

**PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF DELANO**

**10 DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD AND FINAL PUBLIC HEARING
FOR THE PROPOSED SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE
2019-2020 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on **February 16th, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.**, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the City Council of the City of Delano will hold a Public Hearing at the **Delano City Hall, located at 1015 11th Avenue, Delano**, to consider the following actions:

Adoption of the City of Delano's substantial amendment to the following documents:

- **Citizen Participation Plan for the CDBG program**
- **FY 2019-2020 CDBG Annual Action Plan, covering July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020**

Language will be added to the respective documents to allow the City of Delano access to emergency CDBG funding (CDBG-CV) through the CARES Act to assist in ensuring a timely response to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Action Plan identifies the proposed use of the allocation of funds within the five-year Consolidated Plan cycle 2016-2021.

The release of this document is part of the City's efforts to fulfill federal Consolidated Plan citizen participation requirements to provide the public with reasonable access to the documents associated with the implementation of the Consolidated Plan.

The Substantial Amendment is available for public review on the City's website at <http://www.cityofdelano.org>.

Copies of the plan will be made available upon request and are free of charge.

The public review and comment period begin on February 8th, 2021 and will end February 16th, 2021. The City of Delano City Council will consider adoption of the Substantial Amendment and will provide an opportunity for public comment at their February 16th meeting.

Information regarding this item may be obtained in the office of the Economic Development Department, 1015 11th Avenue, Delano, California by appointment at (661) 720-2249. All interested persons are invited to present their views and comments on this matter. Written statements may be filed with the City Clerk at any time prior to the close of the hearing scheduled herein, and oral statements may be made at said hearing.

If you challenge the subject matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City Clerk, 1015 11th Avenue, Delano, CA, 93215, at or prior to the close of the public hearing.

Dated: 2-8-2021

Ricardo Chavez
City Clerk

AVISO PÚBLICO
CIUDAD de DELANO

PERIODO DE REVISION Y COMENTARIO PÚBLICO DE 10 DIAS
Y AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA PARA ADOPCION DE ENMIENDA SUSTANCIAL AL PLAN DE
ACCION 2019-2020

Por este medio se avisa al público que el 16 de Febrero, 2021 a las 5:30 p.m., o cuando el contenido pueda ser escuchado, el Concilio de la Ciudad de Delano llevara acabo una Audiencia Publica en la cámara del concilio de la ciudad, 1015 11th Avenue, Delano, CA, para considerar las siguientes acciones:

Adopción de Enmienda Sustancial a los siguientes documentos:

- **Plan de Participación del Ciudadano del programa CDBG**
- **Plan de Acción de CDBG del año fiscal 2019-2020, cubriendo el primero de Junio, 2019 al 30 de Junio, 2020**

Lenguaje será agregado a los documentos respectivos para permitirle a la Ciudad de Delano acceso a fondos de (CDBG-CV) por el Acto de CARES para asistir en la respuesta a tiempo al impacto de la pandemia COVID-19.

El Plan de Acción identifica el uso propuesto de asignación de estos fondos dentro del ciclo de los cinco años del Plan Consolidado 2016-2021.

El lanzamiento de este documento es parte de los esfuerzos de la Ciudad para satisfacer requisitos federales de participación del Ciudadano del Plan Consolidado para proveer el público con acceso razonable a los documentos asociados con la implementación del Plan Consolidado.

La Enmienda Sustancial está disponible para revisión del publico en la página web de la Ciudad, <http://www.cityofdelano.org>.

Copias del plan serán disponibles cuando se pidan y serán gratuitas.

El periodo de revisión y comentario público empieza el día 8 de Febrero, 2021 y termina el 16 de Febrero, 2021. El Concilio de la Ciudad de Delano considerará adopción de la Enmienda Sustancial y proveerá una oportunidad para comentario publico en su junta el 16 de Febrero.

Información sobre este articulo puede ser obtenido en la oficina del Departamento de Desarrollo Económico, 1015 11th Avenue, Delano, California por cita al (661) 720-2249. Personas interesadas son invitadas a presentar sus opiniones y comentarios sobre esta materia. Declaraciones por escrito pueden ser sometidas con la Secretaria Municipal a cualquier hora antes del cierre de la audiencia antedicha y declaraciones orales pueden ser hechas en la audiencia.

