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Notice of Funding Availability, Public Hearings and Public Comment Period for CDBG and HOME Program Year 2022 (City Fiscal Year 2023) Funding and Annual Action Plan

The City of Malden will conduct public hearings regarding the City's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program and the North Suburban Consortium (NSC)'s Home Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program Year 2022 (City Fiscal Year 2023) funding. The City's Office of Strategic Planning and Community Development (OSPCD) administers both programs, which are funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The NSC's HOME program covers the communities of Arlington, Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Revere and Winthrop.

The City has established a schedule for Program Year 2022, including dates for CDBG applications, public hearings/community meetings, and the Annual Action Plan. While CDBG applications have set deadlines, HOME applications are rolling throughout the year.

January 19, 2022: CDBG Applications Available, online at cityofmalden.org.

January 26, 2022: Community Meeting #1, at 6:00pm via Zoom. The meeting includes an overview of the programs and public input on community needs, including priorities for housing, addressing homelessness, neighborhood preservation and revitalization, and economic empowerment.

February 1, 2022: CDBG Application Technical Support, at 6:00pm via Zoom. This meeting is for potential CDBG applicants to seek and receive assistance in completing their CDBG applications.

February 21, 2022: CDBG Applications Due by 5:00pm to mtaylor@cityofmalden.org.

March 15, 2022: Public Comment Period Begins. The draft Annual Action Plan, including the CDBG and HOME budgets, will be available for review and public comment at cityofmalden.org from March 15 to April 15. Comments may be emailed to apratt@cityofmalden.org or sent in writing to OSPCD, 215 Pleasant Street, Third Floor, Malden, MA 02148, Attn: Alex Pratt.

March 23, 2022: Community Meeting #2, at 6:00pm via Zoom. The public meeting includes discussion of and public feedback on the draft Annual Action Plan, including the CDBG and HOME budgets.

April 15, 2022: Public Comment Period Ends.

May 15, 2022: Annual Action Plan Submitted to HUD. The Annual Action Plan must be approved by the City Council and submitted to HUD no later than May 15.

July 1, 2022: Program Year 2022 Begins.

Zoom information will be available on cityofmalden.org in advance of the community meetings. For more information contact Community Development Director Alex Pratt at apratt@cityofmalden.org.



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