

Dear Applicants,

Welcome to the Critical Home Repair process with Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc. Please feel free to call us if you have any questions during this process. We will be happy to help you along this journey.

Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc.

The Critical Home Repair program is open when funding is available. Please call our office prior to filling out the application to verify funding is available at the time you would like to apply.

2004 Hempstead Drive Pella, IA 50219 641-828-8844

You must complete ALL the required documents to be considered for this program. If you falsify any information, you will be disqualified. All documents must be complete and truthful in your application.

director@marionhfh.org www.hfhmci.org



The following are minimal requirements for our critical home repair program:

- 1. A critical home repair in which you are not able to pay/not cosmetic
- 2. The willingness to partner/volunteer doing sweat equity
- 3. Live or work in Marion County for at least one year (may require documentation)
- 4. Own your home for a minimum of one year
- 5. Meet income qualifications
- 6. Disclose all information accurately and honestly. Failure to do so will result in removal from the program

All awards are subject to available funding for the project. Please let us know if you have any questions!

-Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc.

Please check boxes as you have prepared the following documents. All documents must be included in your application.

Check when completed	Required Documents
	Application for Critical Home Repair
	Brochure (Front and Back)
	Background Check Authorization
	(1 per adult in household)
	\$5,000 Asset Certification
	Permission for Electronic Communication (1 per adult in household)
	Zero Income Affidavit (1 per adult that this is applicable)
	Child Support Affidavit (1 per adult that either pays or receives Child
	Support)
	Violence Against Women Act Form (One per adult in the Household)
	Full-time Student Verification (1 per adult that this is applicable)

Please check boxes as you have provided the following documents.

Check when completed	Required Documents
	Three months of income verification including paycheck stubs
	and/or annual social security letter
	Three months of recent bank statements for all bank accounts
	Two years most recent tax returns and W2's
	Proof of child support or alimony (if you receive child support and/or
	alimony)
	Declarations page from Homeowners Policy covering property

Please hand deliver the above to the Habitat for Humanity of Marion County office at:

2004 Hempstead Drive
Pella, IA 50219
(641)828-8844

What does Habitat for Humanity do?

As an ecumenical Christian organization, we work toward eliminating substandard housing and empowering families in the Marion County area and around the world.

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What is critical housing repair?

Critical housing repair is defined as extensive interior or exterior work performed to alleviate critical health, life, and safety issues or code violations. This may include a change to or repair of materials; a reconfiguration of space; a modification for accessibility; or installation or extension of plumbing, mechanical or electrical systems on an existing structure. Critical housing repair helps homeowners who are affected by age, disability, or family circumstances and struggle to maintain the integrity of their homes.

Habitat for Humanity does not discriminate any person based on color, race, sex, familial status, national origin, disability, religion, creed, sexual orientation, gender identity, or retaliation.



This is an Equal Opportunity Program. Discrimination is prohibited by Federal Law.

Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc.

Pella, IA 50219

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Critical Housing Repair Program

Building Homes, Building Community, **Building Hope**

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Thank you for your interest in
Habitat for Humanity of
Marion County!
Please answer the following
questions to help us determine if
you are eligible.

In order to qualify with Habitat, you must meet 4 basic requirements:

- Need for adequate shelter;
- Willingness to partner/volunteer;
- Meet our financial guidelines; and
- Live in Marion County.

1. Need for adequate shelter

"Need for adequate shelter" can include a variety of conditions and is determined on a case-by-case basis.

Please list your top 3 needed house repairs:

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Have you acquired any estimates or bids for the repairs listed above?

Yes	



2. Willingness to partner

Your partnership with Habitat includes sweat equity hours, which must be completed before your home construction begins. Examples of this include assisting non-profit groups or working on a Habitat project. We can work with you on ways to earn sweat equity that meet you availability and physical capabilities.

Are you willing to partner with Habitat?



3. Meet our financial guidelines

We partner with families who are unable to obtain conventional loans or pay for entire repair projects by themselves. Habitat has an income guideline to determine eligibility. If you believe this program may be what you are looking for then talk to a staff member about the application process.



4. Live or work in Marion County

Have you lived or worked in Marion County for at least 1 year?

☐ Yes	
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If you have any questions, please call our office at (641) 828-8844.

Please complete your contact information below.

