

**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION  
VERIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY  
PHASE I ENVIRONMENTAL SITE ASSESSMENT**

FHFC Application Reference: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Indicate the name of the application process under which the proposed Development is applying/has applied for funding from the Corporation such as the Request for Proposal/Application number and/or the name of the Request for Proposal/Application)

Name of Development: \_\_\_\_\_

Development Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
(At a minimum, provide the address number, street name and city, and/or provide the street name, closest designated intersection and either the city (if located within a city) or county (if located in the unincorporated area of the county).)

As a representative of the firm that performed the Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA), I certify that a Phase I ESA of the above referenced Development site was conducted by the undersigned environmental firm as of \_\_\_\_\_ and such Phase I ESA meets the ASTM Phase I ESA standards in effect as of that date. (Date of Phase I ESA – mm/dd/yyyy)

Check all that apply in Items 1, 2 and 3 below:

1. If the Phase I ESA is over 12 months old from the submission deadline for the above referenced FHFC Request for Proposal/Application, has the site's environmental condition changed since the date of the original Phase I ESA?  
 Yes                       No

If "Yes", to demonstrate the condition of the site, the signatory must answer question (1) or (2) below:

- (1) an update to the original Phase I ESA was prepared on \_\_\_\_\_ (Date - mm/dd/yyyy)  
(Date of update must be within 12 months of the submission deadline for the above referenced FHFC Request for Proposal/Application), or
- (2) a new Phase I ESA was prepared on \_\_\_\_\_ (Date - mm/dd/yyyy)  
(Date of new Phase I ESA must be within 12 months of the submission deadline for the above referenced FHFC Request for Proposal/Application).

Note: The Corporation will not consider a Phase II ESA to be a substitute for the updated Ph. I ESA or new Ph. I ESA.

2. If there are one or more existing buildings on the proposed site, the presence or absence of asbestos or asbestos containing materials and lead based paint must be addressed either as a part of the Phase I ESA or as a separate report. The signatory must indicate which of the following (Item a. or b.) applies:
- a. the Phase I ESA referenced above addresses the presence or absence of asbestos or asbestos containing materials and lead based paint; or
- b. separate report(s) addressing the presence or absence of asbestos or asbestos containing materials and lead-based paint have been prepared and the undersigned has reviewed the separate report(s). Such separate report(s) may or may not be incorporated by reference in the Phase I ESA.
3. If the Phase I ESA discloses potential problems (including, but not limited to asbestos or asbestos containing materials, lead-based paint, radon gas, etc.) on the proposed site, the signatory must indicate which of the following (Item a., b., or c.) applies:
- a. environmental safety conditions on the site require remediation and a plan that includes anticipated costs and estimated time needed to complete the remediation has been prepared, either as a part of the Phase I ESA or as a separate report; or
- b. a Phase II ESA is required or recommended (the firm that performed the Phase II ESA, even if it is the same firm that prepared the Phase I ESA, MUST complete and execute the Phase II Environmental Site Assessment Verification); or
- c. although environmental safety conditions exist on the site, no remediation or further study is required or recommended.

**CERTIFICATION**

I certify that the foregoing information is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Firm that Performed the Ph. I ESA

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print or Type Name of Signatory

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address of Environmental Firm (street address, city, state)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print or Type Title of Signatory

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number Including Area Code

This certification must be signed by a representative of the firm that performed the Phase I ESA for the proposed Development location.

RFA \_\_\_\_\_  
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