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## Coordinated Entry/Housing Assessment Resource Agency Request for Proposal - Information Session Q&A June 12, 2025

### 1. Is the new grant for one year or two years?

The grant is a one-year grant but the selection of the CE/HARA is for five years at set forth in the CoC charter. There will be an opportunity to do a performance review every year.

## 2. The goal is to have both of these housed in same agency, right?

Yes, it is a combined RFP.

### 3. So Catholic Charities has been the HARA for five years?

Catholic Charities took over the CE/HARA from Shelter of Flint in March 2020.

#### 4. What exactly can the grants be spent on?

That will depend on what HUD and MSHDA allow. View <a href="https://catholiccharitiesflint.org/onestophousing#:~:text=Homeless%20Prevention,600%2D4525%20operator%20option%202">https://catholiccharitiesflint.org/onestophousing#:~:text=Homeless%20Prevention,600%2D4525%20operator%20option%202</a> to see what the current HARA funds. Regarding Coordinated Entry, eligible costs include those directly related to providing supportive services as outlined in the CoC Interim Rule (<a href="https://www.nee.gov/view.here">wiew.here</a>), which are specifically designed to assist participants in securing and keeping housing.

# 5. How would the current hotline number transfer to a new organization?

The number can be ported over to the new organization via an agreement signed by the current owner.

Our Mission: A community working together to achieve access to safe and affordable housing for all residents of Genesee County