Applicant:					
Co-applicant:					
Address:					
City:					
State:Zip:					
Phone: ()					
Alt. Phone: ()					
E-mail:					
Applicant Birth Date:					
Co-applicant Birth Date:					
Number of People in Household:					
Owner of property or name on the deed:					





Please send completed application to: Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc. 2004 Hempstead Drive Pella, IA 50219 (641) 828-8844



We are pledged to the letter and spirit of U.S. policy for the achievement of equal housing opportunity throughout the nation. We encourage and support an affirmative advertising and marketing program in which there are no barriers to obtaining housing because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, or national origin.

This is an Equal Opportunity Program. Discrimination is Prohibited by Federal Law.

Dear Applicant: Please complete this application to determine if you qualify for a Habitat for Humanity house. Please fill out the application as completely and accurately as possible. All information you include on this application will be kept confidential.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION							
Applicant			Co-applicant				
Applicant's Name	Birth Date	Co-applicant's Name	E	Birth Date			
Social Security Number	Home Phone	Social Security Number		Home Phone	9		
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Name	ı Social Secur	ity Number	Birth Date	Male	Female		
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Present Address (street, city, state, ZIP)	Own Rent	Present Address (if differ	ent from applicant) Own	Rent		
Number of Years		Number of Years	<u> </u>				
If Living at Pres	ent Address for Less Th	l nan Two Years, Complete th	ne Following				
Last Address (street, city, state, ZIP)	Own Rent	Last Address (street, city,		Own	Rent		
Number of Years		Number of Years					
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Date Received:	GIT-102 GOZ GNET B						
More Information Requested? ☐ Yes	□No	Date Letter Sent:					
Date Application Completed:		Date of Home Visit:					
□ Accepted □ Denied		Date Letter Sent:			<u> </u>		

3. WILLINGNESS TO PARTNER

To be considered for a Habitat home, you and your family must be willing to complete a certain number of "sweat-equity" hours. Your help in building your home and the homes of others is called "sweat equity," and may include clearing the lot, painting, helping with construction, working in the Habitat office, attending homeownership classes or other approved activities. Yes

Applicant:

I AM WILLING TO COMPLETE THE REQUIRED SWEAT-EQUITY HOURS:

Co-applicant:

				4. PRESENT HOU	SING CONDITIONS			
Number of be	drooms (please	circle) 1	2 3	4 5				
Other rooms i	n the place whe	ere you are cu	rrently li	ving:				
□ Kitchen	☐ Bathroom	☐ Living Ro	om [□ Dining Room □ C	Other (please describe)			
If you rent you	ır residence, wh	nat is your mo	nthly rer	nt payment? \$	/month			
(Please supply a	a copy of your leas	se or a copy of a	a money	order receipt or canceled re	ent check.)			
Name, addres	s and phone nu	imber of curre	nt landlo	ord:				
In the space b	elow, describe	the condition of	of the ho	ouse or apartment wher	e you live. Why do you need a	a Habitat home	?	
				5. PROPERTY	INFORMATION			
If you own you	ur residence, wh	nat is your mo	nthly mo	ortgage payment? \$ _	/month	Unpaid Bal	ance\$_	
Do you own la	and? □ No □	Yes (If yes	s, pleaso	e describe, including loc	eation)			
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Is there a mor	tgage on the la	nd? □ No I	□ Yes	If yes: Monthly Pay	ment \$	_ Unpaid Bala	nce\$_	
If you are app	roved for a Habi	itat home, hov	v should	l your name(s) appear o	n the legal documents?			
				6. EMPLOYMEN	T INFORMATION			
Name and Ad	dress of currer	Applicant of employer		Years on This Job	Name and Address of curre	Co-Applican	t	Years on This Job
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				\$				\$
Type of Busine	ess		Busin	ess Phone	Type of Business		Busine	ess Phone
	If	working at	current	Job less than one Y	ear, complete the followin	g informatio	n	
Name and Ad	dress of last er	mployer		Years on This Job	Name and Address of last e	employer		Years on This Job
				Monthly (gross) Wages				Monthly (gross) Wages
				\$				\$
Type of Busine	ess		Busin	ess Phone	Type of Business		Busine	ess Phone

