GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

FY2021 AND FY2022 RECOVERY HOUSING PROGRAM (RHP) ACTION PLAN

Substantial Amendment

On February 27, 2023, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) announced that the District of Columbia (the District) would receive an allocation of $1,634,034 in Recovery Housing Program (RHP)[1] FY 2024 (FY 24) funds. RHP allows the District to provide funding for stable, transitional housing for individuals in recovery from a substance use disorder. Funding is for a maximum of two years per individual or until the individual secures permanent housing, whichever is earlier.

On July 15, 2022, HUD approved the FY21 and FY22 RHP Action Plans. The District must substantially amend its approved RHP Action Plans to use these FY24 funds. The District will continue to fund the previously approved activities and proposes increasing current funding levels as stated below:

Eligible Activity	Current Approved Budget	FY 2024 Proposed Amendment	Proposed RHP Budget with Amendment
Administration (5% CAP)	$177,530.00	$81,701.00	$259,231.00
Technical Assistance (3% CAP)	$106,518.00	$49,021.00	$155,539.00
Acquisition of Real Property	$1,388,240.00	$501,104.00	$1,889,344.00
Construction (Hard and Soft Costs)	$990,076.00	$501,104.00	$1,491,180.00
Lease, Rent, and Utility Assistance	$888,240.00	$501,104.00	$1,389,344.00
Proposed Budget Total	**$3,550,604**	**$1,634,034**	**$5,184,638**

The District is required to provide a 15-day comment period for the FY 24 RHP Amendment. The comment period will begin on July 14, 2023, and end at 5:00 pm on July 31, 2023.

The District will submit the proposed amendment and all public comments to HUD by August 16, 2023, through the Disaster Recovery Grant Reporting System (DRGR).

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[1] The Pilot Program to Help Individuals in Recovery from a Substance Use Disorder Become Stably Housed (Recovery Housing Program) was authorized under Section 8071 of the Support for Patients and Communities (SUPPORT) Act.