Multifamily Closing Process

- When a Firm is issued, the Underwriter includes the name of the Closing Coordinator assigned to the project
- Once the firm is issued, the Closing Coordinator requests Office of General Counsel (OGC) assignment
- After counsel has been assigned, the Closing Coordinator sends a "Hello E-mail" to the lender with OGC point of contact information and instructions on where to send draft packages
- One hardcopy and one electronic version (CD or USB) of the draft package should be sent to the Closing Coordinator, and one hardcopy of the draft package should be sent to OGC
- After closing, one electronic version (CD or USB) of the final package should be sent to the Closing Coordinator; hardcopy versions of final packages should be sent per regional guidance



Closing Coordinator Structure

- Each office has one closing coordinator:
 - Baltimore: Angela Coleman (<u>Angela.M.Coleman@hud.gov</u>)
 - Boston: Nicholas Cipponeri (<u>Nicholas.J.Cipponeri@hud.gov</u>)
 - New York: Paul Connelly (<u>Paul.F.Connelly@hud.gov</u>)
- Given fluctuations in volume of applications by office, closing coordinators workshare across the region
- Closing coordinators may work on projects processed by underwriters in their office, regardless of geographic location



Closing Coordinator Responsibilities

Closing Coordinator responsibilities include:

- 1. Review and process amendment requests
- 2. Verify and process extension requests
- 3. Review draft closing package
- 4. Ensure Special Conditions are met
- 5. Coordinate closing date
- 6. Send post-closing e-mail to lender's attorney to request an electronic version of closing documents