gross monthly income	Applicant	co-Applicant	COMBINED MONTHLY E	³ monthly bills	monthly Amount
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¹ Base employment Income	\$	\$	\$	Rent	\$
TANF				Utilities	
Food Stamps				Car Payments	
Social Security				Medical Insurance	
SSI				Child Care	
Disability				Auto Insurance	
Alimony				Avg. Total Credit Card Payment	
Child Support				Student Loans	
Other				Alimony/Child Support	
total	\$	\$	\$	total	\$
Age Monthly Inco 3Please attach copies of last month's bills. 8. SOURCE OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS 8. SOURCE OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS Where will you get the money to make the down payment (for example, savings or parents)? If you borrow the money, who will you borrow it from and how will you pay it back?					
		g	ASSETS		
			savings Accounts belo	w	
Name and Address of Bank, S	avings & Loan, or Cr	edit Union:	Name and Address of	f Bank, Savings & Loan, or Cred	it Union:
Account Number:	Bala	ance\$	Account Number:	Balan	ce\$
Name and Address of Bank, S	Savings & Loan, or Cr	edit Union:	Name and Address of	f Bank, Savings & Loan, or Cred	it Union:
Account Number:	Bala	ance\$	Account Number:	Balan	ce\$
Name and Address of Bank, S	Savings & Loan, or Cr	edit Union:	Name and Address of	f Bank, Savings & Loan, or Cred	it Union:

Account Number:

Balance \$

Balance \$

Account Number:

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Do you own a: Yes	No	Do you own a:				Yes	No
Boat		Car (#1)					
Camper/RV/Mobile Home		Make and Year				-	
Extra Vehicle/ATV/ETC		Car (#2)					
Swimming Pool		Make and Year				-	
	10.	Debt					
	o whom Do You and the	Co-Applicant Owe Money?	o lumo ro	2			_
Car	Monthly Unpaid	Cell Phone Contracts	olumn	2	Monthly	Unpaid	
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Medical	Monthly Unpaid Payment Balance	(Child Care, Union Dues, etc.)			\$	/m	nonth
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	Mos. left to pay:	column 1: subtotal of payme	nts		\$	/m	nonth
column 1: subtotal of payments	\$ /month	total monthly expenses			\$	/n	nonth
	11 . De	clarations					
Please check the box tha	at best answers the follow	ring questions for you and the co	-applica	nt.			
			Appli			pplicar	
a. Do you have any debt because of a court	• •		☐ Yes	□ No			No
b. Have you been declared bankrupt within the	•		□ Yes	□ No		•	No
c. Have you had property foreclosed on in the	e past seven years?		☐ Yes				No
d. Are you currently involved in a lawsuit?			□ Yes	□ No			No
e. Are you paying alimony or child support?			☐ Yes	□ No	o □ Ye	s \square	No
f. Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent reside	ent?		□ Yes		o □ Ye	s 🗆	No
If you answered "yes" to any question \boldsymbol{a} throug	h e, or "no" to question f, p	please explain on a separate piece	of paper	r.			
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the no-interest loan and other expenses of hor personal visits, a credit check, and employmer have not answered the questions truthfully, my I may be disqualified from the program. The or not approved. I also understand that Habitat for Humanity screens and that by completing this application, I am submitting myser than the program of the program of the program.	neownership and my willin at verification. I have answ application may be denied iginal or a copy of this app all potential staff (whether pa ing myself and all persons lis	gness to be a partner family. I undered all the questions on this applial, and that even if I have already be discation will be retained by Habitat id or unpaid), board members and application the first page of the application	lerstand to cation trueen select for Human colicant fame to such a	that the uthfully. cted to anity e nilies on n inquir	e evaluation I understand receive a Ha ven if the ap the sex offen y. I further und	will incomment of that in the detection of the detection	clude if I nome, on is gistry, d that

PLEASE NOTE: If more space is needed to complete any part of this application, please use a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this application. Please mark your additional comments with "A" for Applicant or "C" for Co-applicant.

