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Establishment of the Safe Homes Initiative (SHI) Tri-Principal (TRI-P)

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Colleagues:

I am pleased to announce the formal promulgation of the Coast Guard Safe Homes Initiative (SHI) Tri-Principal (Tri-P) Advisory Council. A copy of the SHI Tri-P Charter can be found here, [Housing Tri-P Charter](#).

The SHI program first launched in 2019 following the discovery of elevated lead levels at several Coast Guard housing sites. Since that time, SHI has matured into a service-wide effort to ensure our family and permanent party unaccompanied personnel housing facilities are free from environmental health risks. The initiative focuses primarily on units co-located near lighthouses, and those with a history of lead, asbestos, and radon findings.

The SHI Tri-P is a mechanism that leverages expertise from Workforce Management (CG-WM), Civil Engineering (CG SHORE), and Safety and Environmental Health (CG SEH). Additionally, the SHI Tri-P is supported by multiple stakeholders, including CG-LOGCOM, CG-FORCECOM, CG-PSC, CG-LGL, and CG-092 to ensure safe, sustainable housing that is compliant with Federal standards for Coast Guard personnel and their families.

The SHI Tri-P also serves as cross functional advisory body to Coast Guard senior leadership and Area Housing Authorities responsible for housing assets. Support and communication are key components of the SHI mission in addressing housing issues, and our goal is to provide all members with timely support and accurate information. We continue to post updates on the Coast Guard's Safe Homes Initiative website at [Safe Homes Initiative](#)

Thank you for your continued support and advocacy.

Semper Paratus,

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