

APPENDIX D – GENERAL RESEARCH QUESTIONS BY RESPONDENT GROUPS

General Questions for Renters	1. How do you define recovery after a disaster?
	2. What are the main barriers to recovery?
Focused Questions for Renters	1. What disaster have you gone through? How did it affect you personally?
	2. What kind of housing did you have before the disaster?
	3. What were some challenges in finding housing after recovery?
	4. How long did it take you to recover and why? What were your immediate needs 3 months after disaster? What were your long term needs after a disaster?
	5. Did you receive assistance? If so, what kind, and from whom?
	6. Was the assistance you received enough to go back to your normal life? Explain.
	7. Please share any other information or comments.
Guiding Questions for Property Owners	1. Which hurricane(s) prompted your application for financial support or development funding [Hurricane Matthew] [Hurricane Irma] [Hurricane Michael]?
	2. If you owned properties that were damaged, which hurricane(s) were your properties impacted by [Hurricane Matthew] [Hurricane Irma] [Hurricane Michael]? Please describe in your own words key characteristics of the properties that were damaged (subsidies/low-income requirements, size of the properties, locational characteristics, etc.) and the nature of that damage.
	3. What sources of financial support did you apply to?
	4. What influenced your decision to apply for each of those financial support sources?
	5. What did you like about the application process for each of those financial support?
	6. What challenges did you face in the application process for each of those financial support sources? How did you resolve those challenges?
	7. Which sources approved your request for financial support?
	8. If you were approved for financial support, what steps did you take to manage the process of utilizing it? Did you use any outside support, like consultants or technical advising?
	9. What specifically did you spend your loans and/or grants on? What specific supportive resources, repairs, or property developments?
	10. What challenges did you face in utilization of financial support sources? How did you resolve those challenges?
	11. How long did the repair or development process take?
	12. Where did tenants go post-disaster, and/or while renovations were made?
	13. If tenants were relocated, did the same tenants return once repairs were made? Were tenants who came to occupy new or repaired units survivors of a disaster (were they asked?)?