STATE OF ILLINOIS PUBLIC NOTICE Public Hearing on the Draft 2019 Consolidated Plan-Action Plan

To obtain public input from Illinois residents and to comply with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) rules, which require the State to develop a Consolidated Plan, the Illinois Housing Development Authority (IHDA), in coordination with the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO), the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS), and the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), announces the availability of the draft 2019 Action Plan. This draft document will be available to the public electronically by Tuesday, May 7, 2019, and will also be available on request in limited hard copies by mail.

This draft plan covers those areas of the state that are not otherwise under the jurisdiction of a local Consolidated Plan. It includes summaries of the projected funding for the following HUD formula grant programs: the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG); HOME Investment Partnerships; Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG); Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA); and the (National) Housing Trust Fund. An electronic version will be available on IHDA's website, <u>www.ihda.org</u>. Electronic copies will also be available through the State Library network, as well as other local libraries located throughout the state.

The State will be holding a three-way public hearing on Thursday, May 30, 2019, at 10:00 A.M. It will be held in Springfield at the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO), 500 East Monroe, 4th Floor; in Chicago at the James R. Thompson Center in the Illinois Conference Room, 100 West Randolph Street, and in Marion at the State of Illinois Building at 2309 West Main Street.

Persons are welcome to provide written comments prior to, at, or after the public hearing. Written comments are also welcomed for presentation at the public hearing, or mailed directly to IHDA, to ensure any comments receive a written response. All sites are fully accessible to persons with physical disabilities. Hearing-impaired and sight-impaired individuals in need of services such as an interpreter, or documents in large-print/Braille, are asked to make requests directly to IHDA at the telephone numbers below at least three (3) days before the public hearing. IHDA will make reasonable efforts to accommodate such requests. To obtain additional information concerning the public hearing, please call (312) 836-5262 or TDD/TTY (312) 836-5222. The State's public comments period begins on Tuesday, May 7, 2019, and ends on Wednesday, June 5, 2019.

All written public comments must be <u>received</u> at IHDA by close of business on the latter date. For further information, contact:

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