



2016 CONSOLIDATED PLAN ACTION PLAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

WHEN: Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. in City Council Chambers, 350 South Fifth Street before the Community Development & Regulatory Services Committee

PURPOSE: To receive comments on the City's Proposed 2016 Consolidated Plan Action Plan for CDBG, HOME, ESG, and HOPWA federal entitlement funding.

Dear Interested Individual/Agency:

You are invited to comment on Minneapolis' proposed FY 2016 Consolidated Plan Action Plan. The Action Plan covers the City's application for 2016 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), Emergency Solutions Grant Program (ESG), and the Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) federal entitlement funding.

The Consolidated Plan Action Plan is an application to the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) articulating the City's housing and community development strategies for low- and moderate-income residents at or below 80 percent of the metropolitan median income level.

We invite your participation by speaking at the hearing and/or submitting written comments before, during, or after the hearing on April 5, 2016. To have your name placed on the Public Hearing Speakers List, call (612) 673-2219. Please indicate if you will require any accessibility assistance or interpreter/translation services.

On April 16, 2016, the City will submit the 2016 Consolidated Plan Action Plan to HUD. It will include the 2016 budget for the HUD entitlement funds the City expects to receive beginning June 1, 2016.

Listed below are HUD's entitlement amounts for the 2016 Consolidated Plan Action Plan:

<u>Entitlement Program</u>	<u>2016 HUD Appropriation</u>
CDBG	\$10,248,621
HOME	\$2,030,982
ESG	\$940,966
HOPWA	\$1,055,095

If you wish to review the 2016 Action Plan, it is available for review at the Office of Grants & Special Projects (307M City Hall), at all Minneapolis public libraries, offices of Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid, and on the web at http://www.minneapolismn.gov/grants/grants_consolidated-plan.

If you are unable to attend this public hearing, or if you have any questions on the Consolidated Plan, you may send comments to:

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Written comments will be accepted during the 30-day public comment period of March 14 - April 13, 2016. Comments will be included in the Plan submitted to HUD.

The City can provide Consolidated Plan materials in alternative formats. For reasonable accommodations or alternative formats please contact Matt Bower.

People who are deaf or hard of hearing can use a relay service to call 311 at 612-673-3000. TTY users call 612-673-2157 or 612-673-2626.

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