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**TO:** All Tribal Government Leaders and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHE)

**FROM:** Jacqueline Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, P

**TOPIC:** FY 2001 Super Notice of Funding Availability (SuperNOFA)

**SUBJECT:** Eligible Programs for Tribes and TDHEs

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**Super Notice of Funding Availability (SuperNOFA).** On February 26, 2001, HUD's SuperNOFA was published in the Federal Register. The SuperNOFA announces the availability of funds for many of the Department's programs. The SuperNOFA can be accessed at [www.codetalk.fed.us/Whatsnew.html](http://www.codetalk.fed.us/Whatsnew.html). Application kits for all SuperNOFA programs can be obtained by accessing [www.hud.gov](http://www.hud.gov) or by contacting the SuperNOFA toll-free number at 1-800-HUD-8929.

In FY 2001, the Department will provide training for potential applicants. This training will explain the specific program and the application requirements. This training will be "live" and conducted using the HUD satellite system and the HUD website, [www.hud.gov](http://www.hud.gov). For those who cannot participate in "live" training or for training that has already occurred, the Department is taping all sessions. The taped sessions are available 24 hours a day for Webcast viewing at the HUD website, [www.hud.gov](http://www.hud.gov). Please contact your Office of Native American Programs (ONAP) for additional training details as well as questions regarding any of the SuperNOFA Programs. All tribes/tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs) are encouraged to participate in the training sessions.

The following chart lists the SuperNOFA programs that tribes and/or TDHEs are eligible for and includes the application due date and training schedule.

**For further information, contact your Area ONAP**

<b>FY 2001 SuperNOFA</b>			
<b>Application Date and Training Schedule</b>			
<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Application Due Date</b>	<b>Training Broadcast Date</b>	<b>Training Broadcast time</b>
Rural Housing and Economic Development (RHED)	April 6, 2001	March 6, 2001	2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Indian CDBG Program (ICDBG)	May 23, 2001	March 8, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Indian Housing Drug Elimination Program (IHDEP)	April 24, 2001	March 9, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM
Public and Indian Housing Drug Elimination TA Program (DETAP)	July 27, 2001	March 9, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM
New Approach Anti-Drug Program (NAADP)	June 19, 2001	March 14, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Healthy Homes Research (HHR)	May 17, 2001	March 15, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Healthy Homes Demonstration and Education (HHDE)	May 17, 2001	March 15, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Lead Hazard Control (LHC)	May 17, 2001	March 15, 2001	1:00 PM - 4:40 PM
Alaska Native/Native Hawaiian Institutions Assisting Communities Program (AN/NAIAC)	June 1, 2001	March 22, 2001	12:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Resident Opportunities and Self-Sufficiency (ROSS): Resident Management and Business Development	May 24, 2001	March 27, 2001	12:30 PM - 4:30 PM
ROSS: Capacity Building and Conflict Resolution	May 24, 2001	March 27, 2001	12:30 PM - 4:30 PM
ROSS: Resident Service Delivery Models	June 26, 2001	March 27, 2001	12:30 PM - 4:30 PM
Self-Help Housing Opportunities Program (SHOP)	May 29, 2001	March 28, 2001	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Community Outreach Partnership Centers Program (COPC)	June 1, 2001	March 22, 2001	12:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Early Doctoral Student Research Program (EDSR)	April 26, 2001	March 22, 2001	12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

The following are brief descriptions of the SuperNOFA Programs:

