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GUAM Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery Housing Program 4: Debris Removal



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This document provides guidance and is considered binding on the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority (GHURA) until it is officially amended. It does not create any new requirements or penalties for those we serve, nor does it contain any confidential information or formal rules and regulations. If you believe this document imposes new requirements or penalties, you have the right to request a formal review.

1. Introduction

This document serves as the official Program Policies and Procedures for the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority's (GHURA) Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) *Ina'gasgas / Lugât-Siha'* (Clean Up of the Area/Places) Housing Program 4 : Debris Removal.

These policies and procedures were developed to serve as the governing basis for the Debris Removal Program, providing detailed guidance on its direct implementation, operation, and administration. This framework ensures comprehensive compliance with all U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) standards and best practices for the use of disaster recovery funds.

This document also serves as the primary reference for GHURA CDBG-DR staff and partners involved in program execution, as well as for the public seeking to understand the operation and scope of the Debris Removal Program. Note that these policies and procedures are intended solely to address this specific program. Each of the other recovery initiatives outlined in the Guam CDBG-DR Action Plan is governed by its own dedicated policies and procedures document.

2. Program Overview

The Debris Removal Program is administered by the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority (GHURA) as a Public Service activity, via Substantial Amendment #2 under the Community Development Block Grant—Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) program in response to Typhoon Mawar (DR-4715-GU). The Debris Removal Program is designed to provide direct assistance to eligible individuals for the removal of storm-related debris caused by Typhoon Mawar. All individuals served must demonstrate a direct or indirect tie-back to the impacts of Typhoon Mawar to establish eligibility.

The program is implemented through a formal application process and is designed to address the needs of as many residents as possible with the available federal funding. Accordingly, assistance is limited to Low-to-Moderate Clientele (LMC), specifically to individuals whose household is headed by someone who is an elderly person (individuals 62 years of age or older) and/or a person with disabilities. Due to funding limitations and federal eligibility requirements, the program cannot guarantee assistance to all eligible applicants.

The Guam CDBG-DR Debris Removal Program is generally available to individuals who meet the Low-to-Moderate Limited Clientele national objective. Assistance will be provided on a prioritized basis. First priority will be given to residents of Dededo and Yigo, followed by eligible residents from all other villages.

2.1 Purpose and Objectives

The primary objective of the Guam Debris Removal Program is to address disaster-related debris removal needs resulting from Typhoon Mawar by assisting individuals whose recovery efforts continue to be impeded by storm-generated debris.

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