13. Information for Government Monitoring Purposes

Please read this statement before completing the box below: The following information is requested by the federal government for loans related to the purchase of homes, in order to monitor the lender's compliance with equal credit opportunity and fair housing laws. You are not required to furnish this information, but are encouraged to do so. The law provides that a lender may neither discriminate on the basis of this information, nor on whether you choose to furnish it or not. However, if you choose not to furnish it, under federal regulations this lender is required to note race and sex on the basis of visual observation or surname. If you do not wish to furnish the information below, please check the box below. (Lender must review the above material to assure that the disclosures satisfy all requirements to which the lender is subject under applicable state law for the loan applied for.)

Applicant	Co-Applicant				
\Box I do not wish to furnish this information	\Box I do not wish to furnish this information				
race/national origin: American Indian or Alaskan Native Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Black/African American Caucasian Asian American Indian or Alaskan Native AND Caucasian Asian AND Caucasian Black/African American AND Caucasian American Indian or Alaskan Native AND Black/African American	race/national origin: American Indian or Alaskan Native Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Black/African American Caucasian Asian American Indian or Alaskan Native AND Caucasian Asian AND Caucasian Black/African American AND Caucasian American Indian or Alaskan Native AND Black/African American				
Other (specify) ethnicity:	Other (specify) ethnicity:				
Hispanic Non-Hispanic	Hispanic Non-Hispanic				
sex: Female Male	sex: Female Male				
marital status: Married Separated Unmarried (Incl. single, divorced, widowed)	marital status: Married Separated Unmarried (Incl. single, divorced, widowed)				

To be completed ONLY by the person conducting the interview					
This application was taken by:	Interviewer's Name (print or type)				
☐ Face-to-face Interview	Interviewer's Signature	Date			
☐ By Mail					
☐ By Telephone	Interviewer's Phone Number				



Permission for Electronic Communication

Dear,
We are pleased you have made it this far in the home owner selection process. It is often quicker to communicate electronically compared to paper copies through the mail. Please review this document and provide your consent.
1. Scope of Communications to be provided in electronic form. Habitat for Humanity will continue to meet you in person and use paper copies for all contracts and legally binding agreements. The purpose for electronic communication will be restricted to scheduling appointments, confirming appointments, and planning and organizing dedication events including but not limited to invitation lists, programs, schedules, and deadlines. If at any time it is deemed better for communications sake to discuss these things in person an appointment will be made to meet in person.
2. Method of communications in electronic form. By providing your consent you are granting us permission to contact you via email and texts to your personal device.
3. How to withdraw your consent. You may withdraw your consent to receive communications in electronic form by contacting us at our office. At our option, we may treat your provision of an invalid email address, or the subsequent malfunction of a previously valid email address, as a withdrawal of your consent to receive electronic communications. We will not impose any fee to process the withdrawal of your consent to receive electronic communications. Any withdrawal of your consent to receive electronic communications will be effective only after we have a reasonable period of time to process your withdrawal.
4. Consent. By signing this document, you agree that you have read, understand, and agree to the Permission for Electronic Communication Form. You hereby give your affirmative consent to provide electronic communications to you as described herein. You further agree that you have provided us with a current e-mail address at which we may send electronic communications to you.
[please complete and sign reverse side of this document]

BACKGROUND CHECK AUTHORIZATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Family Name:	Given Nan	ne: Middle:	
Current Address:		Zip Code:	
Permanent Address:		Zip Code:	
Indicate Maiden Name (For M	arried):		
Gender:	Civil Status:	Age:	
Date Of Birth:		Place Of Birth:	_
Phone Number:		E-mail Address:	
Social Security No.:		Driver's License No.:	
MISC INFORMATION Have you been arrested or con	nvicted of any admir	nistrative or criminal offense in any court of law?	
☐ YES ☐ NO	, , ,	,	
If YES , please indicate reason(s) on the blank provi	ided.	

I hereby authorize Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc. to use this information for the investigation of my background including my conduct and other pertinent information deemed necessary for my employment. I also hereby authorize other concerned entities or agencies to disclose any verbal or written information to the investigator that is imperative to the inquiry in accordance with the law.

i swear that all details	s provided herein are true and	correct based on my kno
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PRINT NAME:		_
Date:		_
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UNDER \$5,000 ASSET CERTIFICATION

(02/19)

For ho	ouseholds whose	combined net ass	ets do not excee	ed \$5,000.	Complete	only one for	orm per	household;	include ass	ets of
childre	en									

indion.				
Household Name	Unit Number			
Development Name	City			

ASSETS INCLUDE (Certain funds (e.g., Retirement, Pension, Trust) may or may not be (fully) accessible. Include only those amounts which <u>are</u> accessible)

