

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development

[Docket No. N-95-3873; FR-3853-N-01]

Notice of Funding Availability for Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS

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

ACTION: Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA).

SUMMARY: This Notice announces the availability of up to \$19,200,000 in funds to be allocated by competition for housing assistance and supportive services under the Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) program. The funds available under this NOFA will be used to fund projects for low-income persons with HIV/AIDS and their families under two categories of assistance: (1) Grants for special projects of national significance

which, due to their innovative nature or their potential for replication, are likely to serve as effective models in addressing the needs of eligible persons; and (2) grants for projects which are part of long-term comprehensive strategies for providing housing and related services for eligible persons.

The NOFA contains information concerning eligible applicants, the funding available, the application package, its processing, and selection of applications. The regulations for the HOPWA program are found at 24 CFR part 574. A Final Rule for this program, amending 24 CFR part 574, was published in the **Federal Register** on April 11, 1994 (59 FR 17194), and was amended by a rule establishing the Consolidated Plan on January 5, 1995 (60 FR 1878).

DATES: Applications for HOPWA assistance must be received at the HUD Headquarters Office listed below by 6:00 p.m. Eastern time on April 17, 1995. Conditionally selected applicants will be notified by HUD of their selection and may be required to submit additional information within two

months of the date of their notification from HUD.

FOR A COPY OF APPLICATION PACKAGES CONTACT: A HUD Field Office listed in the appendix to this NOFA.

ADDRESSES: Completed applications must be submitted to the Office of Community Planning and Development, Processing Control Branch, Room 7255, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20410. HUD will treat as ineligible for consideration applications that are received after the deadline. A copy must also be sent to the HUD Field Office serving the area in which the applicant's project is located. A list of field offices appears at the end of this NOFA. The Department will not accept any application which is submitted to HUD via facsimile (FAX) transmission.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The HUD Field Office for the area in which the proposed project is located. Telephone numbers are included in the list of Field Offices set forth in the appendix to this NOFA.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS AND SCHEDULE OF COMPETITIONS IN 1995

Category	Special Projects of National Significance	Projects Which Are Part of Long-Term Comprehensive Strategies for Providing Housing and Related Services
Eligible Applicants	States Local Governments Nonprofit organizations.	States and Local Governments in areas not qualifying for formula allocations.
Approximate funding		\$19.2 million
Maximum Grant Size		\$1 million for program activities
Applications due to HUD Headquarters in Washington.		April 17, 1995, 6:00 PM, Eastern Time
Applications to be sent to	Original to HUD Headquarters and one copy to the local Field Office	

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Paperwork Reduction Act Statement

The information collection requirements for the HOPWA program have been approved under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), and have been assigned OMB control number 2506-0133 (exp. 2/28/97).

I. Purpose and Substantive Description (a) Purpose

The funds available under this NOFA will be used to fund projects for low-income persons with HIV/AIDS and their families under two categories of assistance: (1) Grants for special projects of national significance which, due to their innovative nature or their potential for replication, are likely to serve as effective models in addressing the needs of eligible persons; and (2) grants for projects which are part of long-term

comprehensive strategies for providing housing and related services for eligible persons.

(b) Authority

The assistance made available under this NOFA is authorized by the AIDS Housing Opportunity Act (42 U.S.C. 12901), and was appropriated by the HUD Appropriations Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 103-327, approved September 28, 1994) and by the HUD Appropriations Act of 1994 (Pub. L. 103-124, approved October 28, 1993). The regulations for HOPWA are found at 24 CFR part 574.

(c) Eligibility

(1) States, units of general local government, and nonprofit organizations may apply for grants for special projects of national significance. (2) All States and units of general local government may apply for grants for projects under the second category of grants, except for: (A) any State that was

eligible to receive a formula award in fiscal year 1995; and (B) any unit of general local government that was located in a metropolitan area or State that was eligible to receive a formula award in fiscal year 1995. Nonprofit organizations are not eligible to apply for the second category of grants.

(d) Allocation Amounts

Up to \$19,200,000 is being made available by this NOFA. Since some of the appropriated funds are to be derived from the recapture of prior year obligations, the actual amount available may be less.

The maximum amount that an applicant may receive is \$1,000,000, excluding administration costs. HUD reserves the right to fund less than the full amount requested in any application and to modify requests accordingly. If a request is modified by HUD, the conditionally selected

applicant will be required to modify its project plans and application to conform to the terms of HUD approval before execution of a grant agreement.

