5-day Public Review Period: September 8 – September 14, 2020

THE ALAMEDA COUNTY HOME CONSORTIUM INVITES PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING THE ALAMEDA COUNTY HOME CONSORTIUM SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT FY19 ACTION PLAN

Jurisdictions which are eligible to receive federal funding from housing and community development programs administered by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) are required to prepare a Consolidated Plan and annual Action Plans which outlines needs, strategies, priorities, and programs for the expenditure of federal funds for housing and community development activities. The Action Plan also combines the applications and reporting requirements for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), and Housing Opportunities for People with AIDS (HOPWA) formula programs.

In May 2020, HUD released Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Funds Round 2 to Alameda County Housing and Community Development (HCD) Department. HCD will receive $5,146,924 in ESG Round 2 funds. Additionally, HUD has waived a number of program requirements including the 30-day public comment period to a five-day period.

For the purpose of this notice is for Alameda County HCD to do a substantial amendment to its FY19 Action Plan. The amendment will add in the CARES Act funds for ESG Round 2 to the FY19 Plan.

The Draft FY19 Action Plan will be available for inspection on HCD’s Website: https://www.acgov.org/cda/hcd/ beginning September 8, 2020 on the HCD website. The public review period will end on September 14, 2020. A public hearing will be held to receive comments on the Substantial Amendment to the FY19 Action Plan on Tuesday, September 8, 2020, 6:00 p.m. The Hearing will be held via a Zoom meeting at the following link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_usrkJUCQTbS9G2Gi-gShmA

Electronic comments can be sent to Kelly.thiemann@acgov.org. For more information, call Kelly Thiemann at (510) 670-5280.