

Memo To: All Interested Organizations

From: Capital Region Housing Collaborative (CRHC), Designated Continuum of Care (CoC) for Lansing/East Lansing/Ingham County

Date: August 12, 2023

The Capital Region Housing Collaborative (CRHC) announces its local competition for HUD homeless assistance services funding available under the CoC Program for FY 2023.

The HUD Continuum of Care (CoC) Program (24 CFR part 578) is designed to promote a community-wide commitment to the goal of ending homelessness. The local application will go live on the CRHC website www.Capitalregionhousing.org/grants on August 14, 2023 by 5pm EST.

HUD FY 2023 CoC Program NOFO:

<https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/CPD/documents/FY-2023-CoC-NOFO-Publication.pdf>

Approximately \$3.1 billion is available nationally in this FY 2023 HUD CoC Program Competition NOFO. The key HUD policy priorities for FY 2023:

- Ending Homelessness for all persons
- Using a Housing First Approach
- Reducing Unsheltered Homelessness
- Improving System Performance
- Partnering with Housing, Health, and Service Agencies
- Taking Action to Increase Racial Equity
- Improving Assistance to LGBTQIA+ Individuals
- Including Persons with Lived Experience in Planning and Funding Decision Making
- Advocating to Increase Affordable Housing

The Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Local Application process will follow a two-phased ranking process for the FY 2023 CoC competition. Please note that grants awarded in FY 23 will begin services in 2024.

Phase 1: Applications for:

- Standard Renewal Projects (currently receiving CoC funding)

Phase 2: Applications for:

- New Projects
- Expansion of Existing CoC funded Projects

Key deadlines for applying:

Notice of Intent to apply by Friday, August 18, 2023- Notice of intent should be submitted to Kelli Hurley, Ghrncoordinator@gmail.com by Friday August 18, 2023 at 5pm.

Informational Meeting August 22, 2023 - Informational Meeting and Collaborative Discussion (Hybrid Meeting)

Information Meeting August 24, 2023 - Informational Meeting (virtual meeting)

Project Application Deadline: Monday, August 28, 2023 at 12:00 noon (EDT)

Project applications should be submitted to glhrncoordinator@gmail.com by August 28, 2023 by noon (EDT).

Please refer to the CoC calendar for relevant CoC NOFO Scheduling/meeting dates.

CRHC HUD CoC Program MI-508 Competition Calendar

2023 NOFO Schedule (PY 2024-25)	Date	Time	Location / Notes
2023 NOFO Announced and Released by HUD	Monday, July 10, 2023		Annoucement made 7/5 and NOFO released late 7/10
Finance Committee review of 2023 application and review process	Sunday, July 30, 2023		
CRHC Board decision about any Project Reallocation	Friday, August 11, 2023	9am-11am	
Local competition notice out to public and stakeholders	Saturday, August 12, 2023	5pm	Post to CRHC website, City website, City Post, LSJ, the Chronicle, Salus Center
CRHC applications sent to agencies is due 8/28/23. Also a request for a "notice of intent to apply" is due by 8/18/23. This will be posted a CRHC (CoC) member website.	Monday, August 14, 2023	5pm	send out through network, post to local and city websites
2023 CoC Program Nofo Collaborative meeting (PY 2024-25)	Tuesday, August 15, 2023	9-11am	Hybrid/NEC
Notice of Intent to Apply due to CRHC (CoC)	Friday, August 18, 2023	5pm	email to: glhrncoordinator@gmail.com
2023 CoC Program Nofo Collaborative meeting (PY 2024-25)	Tuesday, August 22, 2023	9-11am	Hybrid/NEC
HUD Informational meeting and New applicant capacity review meeting (required for new applicants)	Thursday, August 24, 2023	11a-1pm for All Applicants. Noon -	In person or by zoom
Grantee Applications due to (Kelli)	Monday, August 28, 2023	noon	email to: glhrncoordinator@gmail.com
2023 CoC Program Nofo Collaborative meeting (PY 2024-25)	Tuesday, August 29, 2023	9-11am	Hybrid/NEC
Scorers/Reviewers Selected	Wednesday, August 30, 2023	5pm	
Apps sent out to be reviewed & scored (Rankers/Reviewers needed)	Friday, September 1, 2023	5pm	see Application Announcement
Score sheets due to Collaborative Applicant/HMIS Administrator/CoC Manager	Thursday, September 7, 2023	5pm	email to: glhrncoordinator@gmail.com
CoC Project Application ranking meeting (Finance Committee)	Tuesday, September 12, 2023	9-11am	In person or by zoom
Board approval of ranking and funding recommendations	Tuesday, September 12, 2023	5PM	Electronic or following Ranking/Reallocation meeting, if quorum.
Public Notification of Ranked Project Applications	Tuesday, September 12, 2023	5PM	Per NOFO, must be sent 15-days Prior to HUD application submission deadline. See Pg 66. IV. 5(F)(1)(e)
Written notifications of application ranking and applications that are approved, reduced, or rejected, sent	Tuesday, September 12, 2023	5PM	Per NOFO, posted 15-days Prior to HUD application submission deadline. Pg 66. section IV. 5(F1)(e)
2023 CoC Program Nofo Collaborative meeting (PY 2024-25)	Tuesday, September 19, 2023	9-11am	Hybrid/NEC
HUD Collaborative Application FINAL Draft to CoC Board (and Stakeholders)	Thursday, September 21, 2023	5PM	
Accepted applications due in esnaps	Thursday, September 21, 2023	10pm	https://esnaps.hud.gov
Deadline for Board feedback on CRHC Collaborative Application	Monday, September 25, 2023	9AM	email to: glhrncoordinator@gmail.com
CRHC Board approval of Collaborative Application	Tuesday, September 26, 2023	9am-11am	
Collaborative Application posted to website for public review	Tuesday, September 26, 2023	5PM	
CRHC internal due date for submission	Wednesday, September 27, 2023	5PM	To avoid delays/errors with website on the deadline.
Collaborative App, Project Apps & Priority List submitted to HUD	Thursday, September 28, 2023	3pm	Per NOFO due by 8pm. Internal goal due by 5pm on Esnap
HUD required deadlines and need special attention			
require CRHC Board attention			
CRHC Deadlines			