Funds received under this competition are to be expended within three years following the date of the signing of a grant agreement. Any unobligated funds from previous competitions or additional funds that may become available as a result of deobligations or recaptures from previous awards may also be used to fund applications submitted in response to this NOFA.

(e) Program Goal

Applicants for HOPWA assistance under this NOFA should emphasize the connection between housing assistance and appropriate supportive services in designing their programs. As stated by the National Commission on AIDS in Housing and the HIV/AIDS Epidemic (issued in June 1992) there is "frequently desperate need safe shelter that provides not only protection and comfort, but also a base in which and from which to receive services, care and support."

II. Application Selection Process

(a) Review

Applications will be reviewed to ensure that they meet the following:

(1) *Applicant eligibility.* The applicant and project sponsor(s), if any, are eligible to apply for the specific program;

(2) *Eligible population to be served.* The persons proposed to be served are eligible persons;

(3) *Eligible activities.* The proposed activities are eligible for assistance under the program; and

(4) *Other requirements.* The applicant is currently in compliance with the Federal requirements contained in 24 CFR part 574, subpart G, "Other Federal Requirements."

(b) Rating

Applications under both categories of grant will be rated in a national competition. To rate applications, the Department may establish a panel including persons not currently employed by HUD to obtain outside points of view, including views from other Federal agencies.

(c) Rating of Applications.

(1) Procedure. Applications will be rated based on the criteria listed below in paragraph (2), with a maximum of 100 points awarded. After rating, these applications will be placed in the rank order of their final score for selection.

(2) Rating Criteria. Applications under both categories of grant will be rated on the following criteria:

(A) *Applicant capacity (20 points).* HUD will award up to 20 points based on the ability of the applicant and, if applicable, any project sponsor(s) to develop and operate the proposed program. With regard to both the applicant and the project sponsor(s), HUD will consider: (a) Past experience in serving persons with AIDS or related diseases and their families; (b) past experience in programs similar to those proposed in the application; and (c) experience in monitoring and evaluating program performance.

As applicable, the rating under this criterion will also consider prior performance with any HUD-administered programs, including any serious, outstanding audit or monitoring findings that directly affect the proposed project.

(B) *Need for the project in the area to be served (20 points).* HUD will award up to 20 points based on the extent to which the need for the project in the area to be served is demonstrated by the relative numbers of AIDS cases and per capita AIDS incidence, as reported to and confirmed by the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

(C) *Appropriateness of program activities: Housing, supportive services and other assistance (30 points).* HUD will award up to 30 points based on the extent to which a plan for undertaking and managing the proposed activities:

(a) Describes and responds to the need for housing and related supportive services of eligible persons in the community; or, in relation to technical assistance activities proposed in the application, describes and responds to the technical assistance needs of programs which provide housing and related supportive services for eligible persons;

(b) describes how activities carried out with HOPWA funds and other resources will provide a continuum of housing and services to meet the changing needs of eligible persons, offers a personalized response to those needs which maximizes opportunities for independent living, and in the case of a family, accommodates the needs of families;

(c) provides for monitoring and the evaluation of the assistance provided to participants; and

(d) in relation to technical assistance activities proposed in the application, provides technical assistance related to the development and operation of programs and the capacity of

organizations to undertake and manage assistance for eligible persons.

(D) *Extent of leveraged public and private resources for the project (10 points).* HUD will award up to 10 points based on the extent to which resources from other public or private sources have been committed to support the project at the time of application.

(E) *Special projects of national significance (20 points).* Applications for special projects of national significance will be rated on innovative nature of the proposal and its potential for replication. HUD will award up to 20 points based on the extent to which the project involves a new program for, or alternative method of, meeting the needs of eligible persons, when compared to other applications and projects funded in the past. The Department will consider the extent to which the project design, management plan, proposed effects, local planning and coordination of housing programs, the likelihood of the continuation of the State and local efforts, and proposed activities are exemplary and appropriate as a model for replication in similar localities or nationally, when compared to other applications and projects funded in the past.

(F) *Projects which are part of long-term comprehensive strategies for providing housing and related services for eligible persons (20 points).* Applications for projects for this category of assistance will be rated on the extent of local planning and coordination of housing programs. HUD will award up to 20 points based on the extent to which the applicant demonstrates: (a) The proposed project is part of a community strategy involving local, metropolitan or State-wide planning and coordination of housing programs designed to meet the changing needs of low-income persons with HIV/AIDS and their families, including programs providing housing assistance and related services that are operated by Federal, State, local, private and other entities serving eligible persons; and (b) the likelihood of the continuation of the planning and coordination.

