

CBPL No.	ASTM	Title
27-14 .....	D 2622 .....	Standard Test Method for Sulfur in Petroleum Products by Wavelength Dispersive X-Ray Fluorescence Spectrometry.
27-48 .....	D 4052 .....	Standard Test Method for Density and Relative Density of Liquids by Digital Density Meter.
27-53 .....	D 2709 .....	Standard Test Method for Water and Sediment in Middle Distillate Fuels by Centrifuge.
27-57 .....	D 7039 .....	Standard Test Method for Sulfur in Gasoline and Diesel Fuel by Monochromatic Wavelength Dispersive X-Ray Fluorescence Spectrometry.
27-58 .....	D 5191 .....	Standard Test Method for Vapor Pressure of Petroleum Products (Mini Method).

Anyone wishing to employ this entity to conduct laboratory analyses and gauger services should request and receive written assurances from the entity that it is accredited or approved by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection to conduct the specific test or gauger service requested. Alternatively, inquiries regarding the specific test or gauger service this entity is accredited or approved to perform may be directed to the U.S. Customs and Border Protection by calling (202) 344-1060. The inquiry may also be sent to [CBPGaugersLabs@cbp.dhs.gov](mailto:CBPGaugersLabs@cbp.dhs.gov). Please reference the website listed below for a complete listing of CBP approved gaugers and accredited laboratories. <http://www.cbp.gov/about/labs-scientific/commercial-gaugers-and-laboratories>.

Dated: December 6, 2018.

**Patricia Hawes Coleman,**

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**U.S. Customs and Border Protection**

**Accreditation and Approval of Intertek USA, Inc. (Benicia, CA), as a Commercial Gauger and Laboratory**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of accreditation and approval of Intertek USA, Inc. (Benicia, CA), as a commercial gauger and laboratory.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given, pursuant to CBP regulations, that Intertek USA, Inc. (Benicia, CA), has been approved to gauge petroleum and certain petroleum products and accredited to test petroleum and certain petroleum products for customs purposes for the next three years as of March 6, 2018.

**DATES:** Intertek USA, Inc. (Benicia, CA) was accredited and approved, as a commercial gauger and laboratory as of March 6, 2018. The next triennial inspection date will be scheduled for March 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Justin Shey, Laboratories and Scientific Services Directorate, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 1500N, Washington, DC 20229, tel. 202-344-1060.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13, that Intertek USA, Inc., 6050 Egret Ct., Benicia, CA 94510 has been approved to gauge petroleum and certain petroleum products and accredited to test petroleum and certain petroleum products for customs purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13.

Intertek USA, Inc. (Benicia, CA), is approved for the following gauging procedures for petroleum and certain petroleum products from the American Petroleum Institute (API):

API chapters	Title
1 .....	Vocabulary.
2 .....	Tank Calibration.
3 .....	Tank Gauging.
7 .....	Temperature Determination.
8 .....	Sampling.
11 .....	Physical Properties Data.
12 .....	Calculations.
17 .....	Marine Measurement.

Intertek USA, Inc. (Benicia, CA), is accredited for the following laboratory analysis procedures and methods for petroleum and certain petroleum products set forth by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Laboratory Methods (CBPL) and American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):

CBPL No.	ASTM	Title
27-01 .....	D 287	Standard Test Method for API Gravity of Crude Petroleum and Petroleum Products (Hydrometer Method).
27-03 .....	D 4006	Standard Test Method for Water in Crude Oil by Distillation.
27-04 .....	D 95	Standard Test Method for Water in Petroleum Products and Bituminous Materials by Distillation.
27-06 .....	D 473	Standard Test Method for Sediment in Crude Oils and Fuel Oils by the Extraction Method.
27-07 .....	D 4807	Standard Test Method for Sediment in Crude Oil by Membrane Filtration.
27-46 .....	D 5002	Standard Test Method for Density and Relative Density of Crude Oils by Digital Density Analyzer.
27-48 .....	D 4052	Standard Test Method for Density and Relative Density of Liquids by Digital Density Meter.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-6113-N-02]

