

PUBLIC NOTICE

2026 Housing Navigation Center Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA)

Solicitation ID: NOFA-2026-0001

The City of Houston (City), through its Housing and Community Development Department (HCD), is seeking applications from qualified nonprofit organizations and local government entities to lease and operate the Housing Navigation Center for a period of 3 years. The project will be supported by approximately \$10,500,000.00 for a 36-month period in funding from Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)-Disaster Recovery 2024 and additional sources, which may include other federal, state, and local funding. The facility is designed to provide temporary semi-private accommodations and services that bridge the gap between outreach and placement in housing or other appropriate housing facilities serving unhoused individuals. The primary outcome for all participants is a successful transition to housing and long-term stabilization through sustainable life skills.

A copy of the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) is available for download at <https://houstontx.gov/housing/funding.html#nofa>. It is the responsibility of each applicant to electronically generate and examine the entire NOFA, seek clarification in writing, and review their submittal for accuracy before submitting their application. Questions must be submitted to the HCD NOFA Staff via email at [HCD\\_NOFA@houstontx.gov](mailto:HCD_NOFA@houstontx.gov). All questions submitted in writing prior to the pre-application questions deadline will be answered by letter of clarification and posted on the website noted above. HCD will not be bound by any information conveyed verbally.

HCD will hold a pre-application conference on **Thursday, April 23, 2026, at 11:30 am**. The conference will be conducted virtually through Microsoft Teams, <http://bit.ly/2026-NAV-NOFA>.

Applications will be accepted until Friday, May 8, 2026, at 5 pm at the link located at <https://houstontx.gov/housing/funding.html#nofa>. For additional information, please contact the HCD NOFA staff, Linsi Broom, at 832-393-0506 or via e-mail at [HCD\\_NOFA@houstontx.gov](mailto:HCD_NOFA@houstontx.gov).