(d) Selection. Whether an application is conditionally selected will depend on its overall ranking compared to other applications. The Department will select applications to the extent that funds are available. HUD reserves the right to select lower rated applications if necessary to achieve geographic diversity and to ensure that a minimum number of applications under each category of assistance are among conditionally selected applications.

In the event of a tie between applications, the application with the highest total points for the criterion need will be selected, and if still tied, the highest total points for the criterion appropriateness of housing and services. In the event of a procedural error that, when corrected, would result in selection of an otherwise eligible application during the funding round under this NOFA, HUD may select that application when sufficient funds become available.

III. Application Submission Requirements

The application submission requirements are contained in the application package. This package includes all required forms and certifications, and may be obtained from a HUD Field Office listed in the appendix to this NOFA.

IV. Clarifications and Technical Assistance

(a) *Clarification of Application Information.* In accordance with the provisions of 24 CFR part 4, subpart B, HUD may contact an applicant to seek clarification of an item in the application, or to request additional or missing information, but the clarification or the request for additional or missing information shall not relate to items that would improve the substantive quality of the application pertinent to the funding decision.

(b) *Technical Assistance.* Prior to the application deadline, HUD field office staff will be available to provide advice and guidance to potential applicants on application requirements and program policies. Following conditional selection, HUD field office staff will be available to assist in clarifying or confirming information that is a prerequisite to the offer of a grant agreement by HUD. However, between the application deadline and the announcement of conditional selections, HUD will accept no information that would improve the substantive quality of the application pertinent to the funding decision.

V. Grant Award Process

HUD will notify conditionally selected applicants in writing. Such applicants will subsequently be notified of any modification made by HUD, the additional project information necessary for grant award and the date of the two-month deadline for submission of such information. If an applicant is unable to meet any conditions for grant award within the specified time period, HUD reserves the right not to award funds and to use the funds available in the

next competition for the applicable program.

VI. Other Matters

(a) *Environmental Impact.* A finding of no significant impact with respect to the environment has been made in accordance with HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 50, which implement section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. The finding of no significant impact is available for public inspection between 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. weekdays in the Office of the Rules Docket Clerk at the above address.

(b) *Federalism Impact.* The General Counsel, as the Designated Official under section 6(a) of Executive Order 12612, Federalism, has determined that the policies contained in this Notice will not have substantial direct effects on States or their political subdivisions, or the relationship between the Federal government and the States, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. As a result, the Notice is not subject to review under the Order. The Notice announces the availability of funds and invites applications from eligible applicants for the HOPWA program.

(c) *Impact on the Family.* The General Counsel, as the Designated Official for Executive Order 12606, the Family, has determined that this Notice, to the extent the funds provided under it are directed to families, has the potential for a beneficial impact on family formation, maintenance and general well-being. The statutory authority for the program requires that the funds be targeted to individuals with acquired immunodeficiency syndrome or related diseases and their families. Any funding provided to projects can be expected to enable those families with a participating member who has HIV infection to live in decent, safe, and sanitary housing in connection with the supportive services necessary to live independently in mainstream American society. Since the impact on families is a beneficial one, no further review is necessary.

(d) *Accountability in the Provision of HUD Assistance.* HUD's regulation implementing section 102 of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, found at 24 CFR part 12, contains a number of provisions designed to ensure greater accountability and integrity in the provision of certain types of assistance administered by HUD. Additional information on the implementation of section 102 was published on January 16, 1992 at 57 FR 1942. The documentation, public access, and

disclosure requirements of section 102 apply to assistance awarded under this NOFA as follows:

HUD will ensure documentation and other information regarding each application submitted pursuant to this NOFA are sufficient to indicate the basis upon which assistance was provided or denied. This material, including any letters of support, will be made available for public inspection for a five-year period beginning not less than 30 days after the award of the assistance. Material will be made available in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and HUD's implementing regulations at 24 CFR part 15. In addition, HUD will publish notice of awards made in response to this NOFA in the **Federal Register**.

