

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), and to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) USCIS Desk Officer. Comments may be submitted to: USCIS, Director, Regulatory Management Division, Clearance Office, 111 Massachusetts Avenue, 3rd Floor, Washington, DC 20529. Comments may also be submitted to DHS via facsimile to 202-272-8352 or via e-mail at [rfs.regs@dhs.gov](mailto:rfs.regs@dhs.gov), and to the OMB USCIS Desk Officer via facsimile at 202-395-6974 or via e-mail at [kastrich@omb.eop.gov](mailto:kastrich@omb.eop.gov).

When submitting comments by E-mail please make sure to add OMB Control Number 1615-0067 in the subject box. Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following four points:

- (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
  - (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
  - (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
  - (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.
- Overview of this information collection:
- (1) *Type of Information Collection:* Revision of a currently approved information collection.
  - (2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal.
  - (3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Homeland Security sponsoring the collection:* Form I-589, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Primary:* Individuals or Households. This information collection will be used to determine whether an alien applying for asylum and/or withholding of deportation in the United States is classifiable as a refugee, and is eligible to remain in the United States.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 63,138 responses at 12 hours per response.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 757,656 annual burden hours.

If you need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please visit the USCIS Web site at: <http://uscis.gov/graphics/formsfee/forms/pr/index.htm>.

If additional information is required contact: USCIS, Regulatory Management Division, 111 Massachusetts Avenue, 3rd Floor, Washington, DC 20529, (202) 272-8377.

Dated: August 23, 2006.

**Richard A. Sloan,**

*Director, Regulatory Management Division, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4950-FA-03]

**Announcement of Funding Awards for the Community Development Technical Assistance Programs Fiscal Year 2005**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice of funding awards.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this announcement notifies the public of funding decisions made by the Department in a competition for funding under the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Community Development Technical Assistance programs. This

announcement contains the names of the awardees and the amounts of the awards made available by HUD.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mark A. Horwath, Director, Office of Technical Assistance and Management, Office of Community Planning and Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Room 7218, Washington, DC 20410-7000; telephone (202) 708-3176 (this is not a toll-free number). Hearing- and speech-impaired persons may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service toll-free at (800) 877-8339. For general information on this and other HUD programs, call Community Connections at 1-800-998-9999 or visit the HUD Web site at <http://www.hud.gov>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Fiscal Year 2005 Community Development Technical Assistance program was designed to increase the effectiveness of HUD's HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), CHDO (HOME) program, Youthbuild program, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program, McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance programs (Homeless), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) program through the selection of technical assistance (TA) providers for these six programs.

The competition was announced in the SuperNOFA published March 21, 2005 (70 FR 14012). The NOFA allowed for approximately \$30,120,000 for CD-TA grants. Applications were rated and selected for funding on the basis of selection criteria contained in that Notice.

For the Fiscal Year 2005 competition, a total of \$28,930,335 was awarded to 72 technical assistance providers nationwide.

In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (103 Stat. 1987, 42 U.S.C. 3545), the Department is publishing the grantees and the amounts of the awards in Appendix A to this document.

Dated: August 3, 2006.

**Nelson R. Bregon,**

*General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.*

**FISCAL YEAR 2005 FUNDING AWARDS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**

Recipient	State	Amount
Council of State Community Development Associations .....	DC .....	\$200,000.00
Abt Associates, Inc. ....	MA .....	100,000.00

