

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
Office of the Governor
Agana, Guam

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 69-5

DESIGNATION OF DEPARTMENT OF LAND MANAGEMENT
TO ADMINISTER TRAINING AND FELLOWSHIP
PROGRAMS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS, the rapid urbanization of our Territory is causing heavier and heavier demands to be placed upon the government for improved and expanded public improvements and services necessary to the solution of critical physical, social, and economic problems in our communities; and

WHEREAS, our Territory is keenly concerned with problems of community development resulting from increasing urban population and increasing demand for public facilities and services required to serve urban growth; and

WHEREAS, one of the major handicaps faced by our communities is the lack of trained technical and professional personnel with skills needed for economic and efficient community development; and

WHEREAS, the sound development of our communities raises problems of increasing magnitude and the techniques for their solution lie in many fields, i. e., neighborhood conservation, code enforcement, waste disposal, land survey, transportation, public facility programming, land assessment; and

WHEREAS, Title VIII of the Housing Act of 1968, P.L. 90-448, 20 USCA 801, as amended, authorizes Federal financial assistance to support training needed in connection with community development problems; and

WHEREAS, the Act requires as one of the conditions to Federal financial assistance that the Territory have an approved plan which, among other things, designates an officer or agency of the Territorial government who has responsibility and authority for the administration of a Territory-wide training program as the officer or agency with responsibility and authority for the execution of the Territorial program to be assisted under Title VIII of the Act;

