The Role of Information in HUD’s Changing Mission

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Overview

• HUD 2010-2015 Strategic Plan
• Transformation Initiative (TI)
• Data available at HUDUSER
• Interagency GIS Working Group
• Web Demonstrations
HUD’s Mission

• Create strong, sustainable, inclusive communities and quality, affordable homes for all
HUD’s 2010 – 2015 Strategic Plan

• Developed as a framework to realize HUD’s mission

• Acknowledges new realities
  – Private and “third sector” innovations in housing policy
  – Emphasis on the importance of place
  – Emergence of information technology

• Sets forth specific and measurable goals
Measures of Success

• For each goal, HUD will identify measures of success.
• With these targets in place, HUD will develop a Management Action Plan (MAP).
• The MAP will be used to track and monitor performance of the activities that support each strategic goal.
• There is a metric tied to everything.
Goal 1: Strengthen the housing market to bolster the economy and protect consumers

- Stem the foreclosure crisis
- Protect and educate consumers when they buy, refinance, or rent a home
- Create financially sustainable homeownership opportunities
- Establish an accountable and sustainable housing finance system
Goal 2: Meet the need for quality affordable rental homes

• End homelessness and substantially reduce the number of families and individuals with severe housing needs
• Expand the supply of affordable rental homes where they are most needed
• Preserve the affordability and improve the quality of federally assisted and private unassisted affordable rental homes
• Expand families’ choices of affordable rental homes located in a broad range of communities
Goal 3: Utilize Housing as a Platform for Improving Quality of Life

- Utilize HUD assistance to improve educational outcomes and early learning and development
- Utilize HUD assistance to improve health outcomes
- Utilize HUD assistance to increase economic security and self sufficiency
- Utilize HUD assistance to improve housing stability through supportive services for vulnerable populations
- Utilize HUD assistance to improve public safety
Goal 4: Build Inclusive and Sustainable Communities Free From Discrimination

- Catalyze economic development and job creation, while enhancing and preserving community assets
- Promote energy-efficient buildings and location efficient communities that are healthy, affordable, and diverse
- Ensure open, diverse, and equitable communities
- Facilitate disaster preparedness, recovery, and resiliency
- Build the capacity of local, state, and regional public and private organizations
Goal 5: Transform the Way HUD Does Business

• Transformation Initiative (TI) - nearly 1% of HUD’s budget for technology upgrades, key research initiatives, and technical assistance efforts
• Examples of projects funded with TI money
  – HUDStat (Business Intelligence)
  – Transforming administrative systems for FHA and Housing Choice Voucher programs
  – Assisted Housing Preservation Database
  – PD&R demonstrations to test effectiveness of new policies
    • Impacts associated with rent reform initiatives
    • Impacts of Family Self Sufficiency on earning outcomes
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- PD&R research papers
- Original data sets generated by PD&R-sponsored data collection efforts, including
  - American Housing Survey
  - HUD median family income limits
  - Microdata from research initiatives on topics such as housing discrimination, the HUD-insured multifamily housing stock, and the public housing population.
Interagency GIS Working Group

- NOAA Coastal Inundation Toolkit for Gulf Coast
- Mortgage Fraud Indicator System
- Cities in Transition (CIT)
GIS at HUD

- Community 2020
- Enterprise GIS
- Desktop GIS
- Google Maps Mashups
- Map Server
- ArcGIS Server