HUD will make available to the public for five years all applicant disclosure reports (HUD Form 2880) submitted in connection with this NOFA. Update reports (also Form 2880) will be made available along with the applicant disclosure reports, but in no case for a period less than three years. All reports—both applicant disclosures and updates—will be made available in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and HUD's implementing regulations at 24 CFR part 15. (See subpart C, and the notice published in the **Federal Register** on January 16, 1992 (57 FR 1942), for further information on these disclosure requirements.)

(e) *Prohibition on Advance Release of Funding Information.* HUD's regulation implementing section 103 of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, found at 24 CFR part 4, applies to the funding competition announced today. The requirements of that rule continue to apply until the announcement of the selection of successful applicants.

HUD employees involved in the review of applications and in the making of funding decisions are limited by part 4 from providing advance information to any person (other than an authorized employee of HUD) concerning funding decisions, or from otherwise giving any applicant an unfair competitive advantage. Persons who apply for assistance in this competition should confine their inquiries to the subject areas permitted under 24 CFR part 4.

Applicants who have questions should contact the HUD Office of Ethics (202) 708-3815. (This is not a toll-free number.) The Office of Ethics can provide information of a general nature to HUD employees, as well. However, a HUD employee who has specific

program questions, such as whether particular subject matter can be discussed with persons outside the Department, should contact his or her Regional or Field Office Counsel, or Headquarters counsel for the program to which the question pertains.

(f) *Prohibition Against Lobbying Activities.* The use of funds awarded under this NOFA is subject to the disclosure requirements and prohibitions of section 319 of the Department of Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 1990 (31 U.S.C. 1352) (The "Byrd Amendment") and the implementing regulations at 24 CFR part 87. These authorities prohibit recipients of federal contracts, grants, or loans from using appropriated funds for lobbying the Executive or Legislative branches of the federal government in connection with a specific contract, grant, or loan. The prohibition also covers the awarding of contracts, grants, cooperative agreements, or loans unless the recipient has made an acceptable certification regarding lobbying. Under 24 CFR part 87, applicants, recipients, and subrecipients of assistance exceeding \$100,000 must certify that no federal funds have been or will be spent on lobbying activities in connection with the assistance. A standard disclosure form, SF-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", must be used to disclose lobbying with other than Federally appropriated funds at the time of application.

(g) *Section 112 HUD Reform Act.* Section 112 of the HUD Reform Act amended the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act by adding section 13, which contains two provisions dealing with efforts to influence HUD's decisions with respect to financial assistance. The first imposes disclosure requirements on those who are typically involved in these efforts—those who pay others to influence the award of assistance or the taking of a management action by the Department and those who are paid to provide the influence. The second restricts the payment of fees to those who are paid to influence the award of HUD assistance, if the fees are tied to the number of housing units received or are based on the amount of assistance received, or if they are contingent upon the receipt of assistance.

Section 13 was implemented by final rule codified at 24 CFR part 86. If readers are involved in any efforts to influence the Department in these ways, they are urged to read that rule, particularly the examples contained in Appendix A of the rule.

Any questions about the rule should be directed to the Director, Office of Ethics, room 2158, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20410-3000. Telephone: (202) 708-3815 (TDD/VOICE); (This is not a toll-free number.) Forms necessary for compliance with the rule may be obtained from the local HUD office.

(h) *Drug-Free Workplace Certification.* In accordance with 24 CFR 24.630, an applicant must submit its Certification for a Drug-Free Workplace (Form HUD-50070).

(i) *Extenuating Circumstances.* HUD may consider for funding any application received at the HUD Headquarters address shown in the "Addresses" section of this NOFA by 6:00 p.m. Eastern time on the first business day after the deadline shown in the "Date" section if the applicant can show there were circumstances beyond its control that delayed delivery of the application, such as the failure of a delivery service to deliver the application on or before the date it specified.

Dated: February 7, 1995.

Andrew Cuomo,

Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

Appendix 1. List of HUD Field Offices (12-20-94)

Telephone numbers for Telecommunications Devices for the Deaf (TDD machines) are listed for CPD Directors in HUD Field Offices; all HUD numbers, including those noted *, may be reached via TDD by dialing the Federal Information Relay Service on 1-800-877-TDDY or (1-800-877-8339) or (202) 708-9300.

ALABAMA

John D. Harmon, Acting Director, Beacon Ridge Tower, 600 Beacon Pkwy. West, Suite 300, Birmingham, AL 35209-3144; (205) 672-1230; TDD (205) 290-7624.

