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The latest draft of the RFA 2023-205 has new requirements on the deadlines for construction close. Developers of projects using HUD resources (FHA loan products, PHA re-developments, HAP contracts, etc.) could be at a significant disadvantage in the subsequent year's SAIL RFA under this new draft. Most HUD approval processes are time-consuming and do not align with the deadlines in the current draft of the RFA. Please consider exempting projects that utilize HUD resources from these deadlines.

Thank you.

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