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March 15, 2023

Community Development Block Grant Program-CARES Act Funding
(CDBG-CV)

PUBLIC HEARING & 30-DAY COMMENT PERIOD NOTICE

Amendment #4 to 2019/2020 Action Plan - PY September 1, 2019 – August 31, 2020

Notice of Change in Funding Allocation for the CDBG-CV funding in the 2019 Action Plan as a part of the City of Columbus 2019-2023 Consolidated Plan – Substantial Amendment #4

The City of Columbus is providing public notice of the intent to amend the PY2019 Action Plan and the 2019-2023 Columbus Consolidated Plan. The substantial amendment will reallocate funding within the PY2019 CDBG-CV allocation to reflect CARES Act supplemental CDBG funding (CDBG-CV) need for the rehabilitation of an Emergency Residential Shelter. The reallocation of funding categories for CDBG-CV to prevent, prepare for or respond to the Coronavirus Pandemic amendment includes benefit that will provide funds for Public Facilities: rehab to a facility serving as an Emergency Residential Shelter serving victims of domestic violence to meet increased need created by the pandemic (increased from \$149,000 to \$187,367.67). The reallocation will reduce the Public Services allocation (\$38,367.67). The total CARES Act supplemental CDBG -CV funding reallocated is \$38,367.67 from Public Services to Public Facilities.

The city will hold a public hearing concerning the reallocation of CDBG-CV funding. The **Public Hearing will be held Wednesday, March 29, 2023, at 10:00 a.m., Columbus City Hall-Community Development Conference Room, 123 Washington Street, Columbus, Indiana. Citizens and organizations also have the opportunity to join the public hearing virtually through Webex as follows:**

Join from the meeting link

<https://cityofcolumbusin.webex.com/cityofcolumbusin/j.php?MTID=m1610ef856feb61b0b12db98797be6b63>

Join by meeting number

Meeting number (access code): 2301 136 2637

Meeting password: 49JPp9CmMqW

Tap to join from a mobile device (attendees only)

[+1-415-655-0001](tel:+1-415-655-0001).,[23011362637##](tel:+1-415-655-0001) US Toll

Join by phone

+1-415-655-0001 US Toll

Join from a video system or application

Dial [23011362637](tel:+1-415-655-0001)@cityofcolumbusin.webex.com

You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.

If you are a citizen in need of reasonable accommodations to attend and participate in a public meeting, are mobility, visual or hearing-impaired or non-English speaking, we request you contact the Community

Development Department at 812.376.2520 at least 3 days prior to the public meeting. Please indicate the accommodation you are requesting. Every reasonable effort will be made to comply with your request. Si necesita información en español, por favor de llamar al 812.376.2520.

The draft Amendment #4 to the City of Columbus PY 2019 Annual Action Plan may be found at the following locations:

- Columbus City Hall – Community Development Department (123 Washington Street)
- Columbus City Hall – Clerk-Treasurer’s Office (123 Washington Street)
- Bartholomew County Public Library (536 5th Street)
- Mill Race Center (900 Lindsey Street)
- Online at the Columbus Community Development Department website (<https://www.columbus.in.gov/community-development/cdbg-information/>)

In addition to the public hearing, the substantial amendment to the PY 2019 CDBG for the CDBG-CV funds allocations will be posted at <https://www.columbus.in.gov/community-development/cdbg-information/>, be available through Columbus City Hall – Community Development Department Office by calling 812.376.2520, or copies may be requested via email to Robin Hilber, Assistant Director of Community Development - rhilber@columbus.in.gov. The public may comment on the amendments beginning on March 15, 2023. Public comments will be accepted beginning at 8:00 am, March 15, 2023, through 5:00 pm April 14, 2023. Comments may be made in writing, via email, or by phone. Citizen comments may be sent to: Robin Hilber, Assistant Director of Community Development, 123 Washington St, Columbus, IN 47201; Email rhilber@columbus.in.gov; Phone 812.376.2520.

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