ALASKA

Dean Zinck, Acting Director, 949 E. 36th Avenue, Suite 401, Anchorage, AK 99508-4399; (907) 271-4684; TDD (907) 271-4328.

ARIZONA

Lou Kislin, Acting Director, 400 N. 5th St., Suite 1600, Arizona Center, Phoenix AZ 85004; (602) 379-4754; TDD (602) 379-4461.

ARKANSAS

Billy M. Parsley, TCBY Tower, 425 West Capitol Ave., Suite 900, Little Rock, AR 72201-3488; (501) 324-6375; TDD (501) 324-5931.

CALIFORNIA

(Southern) Herbert L. Roberts, 1615 W. Olympic Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90015-3801; (213) 251-7235; TDD (213) 251-7038.

(Northern) Steve Sachs, 450 Golden Gate Ave., P.O. Box 36003, San Francisco, CA

94102-3448; (415) 556-5576; TDD (415) 556-8357.

COLORADO

Sharon Jewell, Acting Director, First Interstate Tower North, 633 17th St., Denver, CO 80202-3607; (303) 672-5414; TDD (303) 672-5248.

CONNECTICUT

Daniel Kolesar, 330 Main St., Hartford, CT 06106-1860; (203) 240-4508; TDD (203) 240-4522.

DELAWARE

John Kane, Liberty Sq. Bldg., 105 S. 7th St., Philadelphia, PA 19106-3392; (215) 597-2665; TDD (215) 597-5564.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (and MD and VA suburbs)

James H. McDaniel, 820 First St., NE, Washington, DC 20002; (202) 275-0994; TDD (202) 275-0772.

FLORIDA

James N. Nichol, 301 West Bay St., Suite 2200, Jacksonville, FL 32202-5121; (904) 232-3587; TDD (904) 791-1241.

GEORGIA

John Perry, Russell Fed. Bldg., Room 688, 75 Spring St., SW, Atlanta, GA 30303-3388; (404) 331-5139; TDD (404) 730-2654.

HAWAII (and Pacific)

Patti A. Nicholas, 7 Waterfront Plaza, Suite 500, 500 Ala Moana Blvd., Honolulu, HI 96813-4918; (808) 541-1327; TDD (808) 541-1356.

IDAHO

John G. Bonham, 520 SW 6th Ave., Portland, OR 97204-1596 (503) 326-7018; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.

ILLINOIS

Jim Barnes, 77 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60604-3507; (312) 353-1696; TDD (312) 353-7143.

INDIANA

Robert F. Poffenberger, 151 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis, IN 46204-2526; (317) 226-5169; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.

IOWA

Gregory A. Bevirt, Executive Tower Centre, 10909 Mill Valley Road, Omaha, NE 68154-3955; (402) 492-3144; TDD (402) 492-3183.

KANSAS

William Rotert, Gateway Towers 2, 400 State Ave., Kansas City, KS 66101-2406; (913) 551-5485; TDD (913) 551-6972.

KENTUCKY

Ben Cook, P.O. Box 1044, 601 W. Broadway, Louisville, KY 40201-1044; (502) 582-5394; TDD (502) 582-5139.

LOUISIANA

Greg Hamilton, P.O. Box 70288, 1661 Canal St., New Orleans, LA 70112-2887; (504) 589-7212; TDD (504) 589-7237.

MAINE

David Lafond, Norris Cotton Fed. Bldg., 275 Chestnut St., Manchester, NH 03101-2487; (603) 666-7640; TDD (603) 666-7518.

MARYLAND

Harold Young, 10 South Howard Street, 5th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202-0000; (410) 962-2520x3026; TDD (410) 962-0106.

MASSACHUSETTS

Frank Del Vecchio, Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr., Fed. Bldg., 10 Causeway St., Boston, MA

