

Harris County Community Services Department

**ANNUAL ACTION PLAN AMENDMENTS
PUBLIC NOTICE**

December 5, 2022

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 the Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP) I and III and Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR), Community Development Block Grant – Coronavirus (CDBG-CV) and Emergency Solutions Grants – Coronavirus (ESG-CV) 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:

Program Year 2022 Extension/Program Year Change

Harris County Community Services Department (HCCSD), as a U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) designated entitlement community is extending its current program year 2022 to end September 30, 2023 to bring into effect the new program year October 1st through September 30th subsequently, the program year for 2023 will begin October 1, 2023 and end September 30, 2024 as found on the public notice draft of Annual Action Plan PY2023 dated November 23, 2022. The goal of the revision is to align our department with that of Harris County's fiscal year. The county will continue to administer funds to organizations that promote decent, affordable housing, create suitable living environments, and expand economic opportunities.

Public Comment

Comments regarding the proposed amendment will be accepted beginning Monday, December 5th at 8:00 am through Monday, January 9th, 2023, at 5:00 pm. Harris County residents may choose to submit comments by either or all of the three (3) methods listed: email at rfp@csd.hctx.net, by phone or voicemail at (832) 927-4700, by mail or in person at Harris County Community Services Department (HCCSD), 8410 Lantern Point Drive, Houston, Texas, 77054.