Source of Income	Cash Value* (A)	Interest Rate (B)	Annual Income (A x B)
Savings Account	\$		\$
Checking Account	\$		\$
Cash on Hand	\$		\$
Safety Deposit Box	\$		\$
Certificates of Deposit	\$		\$
Money Market Funds	\$		\$
Stocks	\$		\$
Bonds	\$		\$
IRA Accounts	\$		\$
401K Accounts	\$		\$
Keogh Accounts	\$		\$
Trust Funds	\$		\$
Equity in Real Estate	\$		\$
Land Contracts	\$		\$
Lump Sum Receipts	\$		\$
Capital Investment	\$		\$
Life Insurance Policies (excluding term)	\$		\$
Other Retirement/Pension Funds not named above:	\$		\$
Personal Property held as an investment**:	\$		\$
Other (list):	\$		\$
Total Gross Annua	al Income		\$

^{*}Cash value is defined as market value minus the cost of converting the asset to cash, such as broker's fees, settlement costs, outstanding loans, early withdrawal penalties, etc.

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☐ Within the past two (2) years, I/we have sold or given away as below their fair market value (FMV). Those amounts (the difference which this occurred) are included above and are equal to a total of	ce between FMV and the amount received, for each asset on
$\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ $	estate, etc.) for less than fair market value during the past two
☐ I/we do not have any assets at this time.	
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Under penalty of perjury, I/we certify that the information presented in this certification is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading or incomplete information may result in the termination of a lease agreement.

Applicant/Tenant	Date
Applicant/Tenant	Date

^{**}Personal property held as an investment may include, but is not limited to, gem or coin collections, art, antique cars, etc. Do not include necessary personal property such as, but not necessarily limited to, household furniture, daily-use autos, clothing, assets of an active business, or special equipment for use by the disabled.

CHILD SUPPORT SELF AFFIDAVIT

(The use of white out, black out, or alteration of original information will void this document.)

Project Name:	IFA Project #	Date:	
Applicant/Tenant:	SSN:	Apt. #:	

TO BE COMPLETED BY	APPLICANT / TENANT				
☐ I certify that I have been legally awarded chi ☐ Weekly ☐ Monthly ☐ Annually. (Prov					
☐ I certify that I receive the following amount for child support: Child Support \$ ☐ Weekly ☐ Monthly ☐ Annually					
☐ I certify that I have not been legally awarded receive payments within the next 12 months					
do not expect to receive payments in the nex	e legally awarded child support at this time and I axt 12 months. I have made reasonable attempts collect requires the full amount awarded to be				
Case Number:					
List Covered Dependents:					
List attempts to collect:					
Signature of Applicant/Tenant					
Address	Date				
City/State/Zip Code	Telephone Number				
Subscribed and sworn to me this Day of					
(SEAL/STAMP)					

NOTE: Section 1001 of Title 18 of the U.S. Code makes it a criminal offense to make willful false statements or misrepresentations to any Department or Agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

Notary Public

FULL-TIME STUDENT VERIFICATION

I,(print name), certify that	I am a full time student:
Please fill out the following information:	
Name of Educational Institution:	
Address:	
Years Remaining to Complete Degree or Progra	am:
Signature	Date

ZERO INCOME SELF AFFIDAVIT

(To be completed by <u>adult</u> household members only, if appropriate.)

IFA Project #

Project Name:		IFA Project #		Date:			
Applicant/Tenant:		SSN:		Apt. #:			
 I hereby certify that I do not individually receive income from any of the following sources: a. Wages from employment (including commissions, tips, bonuses, fees, etc.); b. Income from operation of a business; c. Rental income from real or personal property; d. Interest or dividends from assets; e. Social Security payments, annuities, insurance policies, retirement funds, pensions, or death benefits; 							
g. Po h. Po i. So j. A	 h. Periodic allowances such as alimony, child support, or gifts received from persons not living in my household; i. Sales from self-employed resources (Avon, Mary Kay, Shaklee, etc.); j. Any other source not named above. 						
2. I currently have no income of any kind and there is no imminent change expected in my financial status or employment status during the next 12 months. Yes No							
I will be using the f	ollowing sources of funds to pay for rent and	other necessities:					
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3. I will be actively looking for employment, although I have no source of employment at this time. Yes No Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this certification is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading or incomplete information may result in the termination of a lease agreement.							
Signature of Applic	Subscribed and sworn to me	of Applicant/Tenan		Oate Carte	, 20		
(SEAL)							
		No	tary Public				

