

will not yield data that can be generalized to the overall population.

The U.S. Department of Transportation will only submit collections if they meet the following criteria.

- The collections are voluntary.
- The collections are low-burden for respondents (based on considerations of total burden hours, total number of respondents, or burden-hours per respondent) and are low-cost for both the respondents and the Federal Government.
- The collections are noncontroversial and do not raise issues of concern to other Federal agencies.
- Any collection is targeted to the solicitation of opinions from respondents who have experience with the program or may have experience with the program in the near future.
- Personally identifiable information (PII) is collected only to the extent necessary and is not retained.
- Information gathered is intended to be used only internally for general service improvement and program management purposes and is not intended for release outside of the Department (if released, the Department must indicate the qualitative nature of the information).

This type of generic clearance for qualitative information will not be used for quantitative information collections that are designed to yield reliably actionable results, such as monitoring trends over time or documenting program performance. Such data uses require more rigorous designs that address: The target population to which generalizations will be made, the sampling frame, the sample design (including stratification and clustering), the precision requirements or power calculations that justify the proposed sample size, the expected response rate, methods for assessing potential nonresponse bias, the protocols for data collection, and any testing procedures that were or will be undertaken prior to fielding the study. Depending on the degree of influence the results are likely to have, such collections may still be eligible for submission for other generic mechanisms that are designed to yield quantitative results.

*Type of Review:* Renewal without revision of a previously approved Information Collection Request.

*Affected Public:* Individuals and Households, Businesses and Organizations, State, Local or Tribal Government.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 240,000.

*Estimated Annual Responses:* 80,000.

*Estimated Annual Burden Hours:* 60,000 hours.

*Frequency:* One-time requirement.

*Request for Comments:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; to develop, acquire, install and utilize technology and systems for the purpose of collecting, validating and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; to train personnel and to be able to respond to a collection of information, to search data sources, to complete and review the collection of information; and to transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

All written comments will be available for public inspection *Regulations.gov*.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget control number.

**Daniel Morgan,**

*Assistant Chief Information Officer for Data Services/Chief Data Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Community Development Financial Institutions Fund

#### Amendment of Notice of Funds Availability for Native American CDFI Assistance Program; Revised Application Submission Deadline

**AGENCY:** Community Development Financial Institutions Fund, Department of the Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice, amendment, revised submission deadline.

**SUMMARY:** The Community Development Financial Institutions Fund (CDFI Fund) is amending its Notice of Funds Availability (NOFA) inviting Applications for Financial Assistance (FA) or Technical Assistance (TA) awards for the Native American CDFI Assistance Program, which was published in the **Federal Register** on January 17, 2025. These amendments promote consistency with recent court decisions regarding race-based preferences and reflect the current Administration's priorities, as reflected in the President's executive orders. Applicants that submitted an Application under the NOFA do not need to withdraw or reapply. The amendments in this notice do not affect steps 1 through 3 of the CDFI Fund's scoring/evaluations process. Applicants that submitted an Application under the NOFA and that advanced to step 4 in the scoring/evaluation process, as described in the NOFA, will be notified by the CDFI Fund and given an opportunity to update their Applications based on the amendments described in this notice.

**DATES:** Applicants that are notified by the CDFI Fund that they may update their previous Applications under the NOFA must submit such information by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on October 27, 2025.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Applicants should submit any questions to the CDFI Fund via an AMIS service request to the NACA Program. The CDFI Fund will post on its website responses to reoccurring questions received about this notice. Other information regarding the CDFI Fund may be obtained from the CDFI Fund's website at <https://www.cdfifund.gov>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### A. Overview

On January 17, 2025, the CDFI Fund published in the **Federal Register** (90 FR 6076) a Notice of Funds Availability (the NOFA) inviting Applicants (as defined in the NOFA) to apply for the

fiscal year 2025 funding round for the Native American CDFI Assistance Program (NACA Program). The CDFI Fund is amending the NOFA to promote consistency with recent court decisions regarding race-based preferences and to reflect certain priorities of the current Administration.

## B. Amendments

1. The first sentence of Section II.C.1 of the NOFA includes “Climate-Focused Financing” in the list of eligible activities for awards under the NOFA. The CDFI Fund is amending this list to remove the reference to “Climate-Focused Financing.”

2. The NOFA defines “Eligible Market” to include, among other things, individuals that are African American, Hispanic, Other Pacific Islander, Filipino, or Vietnamese. The CDFI Fund is removing these portions of the definition. As a result, the fifth sentence of Section II.C.1 of the NOFA, which provides the definition of “Eligible Market,” is amended to read as follows: “Eligible Market is defined as (i) a geographic area meeting the requirements set forth in 12 CFR 1805.201(b)(3)(ii), or (ii) individuals that are Low-Income, Native American, Native Hawaiian, Alaska Native, or Persons with Disabilities.”

1. The NOFA defines “Healthy Foods” for purposes of the Healthy Foods Financing Initiative—Financial Assistance program. The CDFI Fund is amending that definition to align it with the policies of the current Administration. Accordingly, in Section II.C.3 of the NOFA, the definition of “Healthy Foods” is amended to read as follows:

*Healthy Foods:* Healthy Foods include nutrient-dense foods and beverages consistent with Executive Order 14212, “Establishing the President’s Make America Healthy Again Commission,” and the USDA Dietary Guidelines for Americans 2020–2025, including fresh, frozen, or canned whole fruits and vegetables, whole grains, foods low in saturated fats, lean meats, and poultry. Healthy Foods should have low or no added sugars, artificial food dyes, chemical additives, or pesticides; have less sodium, reduced sodium, or no salt added; and not be ultra-processed. (See USDA Dietary Guidelines: <https://www.dietaryguidelines.gov>).

## C. Guidance to Applicants

Applicants that have already submitted an Application (as defined in the NOFA) under the NOFA do not need to withdraw or reapply. The CDFI Fund will provide Applicants under the NOFA that have advanced to step 4 in

the scoring/evaluation process the opportunity to update their Applications based on the amendments described in this notice. The CDFI Fund will provide those Applicants with instructions on how to update their Applications in a separate communication. Applicants that are notified by the CDFI Fund that they may update their Applications must submit such information by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on October 27, 2025. The CDFI Fund will review Applications in accordance with the NOFA, as amended by this notice. All terms of the NOFA remain as published on January 17, 2025, other than as set forth in this notice.

Dated: September 22, 2025.

**Dietrich Douglas,**

*Acting Director, Community Development Financial Institutions Fund.*

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#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### A. Overview

On January 17, 2025, the CDFI Fund published in the **Federal Register** (90 FR 6051) a Notice of Funds Availability (the NOFA) inviting Applicants (as defined in the NOFA) to apply for the fiscal year 2025 funding round for the Community Development Financial Institutions Program (CDFI Program). The CDFI Fund is amending the NOFA to promote consistency with recent court decisions regarding race-based preferences and to reflect certain priorities of the current Administration.

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