FY 2019/2020 CDBG Briefing & 2019/2024 Consolidated Plan Briefing

City Council Meeting September 19, 2018

FY 2019/20 CDBG:

- Riverside County EDA sent out its Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) in Aug. 2018.
- > Shortly thereafter, EDA notified the City Manager that they wanted to give the city our full FY 19/20 funding of \$125,239 now instead of waiting until after July 2019.
- > The is advancement of future funds would be applied immediately to the Sedco Sidewalk construction project so the city could finish Phase 1 by April 2019.
- The caveat was that there would be no City CDBG funds available for non-profit organizations...typically 14% (\$17,500 +/-) for FY 2019/20.

FY 2019/20 CDBG:

- Council could choose to fund (\$17,500) our CDBG non-profit groups via a "one-time" general fund allocation (from our "reserve account") as part of the city's FY 2019/20 budget cycle (to begin in Q4 of FY 2018/19).
- > Procedurally, staff would open a 30-day application period (i.e., March 1, 2019 +/-) where each non-profit organization could submit an application (similar to the CDBG process).
- > The applications would be evaluated and then presented to the Council as part of their FY 19/20 "Decision Packages."
- > Council could then decide which group to fund in a manner similar to the usual CDBG process.
- > The City would then go back to the standard CDBG process for FY 2020/21.

FY 2019/2024 Consolidated Plan Process:

- > The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is asking the County EDA to also prepare its 5-Year CDBG Consolidated Plan (FY 2019/2024).
- As a "Cooperating City" under the CDBG program, EDA is asking Wildomar to participate in the consolidated plan process.
- > The purpose of the city's involvement will be to assess our own community development needs (such as affordable housing, social services, economic development community facilities).
- > This will help EDA identify available resources and establishing priority projects and activities using HUD funding over the next five years.

FY 2019/2024 Consolidated Plan Process:

- > EDA has told the City the process is primarily accomplished through the resident needs assessment survey and holding public meetings (like tonight) so folks can provide Council verbal feedback on the CDBG program.
- EDA has approved our approach so beginning tomorrow (Sept. 19th through Oct. 22nd), Wildomar residents will have an opportunity to complete a "Resident Needs Survey" which is up and running on our webpage.
- > A link has been provided to the EDA website where residents can complete the survey online anytime during this period. All information will go directly to EDA for evaluation.

Screen-Shot of EDA's webpage for the Needs Assessment Survey



The County of Riverside is in the process of preparing the 2019-2024 Consolidated Plan as required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). This Resident Needs Assessment Survey is used to obtain input from County residents and other interested persons regarding affordable housing, community development, economic development, and other needs of County residents. The Consolidated Plan allows the County to utilize the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG), and HOME Investment Partnership Act (HOME) funds within the County.

ASSESSMENT RESIDENT SURVEY

Your responses to these survey questions are an essential component of the County's planning process. Should you need assistance or have questions regarding the survey, please contact the Economic Development Agency at 951-343-5618, 1-800-984-1000, or by email at: edearen@rivco.org.

* Required

Email address *

Your email

Zip Code *
Residential Address Zip Code

Your answer

FY 2019/2024 Consolidated Plan Process:

- Paper copies of the survey can also be filled-out and returned to the City. Paper copies have been placed at City Hall lobby, Mission Trial Library, and here in the Chambers (for tonight's meeting).
- > Public participation at Council is required in this process so staff has identified tonight's meeting (9/19) and the October 10, 2018 meeting as dates where residents can express ideas and identify concerns that could be addressed via the CDBG program.
- > A final Council meeting will be held on November 14th where staff will present a summary of the Consolidated Plan process and the surveys received.
- > All paper copies of surveys received at city hall will be provided to EDA by the December 14 deadline, which will then conclude the Consolidated Plan process.....