

Coastal Zone Management Protocol

Instructions to lenders/sponsors for Coastal Zone Management Act compliance

PROPOSED NEW CONSTRUCTION OR MAJOR REHABILITATION ONLY

Projects located in Clallam, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, King, Kitsap, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Thurston, Wahkiakum and Whatcom counties must comply with Coastal Zone Management Act.

1. The lender/sponsor must provide the following attached checklist for lenders/sponsors to the HUD **Multifamily Housing Representative** *at the earliest possible stage* to comply with Coastal Zone Management in the above listed counties.

Provide the following information to the HUD:

- A description of the overall project, and an explanation of the planned use of the HUD funds.
 - A common address and legal description of the property
 - A faxable site plan
 - A topographic map showing the existence or absence of any shorelines. An Internet site that you may want to consider to obtain this information is www.topozone.com.
 - The completed and signed “**Determination of Consistency with Washington’s Coastal Zone Management Program.**”
 - A description and copy of any public notice (typically required for permit process) if the project is within 200 feet of a Shoreline Management water body. Typically provided by local permit authorities.
2. The HUD appraiser will complete the HUD attached checklist, Certification of consistency and form HUD- 4128, Environmental Assessment.
 - Complete the attached “Certification of Consistency with Washington’s Coastal Zone Management Program,” and send it to the Department of Ecology (DOE) at the following address: **Loree Randall**, Federal Consistency Procedures Coordinator, Shorelines & Environmental Assistance Program, Department of Ecology, P.O. Box 47690, Olympia, WA 98504-7690 or **fax it to Loree Randall at (360) 407-6068**.
 - In your fax cover or cover letter:
 - Identify the applicant as HUD and the Federal Program, i.e. Section 202, 811, 221d4 etc.
 - The lender and/or sponsor developing the project and HUD appraiser and/or representative must sign the Certification of Consistency.
 - Record and attach the checklist and Certification of Consistency Determination to the form HUD-4128.1 worksheet and/or form HUD-4128 Environmental Assessment and findings.
 - The checklist and Certification of Consistency Determination are used to condition the Form HUD-4128 and firm commitment to ensure completed actions prior to initial closing.

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Checklist for HUD or Responsible Entity

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Ensure that projects are consistent with the State Coastal Zone Plan	Coastal Zone Management Act 16 U.S.C. 1451-1464	15 CFR Part 930

1. Is the project located in Callam, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, King, Kitsap, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Thurston, Wahkiakum or Whatcom Counties?

- No: Stop here. The CZM review is complete. Record your determination on the EA, Statutory Worksheet or 4128.
- Yes: PROCEED to #2

2. Does the project include new construction or major rehabilitation of existing structures? Major rehabilitation means work that exceeds the categorical exclusion threshold at 24 CFR Part 58.35(a) and therefore requires a full Environmental Assessment.

- No: STOP here. The Coastal Zone Management review is complete. Record your determination on the EA, Statutory Worksheet or 4128.
- Yes: PROCEED to #3

3. Does the project comply with the enforceable policies of the Coastal Zone Management Program?

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- Yes: STOP here. The Coastal Zone Management Review is complete. You should have a mechanism in place (i.e. condition to the contract or FIRM Commitment) to assure the recipient has completed all actions prior to releasing funds. Attach a copy of the Certification. Record your determination on the EA, Statutory Worksheet or 4128.
- No: If the project will not comply with all enforceable policies as outlined on the Certification of Consistency, work with Department of Ecology to mitigate issues. Do not initiate the Project until CZM has been mitigated.**

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Questions concerning environmental requirements relative to HUD programs can be addressed to Deborah Peavler-Stewart (206) 220 5414 or Sara Jensen (206) 220 5226.

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Checklist for Grantee (Other than Responsible Entity), Lender, or Non-Profit

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Ensure that projects are consistent with the State Coastal Zone Plan	Coastal Zone Management Act 16 U.S.C. 1451-1464	15CFR Part 930

1. Is the project located in Callam, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, King, Kitsap, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Thurston, Wahkiakum or Whatcom Counties?

- No: Stop here. The CZM review is complete
- Yes: PROCEED to #2

2. Does the project include new construction or major rehabilitation of existing structures? Major rehabilitation means work that exceeds the categorical exclusion threshold at 24 CFR Part 58.35(a) and therefore requires a full Environmental Assessment.

- No: STOP here. The Coastal Zone Management review is complete. Provide HUD with a specific description of your project.
- Yes: PROCEED to #3

3. Determine if the project complies with the enforceable policies of the Coastal Zone Management Program.

Complete and sign (where the form indicates recipient) the attached Certification of Consistency with Washington Coastal Zone Management Program for Federally Funded Activities. HUD or the Responsible Entity will identify the Federal Program and Applicant. You may want to contact your local or state government department that is responsible for planning and permitting in your jurisdiction for assistance. Return the form to HUD or the Responsible Entity, whichever is performing the environmental review for your project.

- PROCEED to #4

4. Provide the following information to the HUD Official

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