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USDA Rural Development

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2013 (VAWA) SUGGESTED FORMAT OF CERTIFICATION OF VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, DATING VIOLENCE, SEXUAL ASSAULT, OR STALKING

NOTICE TO TENANT OR APPLICANT: If you are or have been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault or stalking, you will be asked to provide the information below by the owner/manager or the Rural Development (RD) Multi-Family Housing (MFH) Program Director in your State (State MFH Program Director). The information in Part I below may be provided by you or by someone on your behalf, and given to the owner/manager or the State MFH Program Director for use in determining eligibility for protections under VAWA. The Certification and Signature in Part II, and the Confidentiality Statement in Part III are mandatory statements that must be included with your application.

Purpose of The Form of Certification: VAWA provides protections for applicants and tenants who are or have been victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. VAWA protects applicants and tenants from being evicted, denied housing assistance, or terminated from housing assistance, based on acts of domestic violence dating violence, sexual assault or stalking, committed against them.

If you are an applicant or tenant and a victim of domestic violence, the information requested below is one type of documentation that you may be asked to complete by the "responsible entity," as indicated on the Notice of Occupancy Rights distributed to you.

Use of This Form of Certification Is Optional: Instead of this form, upon the written request by the owner/manager or the RD State MFH Program Director, the tenant or applicant may be asked to submit the alternate documentation below:

- (1) A document signed by an employee, agent, or volunteer of a victim service provider, an attorney, or medical professional, or a mental health professional (collectively, "professional") from whom the victim has sought assistance relating to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault or stalking, or the effects of abuse;
- (2) A document signed by the applicant or tenant who states under penalty of perjury that the professional believes in the occurrence of the incident of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking that is the ground for protection and remedies under VAWA;
- (3) A record of a Federal, State, tribal, territorial or local law enforcement agency, court, or administrative agency; or
- (4) At the discretion of the owner/manager or RD MFH Program Director, a statement or other evidence provided by the applicant or tenant.

Time Period For Submission of Documentation: The time period to submit documentation is 14 business days from the date that the owner/manager or RD State MFH Program Director submits a written request to the tenant or applicant to provide documentation of the occurrence of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. The time period to submit the documentation may be extended, if the tenant or applicant requests an extension of the time period. If the requested information is not received by the 14th business day or any extension of the date provided, none of the VAWA protections have to be provided to the tenant or applicant. Distribution or issuance of this form does not serve as a written request for certification.

Part I – Required Information:

- 1. Date of applicant's receipt of written request for documentation
- 2. Name of victim
- 3. Name of person completing this form (if different from victim)
- 4. Name of other family members and lawful tenants listed on the lease
- 5. Address of victim
- 6. Name of accused perpetrator (if known and can be disclosed)
- 7. Relationship of the accused perpetrator to the victim
- 8. Date(s) of incident(s)
- 9. Time(s) of incidents(s)
- 10. Location of incident(s)
- 11. Description of incident(s) in your own words (attach as many sheets as needed)

Part II – Mandatory Statement of Certification and Sig provided on this form is true and correct and that the indivi- of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or sta- information could jeopardize program eligibility and could assistance, or eviction.	idual named above in Item 2 is or has been a victim alking. I acknowledge that submission of false
Signature	Date
Part III – Mandatory Statement of Confidentiality:	
All information provided to the owner/manager or other redomestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalk not be entered into any shared database. Employees of the have access to these details unless to provide or deny VAV employees may not disclose this information to any other edisclosure is: (i) consented to by the victim in writing; (ii) regarding termination of assistance; or (iii) otherwise required I do not choose to disclose this information at this I have not been a victim of domestic violence, data	ing shall be kept confidential and such details shall owner/manager or other responsible entity are not to VA protections to the applicant or tenant, and such entity or individual, except to the extent that required for use in an eviction proceeding or hearing ired by applicable law.
stalking Signature	Date