

Harris County Community Services Department
ANNUAL ACTION PLAN AMENDMENTS
PUBLIC NOTICE

April 23, 2018

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 amendments:

2017 ESG Funding:

Project C2017-0035d Houston Area Women’s Center – Domestic Violence Emergency Shelter (Countywide) – Obligate \$14,021.00 in 2017 ESG funds. *Scope Change* – Revised Scope: In addition to the Current Scope, Houston Area Women's Center will also provide emergency shelter for an additional 375 unduplicated women and children. Additional services will provide clients with nutritional meals. Total project funding including previously awarded amounts will be \$62,256.00.

Project C2017-0035f The Bridge Over Troubled Waters - Emergency Housing Project (Countywide) - Obligate \$14,022.00 in 2017 ESG funds. *Scope Change* – Revised Scope: In addition to the Current Scope, The Bridge Over Troubled Waters will also provide day and overnight emergency shelter for an additional 200 unduplicated adults and children. Additional services will provide clients with nutritional meals during their stay at the emergency shelter. Total project funding including previously awarded amounts will be \$82,623.00.

Public Comment

Citizen comments regarding the proposed amendment will be accepted before May 22, 2018, at HCCSD, 8410 Lantern Point, Houston, Texas, 77054, (713) 578-2000.