

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Wallingford will conduct a public hearing by the Town Council on Wednesday, February 13, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the Robert F. Parisi Council Chambers, located at 45 South Main Street, Wallingford, CT to discuss the Fiscal Year 2019 Small Cities CDBG Program Application and to solicit citizen input.

Maximum award limits: Up to \$1,500,000 for Public Housing Modernization (including predevelopment and construction); Up to \$800,000 for Housing Rehabilitation Program, Up to \$1,000,000 for Infrastructure (e.g. streets and sidewalks); Up to \$350,000 for Public Services (Youth Homelessness and Shelter Diversion programs in participation with CAN); and Up to \$1,000,000 for Public Facilities (e.g. construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation or installation of public facilities and improvements and fire protection equipment).

Major activity categories are: Acquisition, Housing Rehabilitation, Public Housing Modernization, Community Facilities, Public Services, and Economic Development. Projects funded with CDBG allocations must meet at least one of three National Objectives: benefit to low and moderate income persons, elimination of slums and blight, or meeting urgent community development needs.

The purpose of the public hearing is to obtain citizens' views on the Town's community development and housing needs and review and discuss specific project activities in the areas of housing, economic development or community facilities which could be a part of the Town's Application for funding for the year 2019. In addition, the hearing will also review and discuss the Town's prior Small Cities CDBG 2016 and 2017 projects, which have concluded.

The public hearing will give citizens an opportunity to make their comments known on the program and review and discussion of the Program Income Reuse Plan. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the Town of Wallingford, Mayor's Office, 45 South Main Street, Wallingford, CT 06492 or you may telephone Mr. William W. Dickinson Jr., Mayor at 203-294-2070. In addition, information may be obtained at the above address between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm weekdays.

The Town is proposing to submit an Application under the Public Housing Modernization category for rehabilitation of and ADA safety improvements at the John Savage Commons Housing Complex. The Town of Wallingford anticipates applying for up to the maximum grant amount of up to \$1,500,000 under Public Housing Modernization.

The Town of Wallingford promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low- and moderate-income households, regardless of, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, marital status, age, lawful source of income, familial status, learning disability, or physical/mental disability, or sexual orientation.

Todos estan invitados a asistir. La audicion es accesible para personas discapacitadas. Cualquier persona discapacitado que requiere especial asistencia o si tiene dificultad entendiendo Ingles por favor llame a Vanessa Bautista (203) 294-2065 cinco dias antes de la audiencia para acomodar su necesidad.

"All are encouraged to attend. The hearing is accessible to the handicapped. Any disabled persons requiring special assistance or non-English speaking persons should contact Joan Stave, ADA Coordinator at 203-294-2070 at least five days prior to the hearing."

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