### Announcement of Funding Awards

**AGENCY:** Office of Strategic Planning and Management, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this announcement notifies the public of funding decisions made by the Department in competitions for funding under the Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for the following programs: Fiscal Year (FY) 2017 Choice Neighborhoods Implementation; FY 2018 Lead Technical Studies and Healthy Homes Technical Studies Grant; FY 2018 Housing Counseling Training Grant; FY 2018 Comprehensive Housing Counseling Grant Program, and FY 2018 Choice Neighborhood Planning.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Grants Management and Oversight Division at [AskGMO@hud.gov](mailto:AskGMO@hud.gov) or the contact person listed in each appendix.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The *FY 2017 Choice Neighborhoods Implementation* competition was announced in a NOFA published on [grants.gov](http://grants.gov) on August 24, 2017 (FR-6100-N-34). The competition closed on November 22, 2017. Applications were rated and selected for funding based on selection criteria contained in the NOFA. HUD awarded \$144,214,284 to 5 recipients to provide grants to support locally driven strategies that address struggling neighborhoods with distressed public or HUD-assisted housing through a comprehensive approach to neighborhood transformation. Local leaders, residents, and stakeholders, such as public housing authorities, cities, schools, police, business owners, nonprofits, and private developers, came together to create and implement a plan that revitalizes distressed HUD housing and addresses the challenges in the

surrounding neighborhood. The program helps communities transform neighborhoods by revitalizing severely distressed public and/or assisted housing and catalyzing critical improvements in the neighborhood, including vacant property, housing, businesses, services and schools.

The *FY 2018 Lead Technical Studies Grant* competition was announced in the NOFA published on [grants.gov](http://grants.gov) on May 10, 2018 (FR-6200-N-15). The competition closed on June 13, 2018, for Pre-Applications and on August 20, 2018, for Full Applications. Applications were rated and selected for funding based on selection criteria contained in the NOFA. HUD awarded \$1,946,741 to 3 recipients to gain knowledge to improve the efficacy and cost-effectiveness of methods for evaluation and control of residential lead-based paint hazards. The *FY 2018 Healthy Homes Technical Studies Grant* competition was announced in the NOFA published on [grants.gov](http://grants.gov) on May 10, 2018 (FR-6200-N-15). The competition closed on June 13, 2018, for Pre-Applications and August 20, 2018, for Full Applications. Applications were rated and selected for funding based on selection criteria contained in the NOFA. HUD awarded \$4,771,419 to 5 recipients to advance the recognition and control of priority residential health and safety hazards and more closely examine the link between housing and health.

The *FY 2018 Housing Counseling Training Grant* competition was announced in the NOFA published on [grants.gov](http://grants.gov) on August 01, 2018 (FR-6200-N-30). The competition closed on August 31, 2018. Applications were rated and selected for funding based on selection criteria contained in the NOFA. HUD awarded \$3,500,000 to 4 recipients to continue investing in the creation and maintenance of a professional and effective housing counseling industry that can meaningfully assist consumers by providing them with the information they need to make informed housing choices and maximize the impact of Federal funding appropriated for HUD's Housing Counseling Program.

The *FY 2018 Comprehensive Housing Counseling Grant Program* competition was announced in the NOFA published on [grants.gov](http://grants.gov) on July 03, 2018 (FR-6200-N-33). The competition closed on August 07, 2018. Applications were rated and selected for funding based on selection criteria contained in the NOFA. HUD awarded \$46,631,397 to

207 recipients to provide funds that shall be used for providing counseling and advice to tenants and homeowners with respect to property maintenance, financial management and literacy, and such other matters as may be appropriate to assist program clients improve their housing conditions, meet financial needs and fulfill the responsibilities of tenancy or homeownership. Funding is intended to support HUD-approved housing counseling agencies to respond flexibly to the needs of residents and neighborhoods and deliver a wide variety of housing counseling services to homebuyers, homeowners, renters, and the homeless. property maintenance, financial management and literacy, and such other matters as may be appropriate to assist program clients improve their housing conditions, meet financial needs and fulfill the responsibilities of tenancy or homeownership.

The *FY 2018 Choice Neighborhoods Planning* competition was announced in the NOFA published on [grants.gov](http://grants.gov) on April 10, 2018 (FR-6200-N-38). The competition closed on June 12, 2018. Applications were rated and selected for funding based on selection criteria contained in the NOFA. HUD awarded \$4,950,000 to 6 recipients to resources to address three core goals: Housing, People and Neighborhoods. To achieve these core goals, communities must develop and implement a comprehensive neighborhood revitalization strategy, or Transformation Plan. The Transformation Plan will become the guiding document for the revitalization of the public and/or assisted housing units while simultaneously directing the transformation of the surrounding neighborhood and positive outcomes for families.

In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (103 Stat. 1987, 42 U.S.C. 3545(a)(4)(C)), the Department is publishing the awardees and the amounts of the awards in Appendices A-F to this document.

Dated: December 3, 2018.

**Christopher Walsh,**

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### Appendix A

#### FY2017 Choice Neighborhoods Implementation Grants

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