Harris County Community Services Department ANNUAL ACTION PLAN AMENDMENTS PUBLIC NOTICE

March 14, 2016

The U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires that Harris County develop a 3- to 5-year strategy document which states the community development and housing needs of the jurisdiction and annually submits, in a single application for funding, its request for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG) and HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program funds. Other funding addressed includes Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP) I and III and Community Development Block Grant – Disaster (CDBG-D) funds. This strategy document is called the Consolidated Plan, and the single application for funding is called the Annual Action Plan (AAP). When significant changes occur to the Consolidated Plan and subsequent AAPs, Harris County must propose amendments to be reviewed by the public for a 30-day comment period. The Harris County Community Services Department (HCCSD) proposes the following amendment:

2016 CDBG Funding:

Project 2016-0012 Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults – TRIAD Truancy Learning Camp (Countywide) – De-obligate \$42,022.00 in 2016 CDBG Funds. Total project funding, including previously awarded amounts, will be \$0.00.

2015 CDBG Funding:

Project 2014-0039 Harris County Precinct 2 – Swea Gardens Water Improvements (Precinct 2) – Obligate \$206,420.00 in 2015 CDBG funds. Total project funding, including previously awarded amounts, will be \$596,238.95.

Project 2015-0035 Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 36 – Wastewater Lift Station Improvements Phase II (Precinct 2) – *Project Scope Revision* – To remove the third activity, which is assisting low-income owners with the cost of repairing their leaking service lines by emphasizing, providing assistance, and financial support for those willing to provide matching resources. Revised scope will be: Improve the wastewater collection and pumping system to include: 1. Continuing smoke testing and repair of the broken and damaged collection lines. 2. Reduce infiltration rates. 3. Smoke testing all remaining District areas north and south (out of District) of the District and Quality Assurance retesting added for repaired wastewater lines. 4. Improvements to lift station flow monitoring, security, alarms, lighting and odor control.

2015, 2014 and 2013 HOME Funding:

Project 2015-0034 Tejano Center for Community Concerns Inc. - Sunrise Orchard Apartments (Precinct 1) - Deobligate \$461,617.10 in 2013 HOME CHDO funds, deobligate \$930,145.53 in 2014 HOME CHDO funds, deobligate \$293,229.09 in 2015 HOME CHDO funds. Total project funding, including previously awarded amounts, will be \$50,000.00.

Public Comment

Citizen comments regarding proposed amendments will be accepted prior to April 12, 2016, at HCCSD, 8410 Lantern Point, Houston, Texas, 77054, (713) 578-2000.