Si desafia este contenido en la corte, pudiera ser limitado en plantear solo los puntos que usted o alguien mas planteo en la audiencia pública descrita en este aviso o en la correspondencia escrita entregada a la Secretaria Municipal de la Ciudad de Delano, 1015 Avenida Once, Delano, CA 93215, en o antes de la audiencia publica.

Fecha: 2-8-2021
Ricardo Chavez
Secretario Municipal

Substantial Amendments

On March 27, 2020, Congress passed the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. The Act identified additional funding for both the Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) and the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) to allow jurisdictions to prevent, prepare for, and respond to community impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. HUD's distribution plan for the additional funding included multiple phases that would allow for quick access to funding necessary to address the immediate crisis resulting from the rising pandemic, as well as phases that would support post-pandemic community recovery. This Substantial Amendment includes planning for the first and subsequent phases (if any).

On August 17th, 2020, the City amended the FY 2019-2020 Action Plan and Citizen Participation Plan for the CDBG program to receive and allocate the CDBG-CV funds for the public facility improvement program as a means of slowing and preventing the spread of the Coronavirus. In response to the changing needs of the community facing the challenges presented by the pandemic, the City is amending the FY 2019-2020 Action Plan to reallocate the CDBG-CV funds from public facility improvement to the Utility Assistance program. This document represents the Substantial Amendment for this reallocation.

FY 2019 Annual Action Plan (October 1, 2019 through September 2020)

Executive Summary

AP-05 Executive Summary - 24 CFR 91.200(c), 91.220(b)

Introduction

On March 27, 2020, Congress passed the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. The Act identified additional funding for the Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Program and the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program to allow jurisdictions to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the community impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The distribution plan of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the additional funding includes multiple phases: an initial phase that would allow for quick access to funding necessary to address the immediate crisis resulting from the rising pandemic, as well as later phases that would support post-pandemic community recovery.

The 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan (AP) is being amended to incorporate additional funding in the initial phase of HUD's CARES Act resource distribution plan.

AP-12 Participation - 91.115, 91.300(c)

Summary of citizen participation process/Efforts made to broaden citizen participation

The draft AP Amendment is available for comment from all interested members of the public from February 8th to February 15th, 2020. The draft AP Amendment and the public notice document are available for review on the City of Delano website at: www.cityofdelano.org A public notice of the availability of document for review and the public hearing was published in the Bakersfield newspaper.

Please submit written comments to Ana Fernandez at AFernandez@CityofDelano.org

Comments may also be mailed to:

Ana Fernandez
 Economic Development
 City of Delano
 1015 11th Ave.
 Delano, Ca 93215

AP-15 Expected Resources – 91.320(c) (1,2)

Introduction

This amendment covers the additional funding source:

- The City of Delano is entitled to receive one-time funding for the following program authorized under the CARES Act for Coronavirus response - Community Development Block Grant CARES Act Stimulus (CDBG-CV).

Anticipated Resources

Based on the award letter received in September, the City is allocated a one-time CDBG-CV funding of \$572,664 to address the impacts and prevent the spread of the Coronavirus.

Program	Source of Funds	Uses of Funds	Expected Amount Available Year 1				Expected Amount Available Remainder of ConPlan	Narrative Description
			Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$		
CDBG-CV	Public-Federal	Acquisition Admin and Planning Economic Development Housing Public Improvements Public Services	\$572,664	\$0	\$0	\$572,664	\$0	One-Time Award of funding - CARES Act, March 2020

AP-20 Annual Goals and Objectives – 91.320(c)(3) &(e)

Goals Summary Information

The figures below represent estimates of allocation goals and objectives for the additional funding provided under the CARES Act. These figures are determined by the funding recipients' priority needs.

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
2	Public Services	2016	2021	Non-Housing Community Development	-	Public Services	CDBG-CV: \$572,664	

AP-38 Project Summary

Project Summary Information

6	Project Name	CDBG-CV Utility Program
	Target Area	Citywide
	Goals Supported	support public services activities
	Needs Addressed	Public Services
	Funding	CDBG-CV: \$572,664
	Description	The City will use the CDBG-CV funds for utility assistance
	Target Date	6/30/2021
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	An estimated 25,620 low- and moderate-income residents and seniors could benefit from this activity.
	Location Description	Citywide
	Planned Activities	Utility assistance for low and moderate income or senior-headed household.