- RHED  
The RHED Program provides grants for capacity building and support, including seed money for housing and economic development in rural areas. The program is designed enhance the capacity of organizations operating in rural areas to carry out housing and economic development activities. In FY 2001, approximately \$24 million has been made available for this Program.
- ICDBG  
The ICDBG Program provides eligible grantees with direct grants for use in developing viable Indian and Alaska Native communities, including decent housing, a suitable living environment, and economic opportunities, primarily for low and moderate income persons. Funds are allocated to each of the six Area ONAPs, therefore, applicants compete for funding only with other tribes or eligible Indian entities within their area. In FY 2001, approximately \$70.5 million has been made available.
- IHDEP  
In FY 2001, approximately \$12 million is being made available for IHDEP grants. The purpose of this program is to implement drug and drug-related crime prevention programs in and around their affordable housing communities.
- DETAP  
DETAP grants provide not more than thirty (30) billable days of technical assistance consultant services to assist public housing agencies, Indian tribes and TDHEs, Resident Management Corporations, Resident Councils and Resident Organizations to improve the administration and effectiveness of the Public and Indian Housing Drug Elimination grants. Approximately \$900,000 in funding is available.
- NAADP  
In FY 2001, approximately \$20 million is being made available for NAADP grants. NAADP will provide funding to owners of certain housing developments to augment security; assist in the investigation and prosecution of drug-related crime activity in and around the housing developments; and provide for the development of capital improvements directly relating to security enhancements of the development. Tribes/TDHEs, are eligible applicants if they own a development with project-based Section 8 assistance, as defined in the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, and that development is included in the proposed plan and is located in the "project area" targeted to receive grant funds.
- HHR  
HHR will fund research to improve methods for detecting and controlling residential environmental health and safety (EHS) hazards. The purpose of the Healthy Homes Initiative is to develop, demonstrate and promote cost effective, preventive measures to correct multiple safety and health hazards in the home environment that produce serious diseases and injuries in children. In FY 2001, approximately \$1.5 million is available for this Program.

- HHDE

In FY 2001, approximately \$5.5 million is being made available for HHDE grants. HHDE is designed to develop, demonstrate and promote cost effective, preventive measures to correct multiple safety and health hazards in the home environment that produce serious diseases and injuries in children.

- LHC

The purpose of the LHC Program is to assist states, Indian tribes and local governments in undertaking comprehensive programs to identify and control lead-based paint hazards in eligible privately-owned housing for rental or owner-occupants in partnership with community-based organizations. In FY 2001, approximately \$59 million is available for this Program. A minimum of 10% match in local funds is required for LHC.

- AN/NHIAC

The purpose of the AN/NHIAC Program is to assist Alaska Native/Native Hawaiian institutions of higher education (AN/NHI) expand their role and effectiveness in addressing community development needs in their localities, consistent with the purposes of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. In FY 2001, approximately \$3 million, plus \$1.2 million in previously unexpended funds, will be divided evenly between eligible Alaska Native institutions of higher education and Native Hawaiian institutions of higher education.

- ROSS

ROSS is designed to link services to public housing residents and recipients under the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act (NAHASDA) of 1996 by providing grants for supportive services, resident empowerment activities and activities to assist residents in becoming economically self-sufficient. In FY 2001, 55 million is available for funding including: Resident Management and Business Development \$6 million of which \$500,000 has been set aside for tribes/TDHEs that partner with Tribal Resident Organizations and Tribal Management Corporations; Capacity Building and Conflict Resolution \$5 million of which \$400,000 has been set aside for tribes/TDHEs; and Resident Service Delivery Models \$24 million of which \$1,200,000 has been set aside for tribes/TDHEs.

- SHOP

The purpose of the SHOP Program is to facilitate and encourage innovative homeownership opportunities through self-help housing where the homebuyer contributes a significant amount of sweat-equity toward the construction of the new dwelling. In FY 2001, \$20 million is available for funding. Eligible applicants must be nonprofit national or regional organization or consortium that has the capacity and experience to provide or facilitate self-help housing homeownership opportunities. "Regional" is defined for the purpose of the FY 2001 SuperNOFA to be a "regional area" such as the Southwest and must include at least two States.

- COPC

The purpose of the COPC Program is to provide funds to community colleges, four-year colleges, and universities to establish and operate COPCs to address the problems of urban areas. In FY 2001, \$8 million is available for funding. Eligible applicants include public and private nonprofit institutions of higher education granting two - or four- year degrees and accredited by a national or regional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education. Match Requirements: 50% of the total costs of establishing and operating research activities; and 25% of the total costs of establishing and operating outreach activities.

- EDSR

EDSR helps eligible doctoral students cultivate their research skills through the preparation of research manuscripts that focus on housing and urban development issues. In FY 2001, \$150,000 is available in funding. Eligible applicants include pre-dissertation PHD students whose studies include urban economics as a major or concentration within another field related to housing and urban development.