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In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records or information contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

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Paper records in file folders and on electronic storage media.

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Retrieved by individual's name, subject matter, date of document, and request number.

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Records are stored in locked security containers accessible only to authorized personnel.

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FOIA and Privacy Act paper records that are granted in full are destroyed 2 years after the date of reply. Paper records that are denied in whole or part, no records responses, responses to requesters who do not adequately describe records being sought, do not state a willingness to pay fees, and records which are appealed or litigated, are destroyed 6 years after final FOIA action and 5 years after final Privacy Act action, or three years after final adjudication by courts, whichever is later. Electronic records are deleted within 180 or when no longer needed to support office business needs.

SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

Chief, Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Office, Administrative Services Division, Office of the Inspector General, DoD, 400 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-4704.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves

is contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Chief, Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Office, Administrative Services Division, Office of the Inspector General, DoD, 400 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-4704.

Please include full information regarding the previous request such as date, subject matter, and if available, copies of the previous OIG reply.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Individuals seeking access to information about themselves contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Chief, Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Office, Administrative Services Division, Office of the Inspector General, DoD, 400 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-4704.

Please include full information regarding the previous request such as date, subject matter, and if available, copies of the previous OIG reply.

CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

The OIG's rules for accessing records and for contesting contents and appealing initial agency determinations are published in 32 CFR part 312 or may be obtained from the system manager.

RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

From the individuals on whom records are maintained and official records.

EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:

During the course of a FOIA and Privacy Act action, exempt materials from other systems of records may in turn become part of the case records in this system. To the extent that copies of exempt records from those "other" systems of records are entered into this FOIA or Privacy Act case record, Office of the Inspector General hereby claims the same exemptions for the records from those "other" systems that are entered into this system, as claimed for the original primary systems of records which they are a part.

An exemption rule for this system has been promulgated in accordance with requirements of 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(1), (2), and (3), (c) and (e) and published in 32 CFR part 312. For additional information contact the system manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Notice of Program Comment for Capehart and Wherry Era Army Family Housing and Associated Structures and Landscape Features (1949-1962), from the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

AGENCY: Department of the Army, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of comment.

SUMMARY: This provides notice of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation's Program Comment to the Department of the Army for Capehart and Wherry Era Army Family Housing and Associated Structures and Landscape Features (1949-1962), in accordance with 36 CFR 800.14(e)(5)(i), "Protection of Historic Properties; Final Rule."

ADDRESSES: To obtain copies of the Program Comment, contact the U.S. Army Environmental Center, ATTN: SFIM-AEC-PA (Mr. Robert DiMichele), Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21010-5401.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Lee Foster, 703-693-0675.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On May 31, 2002, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation approved and issued to the Department of the Army, Program Comment for Capehart and Wherry Era Army Family Housing and Associated Structures and Landscape Features (1949-1962). The Program Comment pertains to all Army family housing constructed between 1949 and 1962 (i.e., the Capehart and Wherry Era), and includes treatment measures for the following undertakings for Capehart and Wherry Era housing, associated structures, and landscape features: maintenance and repair; rehabilitation; layaway and mothballing; renovation, demolition; demolition and replacement; and transfer, sale or lease out of Federal control. The Department of the Army has taken into account the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation's Program Comment for Capehart and Wherry Era (1949-1962) Army Family Housing, Associated Structures, and Landscape Features, and accepts and adopts that Program Comment. The Department of the Army ensures that the effects of these undertakings on this category of historic property is taken into account by execution of the steps identified as treatment measures in the Program Comment, Section II.b. Treatment measures include an expanded Historic Context of Capehart and Wherry Era Army Family Housing, Neighborhood

Design Guidelines, and Video Documentation. The full text of the Program Comment can be found in the Council's Notice of Approval, published in the **Federal Register** on June 7, 2002, Vol. 167, No. 110, pp. 39332–39335.

Dated: March 25, 2002.

Raymond J. Fatz,

Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health), OASA (I&E).

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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Office of Innovation and Improvement; Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2003

Purpose of Program: This program will provide grants to eligible entities to permit them to enhance the credit of charter schools so that they can access private-sector and other non-Federal capital to acquire, construct, and renovate facilities at a reasonable cost. Grant projects awarded under this program will be of sufficient size, scope, and quality to enable the grantees to implement effective strategies.

