Louisville/Jefferson County Continuum of Care FY22 Special NOFO New Project Scoring and Ranking Narrative SSO (excluding SSO-CE)

Provide a narrative response of no more than five pages single spaced that addresses the following items. This narrative will be used to score your application and will also be provided to the CoC Board of Directors for review.

Narrative responses must be submitted to <u>bscott@louhomeless.org</u> by Friday, August 26 for the Regular NOFO and by Monday, September 19 for the Special NOFO.

Project Description: Provide a detailed description of the scope of the project including the strategy for providing supportive services to those with the highest service needs, including those with histories of unsheltered homelessness and those to do not traditionally engage with supportive services, coordination with other organizations (e.g., federal, state, nonprofit), and how the CoC Program funding will be used. (10 Points)

Project Need: Provide a narrative description for the need for your project. Use quantitative data if at all possible. (5 Points)

Obtaining and Maintaining Permanent Housing: Provide a narrative description that details your project's plan to assist participants obtaining and maintain permanent housing in a manner that fits their needs (10 Points)

Mainstream Benefits: Provide a narrative description that details your project's plan to individually assist program participants obtain the benefits of mainstream health, social, and employment programs, for which they are eligible to apply and meet their needs (e.g., medicare, medicaid, SSI, SNAP, etc.). (5 Points)

Project Timeline: Provide a timeline for the commencement of your project from funding announcement to achieving full capacity. (5 Points)

Lived Experience: Describe your plan for involving persons with lived experience of homelessness in project design and implementation as well as the plan for including these persons in ongoing decision making. (5 Points)

Bonus: Please indicate if you are a BIPOC lead organization or organization lead by persons with lived experience of homelessness. (5 Points)