For the purpose of informing interested faculty, please be aware of the following limited submission opportunity:

**FR-5300-N-17: FY2009 Healthy Homes Demonstration Program**

The Department of Housing and Urban Development is soliciting proposals to improve methods for the identification and control of multiple residential health and safety hazards; build local capacity to operate sustainable programs that will prevent and control housing-related environmental health and safety hazards in low- and very low-income residences when HUD funding is exhausted; and further fair housing and environmental justice.

The program builds upon HUD's successful Lead Hazard Control programs to expand HUD’s efforts to address a variety of high-priority environmental health and safety hazards including: mold, allergens, carbon monoxide, safety hazards, pest infestations, pesticide exposure, and radon. HUD is especially interested in funding demonstration projects that demonstrate and evaluate novel aspects of a healthy homes program, and thus help to advance our knowledge of healthy homes practice. Applicants can include novel program components in one or more program areas, including but not limited to: program design/partnering, identifying high risk communities, hazard assessment, hazard intervention, education and outreach, and program sustainability.

**This is a limited submission opportunity.** As an eligible applicant institution The University of Tennessee (Knoxville, UTSI, and Institute of Agriculture) may only submit one proposal for this opportunity. The Office of Research requires that interested faculty submit a notification of interest to limitsub@utk.edu by 12 PM 9/24/09 for your proposal to receive consideration. In your email include:

- The name and contact information for the principal investigator
- Names of all internal co-investigators
- A descriptive name of the research project proposed
- A brief (one paragraph) description of the research project

Only faculty who have e-mailed their intent to propose by 12 PM 9/24/09 will be allowed to participate if an internal competition is necessary. If an internal competition is
necessary all who submitted notifications of interest will be contacted and will be provided with information regarding competition requirements. For more information regarding UT limited submission guidelines, please see here. Once a proposal has been chosen to go forward, a full proposal is due to the agency on November 24th, 2009.

For more information about this opportunity (FR-532400-N-17 please see the full solicitation (attached).

It is anticipated that approximately $6M will be available to support up to 7-10 awards. Cost sharing is not required. Complete award information is found in the full solicitation.

If you have any questions regarding this announcement please contact:

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