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## Division of Community Assistance

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BULLETIN:

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SUBJECT:

Clarification of Recapture Provisions

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ATTENTION:

All CDBG Recipients

Recent CDBG program monitoring has indicated problems with rehabilitation loan recapture provisions. The purpose of this bulletin is to clarify repayment provisions and conditions for rehabilitation and owner-occupied relocation loans when a house is sold, the recipient no longer occupies the home, or the recipient dies while the recapture provision is in effect.

Effective the issuance date of this bulletin, each recipient must ensure the following:

If the grant recipient no longer occupies the dwelling or dies, the heirs of the property are responsible for meeting the terms of the recapture period and loan agreement in effect when the dwelling was rehabilitated or owner occupied relocation benefits were provided.

- If the beirs rent the dwelling, the assisted unit must be rented to a low/moderate-income occupant in order
  for the property to remain in good standing with the requirements. However, if the assisted unit is rented to
  an occupant that is over income, then the loan agreement must be repaid according to the approved
  recapture period schedule.
- If the property is sold, the heirs must repay the loan agreement according to the approved recapture period schedule.

Please be reminded, grantees should develop review systems that ensure all terms and conditions associated with CDBG rehabilitation and owner occupied relocation loans are properly tracked and administered over the life of the agreement.

Please address any questions concerning this bulletin to your program representative.

Gloria/Nance-Sims, Director

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