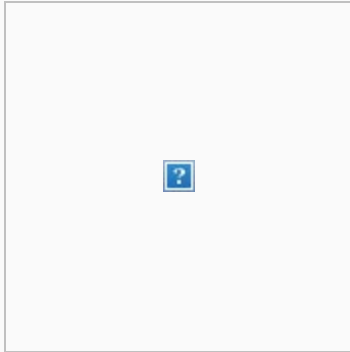


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FY2022-2023 ESG Application Process

As the first step in the 2022-2023 fiscal year ESG (Emergency Solutions Grant) application process, MSHDA will release the Exhibit 1 on Friday, May 6. This is a change in process from previous application rounds and is intentional as part of the strategic planning for each Continuum of Care leading up to the ESG funding application. Also new this year, local planning bodies of the Balance of State CoC will not be required to complete individual Exhibit 1 forms - only one Exhibit 1 form will be required from the Balance of State CoC.

The Exhibit 1 focuses on the approach to local funding practices, coordination of cross-sector resources, and strategic review of relevant CoC (Continuum of Care) goals and performance. While the Exhibit 1 is part of the MSHDA ESG application, it also serves to draw out the intersection of ESG with HUD CoC Program funds and other

critical resources at the local level.

Below is the timetable for the MSHDA ESG application process. Please note that any referenced webinars will be recorded and posted to the [MSHDA ESG website](#), as well as all documents named below.

Exhibit 1

Friday, May 6 - Exhibit 1 Released

Tuesday, May 10 - Exhibit 1 Webinar [REGISTER HERE](#)

Friday, June 17 - Exhibit 1 Due

NOFA (Notice of Funding Availability), Application, and Local Application Guidance

Friday, June 10 - NOFA, Application, and Local Application Guidance Released*

Tuesday, June 14 - NOFA & Application Webinar [REGISTER HERE](#)

Friday, August 12 - Application Due

**Microsoft Word version of application will be available, with additional updates once the application is released in MATT 2.0*

Please contact [Homeless Solutions](#) or your assigned Homeless Assistance Specialist with any questions or comments.

[Jen Leaf](#) - Regions 1, 2, & 3

[Nicole Beagle](#) - Regions 4 & 9

[Stephanie Oles](#) - Regions 5, 7, & 8

[Michelle Edwards](#) - Regions 6 & 10

ESG and ESG-CV:
Expenditure Deadline Updates

On April 28, MSHDA sent a notice regarding ESG and ESG-CV expenditure deadlines and priorities. The notice can be reviewed in full [here](#) and highlights are provided below.

- **Priority 1: Fiscal Year (FY) 2020-2021 ESG Funds must be fully expended by April 30, 2022**
 - Final FSRs (Financial Status Reports) must be submitted by Monday, May 16, 2022.

- **Priority 2: ESG-CV Funds must be expended by the following deadlines:**
 - **50% expenditure of ESG-CV funds by March 31, 2022**
 - CoCs/LPBs that fail to meet 50% expenditure will be reviewed for recapture.
 - Recaptured funds will be reallocated to other CoCs/LPBs based on expenditure rates and expressed need.
 - **75% expenditure of ESG-CV by July 31, 2022**
 - **100% expenditure of ESG-CV by December 31, 2022**
 - All subgrantees are encouraged to fully expend in advance of this deadline due to impact on FY21-22 ESG expenditure.
 - MSHDA will complete grant amendments to extend all ESG-CV grants through 12/31/2022.

- **Priority 3: Fiscal Year (FY) 2021-2022 ESG Funds can be expended only for subgrantees or services not awarded within the ESG-CV grant. Subgrantees awarded both FY21-22 ESG funds and ESG-CV funds must focus on completing ESG-CV expenditure first.**

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MSHDA ESG Policy Webinar: Session 3

Over the past two years, MSHDA has thoroughly reviewed its existing Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) policy in order to update language and direction to ensure alignment with HUD requirements and best practices. [This policy](#) is available for review and application, and is posted to the [MSHDA ESG website](#).

MSHDA will host a series of webinars to support ESG-funded agencies in their implementation of policy guidance and to field feedback and questions on the policy. The third webinar in the series will focus on Sections VII of the policy document (Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing). All webinars will be recorded and materials made available following each session. (The recording and materials for Sessions 1 and 2 are available on the [MSHDA ESG website](#).)

MSHDA ESG Policy Webinar Series:

Session 3 - Section VII

Tuesday, May 24 at 3:30pm

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ESG Billing & Reporting Procedures: Update

Based on changes in availability of the HMIS 700.1b report

(length of time homeless), MSHDA updated the ESG Billing and Reporting Procedures to reinstate this requirement for Financial Status Reports (FSRs). The updated procedures are available for review and can be found on the MSHDA ESG website.

Please contact Homeless Solutions or your assigned Homeless Assistance Specialist with any questions or comments.



Got a Question?

We want to hear from you! Send us an email with questions you have about Homeless Solutions and we'll follow up. If we receive a lot emails with the same question, we'll share the question and response in the next newsletter.

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