**Section 500.61 Pre-Application Consultation**

a) A Pre-Application Consultation provides an Authority with the opportunity to discuss any of the following topics with the Department:

1) Authority duties and responsibilities;

2) program rules; and

3) requirements contained in the State Support Agreement.

b) Any Authority which plans to file an Application must have a Pre-Application Consultation with the Department prior to submission of an Application. The Pre-Application Consultation shall include a discussion of the proposed project, the financial plan, and the application requirements and procedures.

c) This Pre-Application Consultation shall take place within the year prior to the program year in which the Authority intends to submit an Application for consideration.

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