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Hi Chris

Given the aging portfolio of affordable housing in NC, there will likely more and more rehab applications submitted in the coming years. To address this, I have a couple of items for consideration in the 2016 QAP:

- 1. Increase the Rehab Set-Aside to 20% of the total credits. Or, increase it to 15% with the added consideration referenced in Comment 2 below.
- 2. Similar to the RD set-aside, provide a HUD set-aside for projects with an <u>existing</u> Section 8 HAP Contract that provides rental assistance for 100% of the units.

Thanks for the opportunity to offer comments.

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