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Florida Housing is in receipt of your request for an expenditure extension for City of Ft. Lauderdale SHIP funds for the fiscal year 21/22. Based on the information provided in the request, we find that the request is reasonable and meets the standard required in 67-37.005 (1)(f). The new expenditure deadline is **June 30, 2025**.

67-37.005 (1) (f) The funds deposited to the local housing assistance trust fund must be spent within twenty-four months from the end of the applicable State fiscal year. Exceptions to this time frame must be approved by the Corporation SHIP Program Administrator on a case-by-case basis. Exceptions will only be granted for good cause. Examples of good cause are natural disasters, requirements of other State agencies, adverse market conditions, and unavoidable development delays. Adequate explanation of the reasons for the requested extension as well as a timeline for completing the expenditure of funds must be submitted to the Corporation before an extension will be approved, e.g., project status, work plan and completion schedule, commitment of funds, etc. The Corporation may require a local government requesting an expenditure extension to receive technical assistance through the Catalyst program to evaluate the need for an extension.

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