

OFFICE OF URBAN TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH
PROPOSALS SUBMITTED BY OTHER FEDERAL DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES TO HUD

Department or Agency	Title, purpose and remarks	Amount proposed or funded	Status
Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.	Case studies in 12 metropolitan areas of fiscal disparities	\$60,000	Contract completed; now preparing data for publication.
Atomic Energy Commission	Analysis of alternate methods of solid waste conversion	\$50,000	Proposal under review.
Do	Systems analyses of urban utility tunneling	\$100,000	Do.
Do	Analysis of potential use of thermal energy from nuclear power plants.	\$100,000	Do.
Do	Development of a technique for demolition of building structures with gas air explosives.	\$150,000	Do.
HUD, OEO, HEW, Department of Labor, Department of Interior (cooperative project).	A joint project which establishes a plant to employ 100 Sioux Indians to produce prefabricated homes for 375 Rosebud Reservation families.	\$658,000 HUD (construction materials) \$642,000 OEO (training and labor) \$367,000 HEW (water and sewage facilities) \$100,000 BIA (prefabrication plans, equipment). \$40,000 Department of Labor	Project nearing completion.
Department of Commerce (Bureau of the Census).	Participation in small area test (New Haven, Conn.) of 1970 census, several phases; 1st phase augmented to mesh census and local data; 2d phase additional related tasks.	\$115,000	1st phase, agreement completed.
Department of Commerce (National Bureau of Standards)	Methods for collection and interchange of information among Federal departments and agencies.	\$150,000	2d phase, proposal under review
Department of Commerce National Bureau of Standards (Joint project).	Performance standards for low-cost housing (a study to examine the adequacy of presently available performance standards; to estimate the time and cost of developing the additional standards required; to rank order those that need to be developed in terms of their impact upon construction costs of low-cost housing).	Undetermined	Proposal in preparation.
Department of Commerce (National Bureau of Standards).	Tests and analyses necessary to determine the safety and adequacy of the Neal Mitchell building system proposed for erection in Detroit as part of Project Phoenix.	\$120,000 HUD	Project progressing on schedule.
Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey.	To study the alternative programs for financial assistance to victims of earthquakes.	\$50,000 NBS	Final report expected June 1968.
Department of Interior (Bureau of Mines)	Research needs in tunneling.		
Department of Labor.	Study of urban planning and administration manpower requirements.	\$180,000	Interim report due by October.
Department of Labor coordinating with Department of Commerce (Bureau of the Census).	Joint effort for the collection of a 1-percent sample of employment data by occupation, agency, function, and various levels of government, State, local.	\$10,000	Project completed.
Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration.	An aircraft noise abatement planning study	\$50,000	Project progressing to schedule.
Department of Defense.	A joint venture to study cost reduction potential in low-cost housing; being conducted by Institute of Defense analysis.	\$125,000 estimated.	Proposal under review.
		\$25,000	Do.
		\$200,000 HUD	
		\$50,000 DOD	Project progressing on schedule.