Eligible Applicants: (A) A public entity, such as a State or local governmental entity; (B) A private, nonprofit entity; or (C) A consortium of entities described in (A) and (B).

Applications Available: April 3, 2003.

Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 3, 2003.

Deadline for Intergovernmental Review: August 2, 2003.

Estimated Available Funds: \$25,000,000.

Estimated Range of Awards: \$2.5 million–\$10 million.

Estimated Average Size of Awards: \$8.3 million.

Estimated Number of Awards: 3–5.

The Secretary will make, if possible, at least one award in each of the three categories of eligible applicants.

Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

Project Period: From the start date indicated on the grant award document until the Federal funds and earnings on those funds have been expended for the grant purposes or until financing facilitated by the grant has been retired, whichever is later.

Page Limit: We have found that reviewers are able to conduct the highest-quality review when

applications are concise and easy to read. Applicants are encouraged to limit their applications to no more than 50 double-spaced pages (not including the required forms and tables), to use a 12-point or larger-size font with one-inch margins at the top, bottom, and both sides, and to number pages consecutively. Furthermore, applicants are strongly encouraged to include a table of contents that specifies where each required part of the application is located.

Applicable Regulations: (a) The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) in 34 CFR parts 74, 75, 77, 79, 80, 82, 85, 86, 97, 98, and 99.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Application Content

Each Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program application must include the following specific program elements:

1. A statement identifying the activities proposed to be undertaken with grant funds (the “grant project”) and the timeline for the activities, including how the applicant will determine which charter schools will receive assistance, how much and what types of assistance these schools will receive, the type of schools to be served, and what procedures the applicant will use for documenting grant project procedures and results.

2. A description of the involvement of charter schools in the application’s development and design of the proposed grant project.

3. A description of the applicant’s expertise in capital markets financing and its organizational capacity to implement the proposed grant project successfully. (Consortium applicants must list information for each of the participating organizations.)

4. A description of how the proposed grant project will leverage the maximum amount of private-sector and other non-Federal capital relative to the amount of Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program funding used, the definition of “leverage” the applicant has used in developing that description, the type of assistance to be provided, how the assistance would sufficiently reduce the costs that charter schools face so that it would enable them to obtain or improve school facilities that they would not be able to obtain or improve absent the assistance, and how the proposed activities will otherwise enhance credit available to charter schools.

5. In the case of an application submitted by a State governmental entity, a description of current and

planned State funding policy and other forms of financial assistance that will help charter schools meet their facility needs.

Use of Funds

Grant recipients, in accordance with State and local law, directly or indirectly, alone or in collaboration with others, must deposit the grant funds received under this program (other than funds used for administrative costs) in a reserve account established and maintained by the grantee for this purpose. Amounts deposited in such account shall be used by the grantee for one or more of the following purposes in order to assist charter schools in accessing private-sector and other non-Federal capital:

(1) Guaranteeing, insuring, and reinsuring bonds, notes, evidences of debt, loans, and interests therein.

(2) Guaranteeing and insuring leases of personal and real property.

(3) Facilitating financing by identifying potential lending sources, encouraging private lending, and other similar activities that directly promote lending to, or for the benefit of, charter schools.

(4) Facilitating the issuance of bonds by charter schools, or by other public entities for the benefit of charter schools, by providing technical, administrative, and other appropriate assistance (such as the recruitment of bond counsel, underwriters, and potential investors and the consolidation of multiple charter school projects within a single bond issue).

Funds received under this program and deposited in the reserve account must be invested in obligations issued or guaranteed by the United States or a State, or in other similarly low-risk securities. Investments must be designed to preserve principal.

Any earnings on funds, including fees, received under this program must be deposited in the reserve account and be used in accordance with the requirements of this program.

An eligible entity receiving a grant under this program must use the funds deposited in the reserve account to assist multiple charter schools in accessing capital to accomplish one or both of the following objectives:

(1) The acquisition (by purchase, lease, donation, or otherwise) of an interest (including an interest held by a third party for the benefit of a charter school) in improved or unimproved real property that is necessary to commence or continue the operation of a charter school.

(2) The construction of new facilities, or the renovation, repair, or alteration of