## FISCAL YEAR 2005 FUNDING AWARDS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS—Continued

Recipient	State	Amount
Training and Development Associates, Inc. ....	NC .....	100,000.00
ICF Consulting, L.L.C. ....	VA .....	539,000.00
Total CDBG .....	.....	939,000.00
State of Alaska Housing Finance Corporation .....	AK .....	30,000.00
Rural Community Assistance Corporation .....	CA .....	335,000.00
Housing Assistance Council .....	DC .....	1,172,000.00
Homeless & Housing Coalition of Kentucky .....	KY .....	150,000.00
Community Economic Development Assistance Corporation (CEDAC) .....	MA .....	220,000.00
Institute for Community Economics, Inc. ....	MA .....	260,000.00
Enterprise Foundation .....	MD .....	355,000.00
Coastal Enterprises, Inc. ....	ME .....	30,000.00
State of Michigan Department of Consumer & Industry Services .....	MI .....	125,000.00
Minnesota Housing Partnership .....	MN .....	140,000.00
Regional Housing and Community Development Alliance .....	MO .....	29,700.00
Training and Development Associates, Inc. ....	NC .....	1,570,300.00
Local Initiatives Support Corporation .....	NY .....	805,000.00
Neighborhood Preservation Coalition of New York State, Inc. ....	NY .....	222,000.00
New York State Rural Housing Coalition, Inc. ....	NY .....	60,000.00
Structured Employment Economic Development Corporation (SEEDCO) .....	NY .....	600,000.00
Ohio Capital Corporation for Housing .....	OH .....	58,000.00
Ohio CDC Association .....	OH .....	58,000.00
Neighborhood Partnership Fund .....	OR .....	100,000.00
Puerto Rico Community Foundation .....	PR .....	75,000.00
Douglas-Cherokee Economic Authority, Inc. ....	TN .....	150,000.00
Rural Collaborative, Inc. ....	UT .....	85,000.00
Community Frameworks (aka Northwest Regional Facilitators) .....	WA .....	80,000.00
Urban Economic Development Association of Wisconsin, Inc. (UEDA) .....	WI .....	86,120.00
Wisconsin Partnership for Housing Development, Inc. ....	WI .....	113,880.00
Total CHDO .....	.....	6,910,000.00
State of Alaska Housing Finance Corporation .....	AK .....	40,000.00
Rural Community Assistance Corporation .....	CA .....	200,001.00
Colorado Rural Housing Development Consortium (CRHDC) .....	CO .....	19,999.00
Council of State Community Development Associations .....	DC .....	192,245.00
Dennison Associates, Inc. ....	DC .....	994,750.00
Coastal Enterprises, Inc. ....	ME .....	30,000.00
State of Michigan Department of Consumer & Industry Services .....	MI .....	100,000.00
Minnesota Housing Partnership .....	MN .....	75,000.00
Training and Development Associates, Inc. ....	NC .....	965,000.00
New Mexico Mortgage Finance Authority .....	NM .....	80,000.00
Capital Access, Inc. ....	PA .....	60,250.00
Douglas-Cherokee Economic Authority, Inc. ....	TN .....	62,500.00
Rural Collaborative, Inc. ....	UT .....	60,000.00
ICF Consulting, L.L.C. ....	VA .....	4,031,784.00
Vermont Housing and Conservation Board .....	VT .....	30,000.00
Urban Economic Development Association of Wisconsin, Inc. (UEDA) .....	WI .....	35,000.00
Wisconsin Partnership for Housing Development, Inc. ....	WI .....	30,000.00
Total HOME .....	.....	7,006,529.00
State of Alaska Housing Finance Corporation .....	AK .....	30,000.00
HomeBase/The Center for Common Concerns .....	CA .....	200,000.00
Dennison Associates, Inc. ....	DC .....	406,800.00
Affordable Housing Alliance .....	HI .....	39,606.00
Illinois Community Action Association .....	IL .....	70,000.00
Abt Associates, Inc. ....	MA .....	4,000,000.00
Technical Assistance Collaborative, Inc. ....	MA .....	337,732.00
University of Massachusetts at Boston .....	MA .....	72,268.00
Enterprise Foundation .....	MD .....	100,000.00
Biddle Management, LLC .....	MI .....	38,000.00
Minnesota Housing Partnership .....	MN .....	52,000.00
Training and Development Associates, Inc. ....	NC .....	786,200.00
Corporation for Supportive Housing .....	NJ .....	1,172,000.00
New Mexico Coalition to End Homelessness .....	NM .....	24,999.00
Supportive Housing Network of New York .....	NY .....	165,000.00
Partnership Center, Ltd. ....	OH .....	125,000.00
Diana T. Meyers and Associates, Inc. ....	PA .....	20,000.00
Douglas-Cherokee Economic Authority, Inc. ....	TN .....	40,000.00
Community Solutions .....	TX .....	25,001.00

FISCAL YEAR 2005 FUNDING AWARDS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS—Continued

Recipient	State	Amount
ICF Consulting, L.L.C. ....	VA .....	1,371,000.00
Common Ground .....	WA .....	24,000.00
<b>Total Homeless</b> .....	.....	<b>9,099,606.00</b>
AIDS Housing Corporation .....	MA .....	400,000.00
Training and Development Associates, Inc. ....	NC .....	400,000.00
ICF Consulting, L.L.C. ....	VA .....	900,000.00
AIDS Housing of Washington .....	WA .....	200,000.00
<b>Total HOPWA</b> .....	WA .....	<b>1,900,000.00</b>
Heartlands International, Inc. ....	DC .....	500,000.00
YouthBuild USA, Inc. ....	MA .....	2,575,200.00
<b>Total Youthbuild</b> .....	.....	<b>3,075,200.00</b>
<b>Total</b> .....	.....	<b>28,930,335.00</b>

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4900-FA-12]

**Announcement of Funding Awards for the Community Development Technical Assistance Programs Fiscal Year 2004**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice of funding awards.

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for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) program through the selection of technical assistance (TA) providers for these six programs.

The competition was announced in the SuperNOFA published May 14, 2004 (69 FR 27023). The NOFA allowed for approximately \$36,800,000 for CD-TA grants. Applications were rated and selected for funding on the basis of selection criteria contained in that Notice.

For the Fiscal Year 2004 competition, a total of \$36,282,809 was awarded to 82 technical assistance providers nationwide.

In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (103 Stat. 1987, 42 U.S.C. 3545), the Department is publishing the grantees and the amounts of the awards in Appendix A to this document.

Dated: August 3, 2006.

**Nelson R. Bregon,**  
*General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.*

APPENDIX A—FISCAL YEAR 2004 FUNDING AWARDS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Recipient	State	Amount
National Community Development Association .....	DC .....	\$166,400.00
Abt Associates, Inc. ....	MA .....	166,400.00
National Council for Community Development .....	NY .....	166,400.00
Structured Employment Economic Development Corporation .....	NY .....	241,950.00
ICF, Incorporated .....	VA .....	500,000.00
<b>Total CHDO</b> .....	.....	<b>1,241,150.00</b>
State of Alaska Housing Finance Corporation .....	AK .....	35,000.00
Rural Community Assistance Corporation .....	CA .....	357,500.00
Housing Assistance Council .....	DC .....	360,181.00
NCB Development Corporation .....	DC .....	60,000.00
Chicago Rehabilitation Network .....	IL .....	135,000.00
Statewide Housing Action Coalition .....	IL .....	190,000.00