# Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) Addressing the Housing Affordability Crisis Research Grant Program FR-6900-N-29R

### Frequently Asked Questions Updated 6/25/2025

#### 1. Who is eligible to apply for this grant opportunity?

Eligible applicants are restricted to institutions that are designated at the time of application as one of the following entity types:

- Public and state controlled institutions of higher education
- Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Nonprofits without 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Private institutions of higher education
- For-profit organizations other than small businesses
- Small businesses
- Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs)
- Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs)
- Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs)
- Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions (ANNH)

Individuals are ineligible applicants.

#### 2. When are applications due?

Applications are due on Thursday, July 24, 2025 by 11:59 PM ET.

#### 3. How can I access a copy of the full Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) document?

Follow these steps to access the full text of the NOFO:

- Go to this <u>link</u> (alternatively, you can access <u>www.grants.gov</u>, click "search grants," and type "FR-6900-N-29R" into the "keyword(s)" text box, and click "search").
- Click on the "related documents" tab.
- Click on the hyperlink under "file name" that reads "FR-6900-N-29R-Full Announcement-Full Announcement.zip" and this will download the text of the full funding announcement as a PDF file.

# 4. How can I locate the "Competition ID" and the "Opportunity Package ID" for this funding opportunity?

The "Competition ID" and the "Opportunity Package ID" can be found on the grants.gov page associated with this funding opportunity. First, access the specific funding opportunity at this <u>link</u>. Once you have accessed this page, click the "package" tab. Then, scroll to the bottom of this page. Under the header "Opportunity Package(s) Currently Available for this Funding Opportunity," you

will find the competition ID (FR-6900-N-29R). Scroll across, you will find the Opportunity Package ID (PKG00291047) associated with this funding opportunity.

# 5. Are applicants required to have matching funds available in order to be eligible for this funding opportunity?

No. This Program does not require cost sharing or matching.

### 6. Is there a mechanism for further questions, should any more arise?

Questions may be sent to researchpartnerships@hud.gov.

We will also be posting all questions that have been submitted, as well as the associated responses, to a Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) list that you can find on <a href="www.huduser.gov">www.huduser.gov</a> and under the "related documents" of the funding opportunity at this <a href="link">link</a>.

Please check back regularly to monitor new information regarding this funding opportunity.