- 02222-1092; (617) 565-5343; TDD (617) 565-5453.
- MICHIGAN**
Richard Paul, Patrick McNamara Bldg., 477 Michigan Ave., Detroit, MI 48226-2592; (313) 226-7186; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.
- MINNESOTA**
Shawn Huckleby, 220 2nd St. South, Minneapolis, MN 55401-2195; (612) 370-3019; TDD (612) 370-3186.
- MISSISSIPPI**
Jeanie E. Smith, Dr. A. H. McCoy Fed. Bldg., 100 W. Capitol St., Room 910, Jackson, MS 39269-1096; (601) 965-4765; TDD (601) 965-4171.
- MISSOURI**
(Eastern) David H. Long, 1222 Spruce St., St. Louis, MO 63103-2836; (314) 539-6524; TDD (314) 539-6331.
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(Las Vegas, Clark Cnty) Lou Kislin, Acting Director, 400 N. 5th St., Suite 1600, 2 Arizona Center, Phoenix, AZ 85004; (602) 379-4754; TDD (602) 379-4461.
(Remainder of State) Steve Sachs, 450 Golden Gate Ave., P.O. Box 36003, San Francisco, CA 94102-3448; (415) 556-5576; TDD (415) 556-8357.
- NEW HAMPSHIRE**
David Lafond, Norris Cotton Fed. Bldg., 275 Chestnut St., Manchester, NH 03101-2487; (603) 666-7640; TDD (603) 666-7518.
- NEW JERSEY**
Frank Sagarese, 1 Newark Center, Newark, NJ 07102; (201) 622-7900 x3300; TDD (201) 645-3298.
- NEW MEXICO**
Katie Worsham, 1600 Throckmorton, P.O. Box 2905, Fort Worth, TX 76113-2905; (817) 885-5483; TDD (817) 885-5447.
- NEW YORK**
(Upstate) Michael F. Merrill, Lafayette Ct., 465 Main St., Buffalo, NY 14203-1780; (716) 846-5768; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.
(Downstate) Jack Johnson, Acting Director, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, NY 10278-0068; (212) 264-2885; TDD (212) 264-0927.
- NORTH CAROLINA**
Charles T. Ferebee, Koger Building, 2306 West Meadowview Road, Greensboro, NC 27407; (910) 547-4006; TDD (910) 547-4055.
- NORTH DAKOTA**
Sharon Jewell, Acting Director, First Interstate Tower North, 633 17th St., Denver, CO 80202-3607; (303) 672-5414; TDD (303) 672-5248.
- OHIO**
John E. Riordan, 200 North High St., Columbus, OH 43215-2499; (614) 469-6743; TDD (614) 469-6694.
- OKLAHOMA**
Ted Allen, Acting Director, Murrah Fed. Bldg., 200 NW 5th St., Oklahoma City, OK 73102-3202; (405) 231-4973; TDD (405) 231-4181.
- OREGON**
John G. Bonham, 520 SW 6th Ave., Portland, OR 97204-1596 (503) 326-7018; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.
- PENNSYLVANIA**
(Western) Bruce Crawford, Old Post Office and Courthouse Bldg., 700 Grant St., Pittsburgh, PA 15219-1906; (412) 644-5493; TDD (412) 644-5747.
(Eastern) John Kane, Acting Director, Liberty Sq. Bldg., 105 S. 7th St., Philadelphia, PA 19106-3392; (215) 597-2665; TDD (215) 597-5564.
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Carmen R. Cabrera, 159 Carlos Chardon Ave., San Juan, PR 00918-1804; (809) 766-5576; TDD (809) 766-5909.
- RHODE ISLAND**
Frank Del Vecchio, Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr., Fed. Bldg., 10 Causeway St., Boston, MA 02222-1092; (617) 565-5343; TDD (617) 565-5453.
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Louis E. Bradley, Fed. Bldg., 1835-45 Assembly St., Columbia, SC 29201-2480; (803) 765-5564; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.
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Virginia Peck, 710 Locust St., Knoxville, TN 37902-2526; (615) 545-4393; TDD (615) 545-4559.
- TEXAS**
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(Southern) John T. Maldonado, Washington Sq., 800 Dolorosa, San Antonio, TX 78207-4563; (210) 229-6820; TDD (210) 229-6885.
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- VIRGINIA**
Joseph Aversano, 3600 W. Broad St., P.O. Box 90331, Richmond, VA 23230-0331; (804) 278-4503; TDD (804) 278-4501.
- WASHINGTON**
John Peters, Federal Office Bldg., 909 First Ave., Suite 200, Seattle, WA 98104-1000; (206) 220-5150; TDD (206) 220-5185.
- WEST VIRGINIA**
Bruce Crawford, Old Post Office & Courthouse Bldg., 700 Grant St., Pittsburgh, PA 15219-1906; (412) 644-5493; TDD (412) 644-5747.
- WISCONSIN**
Lana J. Vacha, Henry Reuss Fed. Plaza, 310 W. Wisconsin Ave., Ste. 1380, Milwaukee, WI 53203-2289; (414) 297-3113; TDD * via 1-800-877-8339.
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