## NOTICE OF VIRTUAL PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMUNITY INPUT PERIOD

## The State of Connecticut Department of Housing Is seeking public input on the Draft State of Connecticut Recovery Housing Program (RHP) Action Plan for

Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Federal Fiscal Year 2021

A fifteen (15) day community input period will begin on Thursday, July 15, 2021 and end on Friday, July 30, 2021. The Department of Housing is seeking community input on the Draft State of Connecticut Recovery Housing Program (RHP) Action Plan – Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Federal Fiscal Year 2021. This plan will be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in order to be eligible to receive funding under the pilot Recovery Housing Program (RHP) authorized by the SUPPORT for Patients and Communities Act (SUPPORT Act), which was passed in 2018. The intent of the pilot Recovery Housing Program (RHP) is to support individuals in recovery from substance use disorders (SUD) on a path to self-sufficiency by providing stable, temporary housing.

The Department of Housing will conduct a VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING on Thursday, July 29, 2021 beginning at 10:00 AM and ending when all attendees have had an opportunity to provide input and comment. Housing authorities, municipalities, non-profits, advocates and the general public are invited to attend this public meeting and provide input/comment on the <a href="Draft State of Connecticut Recovery Housing Program (RHP) Action Plan – Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Federal Fiscal Year 2021</a>. If you or your organization is interested in participating in the VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING, please send an e-mail to <a href="CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov">CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov</a> with "Virtual Public Meeting – State of Connecticut Recovery Housing Program (RHP) Action Plan – Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Federal Fiscal Year 2021" in the "Subject" line. An E-mail link will be sent to all registered participants using the Microsoft TEAMS application.

DOH will also accept electronic input/comment on the administration of these funds through 5:00 pm on Friday, July 30, 2021 at <a href="mailto:CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov">CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov</a>. All input and comments received will be taken into consideration. For a copy of the Recovery Housing Program Action Plan, please refer to the Department of Housing's website, <a href="http://www.ct.gov/doh">http://www.ct.gov/doh</a> under Notices and Publications, or you may request a copy via email at the above address.

Department of Housing programs are administered in a nondiscriminatory manner, consistent with equal employment opportunities, affirmative action, and fair housing requirements. Questions, concerns, complaints or requests for information in alternative formats must be directed to the Department of Administrative Services - Small Agency Resource Team 860-270-8022.