

Notice of Public Hearing & Public Comment Period for Community Development Block Grant Funding

On Friday, July 16, 2021, the City of Missouri City will release a draft of its PY 2021 Annual Action Plan for the HUD Community Development Block Grant Program. Residents will have 30 days to review and submit comments before the Plans are submitted to HUD for approval. In addition, the City will hold a public hearing to explain the Community Development Block Grant Program and give all Missouri City residents an opportunity to voice opinions on the City's Annual Action Plan. The Action Plan outlines how we plan to spend our PY 2021 funds. We would like to hear your comments on the CDBG program.

All interested parties are invited to speak on the subject of CDBG and the PY 202 Annual Action Plan at the public hearing on:

Monday, July 19, 2021 (1st Public Hearing)
Monday, August 2, 2021 (2nd Public Hearing/Final Action)
7:00 PM
Community Center
1522 Texas Parkway
Missouri City, Texas

Residents may also send comments on or before August 13, 2021 to the City of Missouri City's Development Services Department at 1522 Texas Parkway, Missouri City, TX 77489 (Attention: CDBG). Residents may fax their comments to the City at (281) 403-8962, or email comments to CDBG@missouricitytx.gov.

CDBG Program Background

The national objective of the CDBG program is to develop viable urban communities by providing decent housing, a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities principally for low and moderate-income persons. At least 71% of CDBG funds must be used for activities that benefit low and moderate-income persons. CDBG goals include:

1. Improving the urban environment in low and moderate income areas;
2. Eliminating blighting influences and the deterioration of property, neighborhoods and public facilities in low and moderate-income areas; and
3. Ensuring decent, safe, sanitary housing for low and moderate-income residents.

Eligible activities include but are not limited to: public facility construction and improvements; handicapped accessibility; operational funding for non-profit agencies servicing primarily low income persons; rehabilitation of owner-occupied housing; housing development assistance, enforcement of City codes; clearance and demolition; infrastructure improvements; business development and job creation activities.

Note: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, this facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for special accommodations or interpretive services must be made at least 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact the Development Services Department at 281-403-8541 or by Fax 281-208-8962. Specific information is available at City Hall, 1522 Texas Pkwy., Missouri City, Texas, Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, by appointment or you may call 281-403-8541, or you may visit the website at: <http://www.missouricitytx.gov/251/CDBG>