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Low-income Homeownership Grants

Agency: Wells Fargo Housing Foundation (WFHF) **Deadline:** November 3, 2003
Amount: \$5,000-\$25,000 **Activities:** Supports project and one-time program expenses for low-income homeownership initiatives **Visit:** http://www.wellsfargo.com/about/wfhf_oview.jhtml

Housing for Chronically Homeless Grants

Agency: Office of Asst. Sec, HUD **Deadline:** November 25, 2003 **Amount:** \$6.5 million
Activities: Supports permanent affordable housing for the chronically homeless **Contact:** Cliff Taffet (202) 708-3226 ext 4589 **Visit:** www.hud.gov

Hope VI Revitalization Grants

Agency: Office of Public and Indian Housing, HUD **Deadline:** Various **Amount:** \$574 million **Activities:** Supports efforts to revitalize severely distressed public housing projects through the demolition, rehabilitation, reconfiguration, or replacement of obsolete public housing projects, and build neighborhood networks. **Visit:** <http://www.hud.gov/hopevi>

Technology Center Grants

Agency: Microsoft Corporation **Program:** Unlimited Potential **Deadline:** Rolling
Amount: \$1billion (total) **Activities:** Supports community-based technology and learning

centers **Visit:**

<http://www.microsoft.com/mscorp/citizenship/giving/apply/guidelines.asp>

Brownfields Grants

Agency: Environmental Protection Agency
Deadline: December 4, 2003 (all) **Program:** Brownfields Assessment Grants **Amount:** \$200,000 (2 yrs.) **Activities:** Supports inventory, assessment, planning and community involvement for site; **Program:** Revolving Loan Fund Grants **Amount:** \$1,000,000 (5yrs.) **Activities:** Supports capitalization of revolving loan fund, and sub-grants for clean-up activities for sub-grantees' sites; **Program:** Clean-up Grants **Amount:** \$200,000 (2yrs) **Activities:** Supports cleanup activities at grantees' sites
Visit: www.epa.gov/brownfields

Community College Service Learning Grants

Agency: American Association of Community Colleges, Horizon Program **Deadline:** November 3, 2003 **Amount:** \$12,000 (*Program management*) & \$5000 (*TA*)
Activities: Supports management, implementation and technical assistance for service learning programs at Community Colleges, historically Black, Hispanic and Tribal colleges **Visit:** <http://www.aacc.nche.edu/Template.cfm?Section=NewsandEvents&template=/ContentManage>

[ment/ContentDisplay.cfm&ContentID=11248&InterestCategoryID=272](http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/affordablehousing/programs/home/snapshot/index.cfm)

Microentrepreneurs with Disabilities Grants

Agency: Abilities Fund, Trickle Up Program
Amount: \$700 (training & TA), \$500 (broadband internet) **Activities:** Supports training, technical assistance and free broadband access for low-income entrepreneurs with disabilities in CA, NM, AZ, IL, MI, TN, MA & PA **Contact:** Mark Nolte marknolte@abilitiesfund.org or 319-338-2521
Visit: www.abilitiesfund.org

People and Nature Award

Agency: Biodiversity Project **Deadline:** October 15, 2003 **Amount:** \$100 **Activities:** Recognizes and promotes nationally, projects that have adopted unique and effective activities that result in positive outcomes for biodiversity
Visit: <http://www.biodiversityproject.org/greatcommunitynominationform.htm>

Health People Program Grants

Agency: Center for Disease Control **Deadline:** December 8, 2003 **Amount:** \$9.6 million (total) **Activities:** Supports programs to Improve the Health, Education, and Well-Being of Young People focusing on Diabetes, Educational and Community-Based Programs, Family Planning, Food Safety, HIV, Nutrition and Overweight, and Sexually Transmitted Diseases **Visit:** http://www.cdc.gov/nchstp/od/hiv_plan/default.htm

Urban Scholars Fellowship

Agency: Office of Asst. Sec, HUD **Deadline:** December 17, 2003 **Amount:** \$500,000 **Activities:** Supports new scholars' research on topics relevant to HUD **Contact:** infofell@nas.edu or (202) 334-2872 **Visit:** www.nas.edu

Review CDBG & HOME Data

Visit the following HUD websites to view the activities that received CDBG & HOME investments in your community:
CDBG: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/communitydevelopment/budget/disbursementreports/index.cfm>

HOME:

<http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/affordablehousing/programs/home/snapshot/index.cfm>

Community Leader Awards

Agency: Advocacy Institute **Deadline:** January 6, 2003 **Amount:** \$115,000 (each) **Activities:** Recognizes successful community leaders- both individuals and shared leadership including co-directors, teams, partnerships and collectives in community development, environmental issues, social justice, citizen participation, media, sexual and reproductive health, etc. **Visit:** www.leadershipforchange.org

National Wet Land Awards

Agency: Environmental Law Institute **Deadline:** December 15, 2003 **Activities:** Recognizes individuals who have demonstrated extraordinary effort, innovation, and excellence in the area of wetlands preservation **Visit:** <http://www.eli.org/nwa/nwaprogram.htm>

Assisted Living Project Training

Agency: NCB Development Corporation **Date:** October 25, 2003 **Activities:** Pre-Conference Training on developing, operation, and project analysis of affordable assisted living projects **Contact:** Jim Gray, Vice President (202) 336-7642 or jgray@ncbdc.org **Visit:** www.aahsa.org

CDFI Fund Awards Announced

Agency: CDFI Fund, Bank Enterprise Awards (BEA)/Financial Assistance **Amount:** \$13.9 million (BEA total), \$23 million (Asst.) **Activities:** Supports increased levels of financial services in distressed communities by financial institutions **Visit:** <https://www.cdfifund.gov/news/>

Public Housing Tenant Eligibility Rule

Agency: Office of Chief Info Officer, HUD **Deadline:** November 6, 2003 **Activities:** Soliciting public comment on information collection to ascertain tenant eligibility for Multi-family public housing **Contact:** Wayne Eddins, Wayne_Eddins@HUD.gov or (202) 708-2374 **Visit:**

<http://mf.hud.gov:63001/po/i/icbts/collectionsearch.cfm>

Housing Choice Voucher Rule

Agency: Off. of Secretary, HUD **Deadline:** December 16, 2003 **Activities:** Soliciting public comment on proposed data collection for information necessary to assess and enhance, quality, utility of Housing Choice Homeownership Voucher program **Contact:** Mildred M. Hamman (202) 708-0614 ext 4128 **Visit:** www.hud.gov

Low Rent Housing Rule

Agency: Off. of Secretary, HUD **Deadline:** December 8, 2003 **Activities:** Soliciting public comment on proposed data collection for information necessary to assess and enhance, quality, utility low rent housing schedule **Contact:** Beverly J. Miller, Director (202) 708-3730 **Visit:** www.hud.gov

Public Housing Operating Subsidy Rule

Agency: Office of Asst. Sec, HUD **Deadline:** December 15, 2003 **Activities:** Soliciting public comment on proposed data collection for information necessary to assess, enhance, quality, and utility of public housing operating subsidy computation of payments in lieu of taxes form. **Contact:** Mildred M. Hamman (202) 708-0614 ext 4128 **Visit:** www.hud.gov

Federal Home Loan Bank Rule

Agency: Federal Housing Finance Board **Deadline:** October 27, 2003 **Activities:** Soliciting public comment on the community support performance of Federal Home Loan Bank members for support review in 2002-03. **Contact:** Emma J. Fitzgerald, Program Analyst 202/408-2874 or fitzgeralde@fhfb.gov **Visit:** www.fhfb.gov

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