PUBLIC NOTICE

City of Rocklin CDBG Program Notice of Annual Planning and Request for Public Comment

The City of Rocklin is currently planning for the use of fiscal year 2024-25 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program funds. CDBG funds are made available to the City as an entitlement authorized by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The City has yet to be notified of its actual 2024-25 award. The City expects to receive an amount roughly equal to the 2023-24 award of \$285,000. The City of Rocklin is required to submit an Annual Action Plan to the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The Action Plan provides information on the needs of low- and moderate-income residents and eligible target areas of the City during the period between July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2025. The Plan also describes the activities that the City will undertake to meet those needs with the limited funding. Should the actual award amount differ from the current estimate, the City will make proportional adjustments to all areas of allocation.

By this Notice the City is publishing the planning calendar for 2024-25 CDBG funds and providing the public with notice of opportunities for comment on the use of CDBG funds.

On December 28, 2023 the City published a Draft 2024-25 Action Plan.

The City will accept public comment on the draft Action Plan until 4:00 p.m. February 4, 2024. The draft Plan is available during normal business hours at City Hall at 3970 Rocklin Road and on the City's website <u>www.rocklin.ca.us</u> (public hearing notices page) <u>https://www.rocklin.ca.us/public-hearing-notices.</u>

The City Council is scheduled to hold a Public Hearing during its regularly scheduled meeting on March 12, 2024 beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at the Rocklin City Hall located at 3970 Rocklin Road, Rocklin, 95677 to solicit public comments on the draft Annual Action Plan. (See in person and virtual hearing participation information toward the end of this notice).

The City Council is also scheduled to hold a Public Hearing during its regularly scheduled meeting on April 23, 2024 beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at the Rocklin City Hall located at 3970 Rocklin Road, Rocklin, 95677) to consider the adoption of the final Annual Action Plan.

The City will submit the Action Plan to HUD for review and approval on or before May 15, 2024.

Public comment on the Action Plan during the public review period (December 28, 2023 through February 4, 2024) must be addressed to:

Elizabeth Sorg, Management Analyst Office of the City Manager 3970 Rocklin Road, Rocklin, CA 95677 housing@rocklin.ca.us (916) 625-5592

Persons who wish to comment at City Council meetings should speak to the item on the agenda at the time it is considered. City Council agenda are published at http://www.rocklin.ca.us/city-council. Dates in this notice are subject to change.

Any person interested in this item may contact the Housing Staff prior to the meeting date, during regular business hours, Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., or by phoning (916) 625-5592 for further information. Agenda information including staff reports, resolutions, and exhibits are typically available the Wednesday prior to the public hearing date on the City website (http://www.rocklin.ca.us/agendas-and-minutes).

The public may listen to audio or view the meeting via live stream at https://www.rocklin.ca.us/agendas-minutes.

The public is welcome to attend in person or participate virtually.

For those that do not plan on attending in person, but wish to make a public comment during the meeting, public comments will be accepted in email form up until 3:00 p.m. on the meeting day. Public comments should be submitted to the City Clerk at PublicComments@rocklin.ca.us. Emailed public comments will be distributed to Council and treated as a public record.

Those wishing to make a public comment in person, although not required, speakers are requested to complete a speaker card and present to the City Clerk.

This meeting will also be offered via Zoom Webinar and the public is welcome to make a public comment through Zoom (see full instructions on the Agendas for each meeting).

Court challenges to any public hearing items may be limited to only those issues which are raised at the public hearing described in the notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City at or prior to the public hearing. (Government Code §65009) The City of Rocklin and the State of California does not discriminate in housing or employment on the basis of race, religion, sex, age, national origin, or handicap. The location of the public meeting is fully accessible to mobility impaired individuals.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Rocklin encourages those with disabilities to participate fully in the public hearing process. If you have special needs in order to allow you to attend or participate in this public hearing process, please contact our office at 625-5592 or by email at **meetingcomments@rocklin.ca.us** so that we may make every reasonable effort to accommodate you.