioning webinar series:

- Commensurate Public Benefit
- How to Prepare and Submit a SAC Application

Click on each link to access the materials for each session, including recordings, slides, and transcripts. You can watch previous webinars here.



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