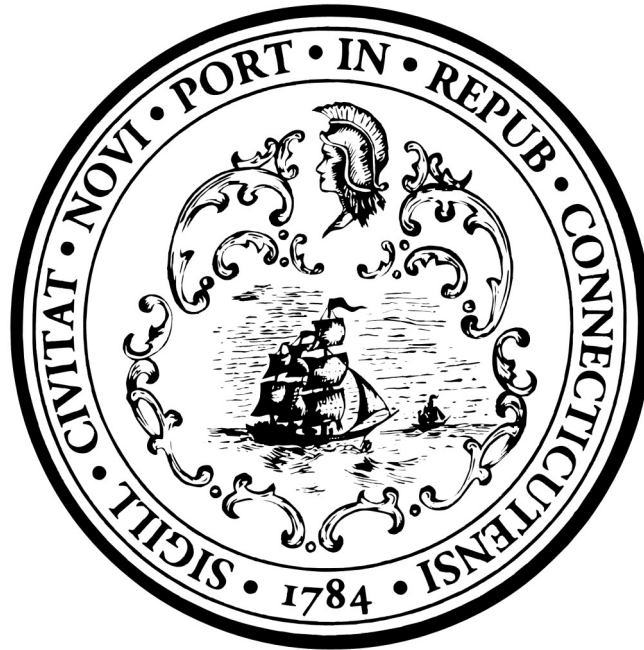


City of New Haven



Program Year 2022-2023 Annual Action Plan

July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023

Executive Summary

AP-05 Executive Summary - 24 CFR 91.200(c), 91.220(b)

1. Introduction

The City of New Haven Consolidated Plan for Housing & Community Development: 2020-2024 is both a plan and strategy for addressing housing and non-housing community development needs with federal Consolidated Plan funding. The plan was developed in accordance with 24CFR Part 91. The City receives four (4) grants on an annual entitlement basis through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). These grants include the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) and the Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA). The grant programs are designed to principally benefit very low, low- and moderate-income persons and individuals with special housing needs.

The overall goal of HUD's community planning and development programs is to develop viable urban communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities principally for low- and moderate-income persons. This goal is consistent with the City's primary goal and mission—which is the revitalization of the City and the empowerment of its residents neighborhood by neighborhood. This goal will be achieved through the support of new development and redevelopment, expansion of housing opportunity (I'M Home Initiative), provision of infrastructure and public facility improvements, and the delivery and support of public services, workforce development and economic growth.

The City's Consolidated Plan includes descriptions of the City's housing and community development needs; a strategy and plan which includes goals, priorities, and activities to meet projected needs over a five-year period; and a one-year action plan which describes the City's projected use of funds for the upcoming program year covering the July 1 to June 30 time period. The City will prepare a new Action Plan every year to describe programs and activities to be funded with its CDBG, HOME, HOPWA and ESG appropriations.

2. Summarize the objectives and outcomes identified in the Plan

This could be a restatement of items or a table listed elsewhere in the plan or a reference to another location. It may also contain any essential items from the housing and homeless needs assessment, the housing market analysis or the strategic plan.

As part of its Consolidated Plan update process, the City, through a collaborative effort, re-evaluated the policies, goals and objectives that had been driving its housing and community development programs

and the allocation of its HUD resources. Most of the overarching goals remain the same, however new focus areas are now part of the City's strategy. The strategy has been revised to coincide with the availability of funding, municipal staffing, and the purposes of HUD's Consolidated Planning Programs.

Program year 2022 is the third year of the 5-Year Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development. The goals and initiatives of the City of New Haven continue to encourage decent, safe and affordable housing and the improvement and revitalization of neighborhoods; betterment of City residents through programs that positively enrich, educate and improve standards of living; promotion of healthier lifestyles and overall wellness; improvement to employability; and increased job creation.

The City's objectives for meeting its Consolidated Plan housing and community development needs over the five-year Consolidated Plan Strategy Period are outlined in the Strategic Plan SP-25 Priority Needs section of the full Five-Year Consolidated Plan document and are summarized below.

- To Preserve and Improve Existing Housing Stock
- To Create Safe, Supportive & Affordable Housing
- To Provide a Continuum of Supportive Housing
- To Improve Access to Homeownership
- To Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
- To Stabilize Neighborhoods
- To Support Neighborhood Revitalization
- To Provide Accessibility Improvements
- To Provide Facility and Infrastructure Improvements
- To Address Community Health Issues
- To Provide Public Service Programming
- To Promote Education & Economic Advancement
- To Provide Administrative Support for Housing and Community Development Activities

3. Evaluation of past performance

This is an evaluation of past performance that helped lead the grantee to choose its goals or projects.

Each year the City is required to report on the progress of its Consolidated Plan in its Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER). The CAPER includes information on the City's CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA expenditures, program beneficiaries and accomplishment data. The report also includes a narrative requirement that summarize the City's programs and activities, housing projects completed and underway, accomplishments with its federal resources and a self-evaluation of its program performance. The City posts its annual CAPER report on the City website for public copying and review and provides, and keeps on file, printed copies of each document in the Main Library and in

the Office of Management and Budget in City Hall. Previously submitted CAPER reports are also available for viewing on the City website.

The COVID-19 Pandemic continues to affect not only how things are done locally but also on the state and national level as well. Social distancing and quarantine restrictions changed the way of life for all, affecting families, businesses, schools, and communities. Program implementation, community outreach and municipal services were also impacted by the pandemic.

The City will prepare its CAPER for the July 2021 – June 2022 program year over the next several months. This will be the 2nd CAPER under New Haven’s current Five-Year Consolidated Plan: 2020-2024. The 2021-2022 CAPER will include expenditure and beneficiary information for the city’s 4 entitlement grants CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA as well performance measures for CDBG-CV, ESG-CV and HOPWA-CV funds received through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, CARES Act.

Over the past Consolidated Plan Strategy Periods the City utilized its federal entitlement allocations to provide a variety of programs and services to benefit persons and households of low and moderate income and other special needs populations. With the resources provided, the City successfully met the majority of its measurable goals and objectives and needs as identified in the Strategic Plan portion of its Consolidated Plan. The City’s CAPER for the 2020-2021 Program Year, the 1st under the current five-year plan, also documented that the City successfully implemented its Consolidated Plan goals and objectives and had measurable accomplishments even with the constraints on programming due to the COVID pandemic.

4. Summary of Citizen Participation Process and consultation process

Summary from citizen participation section of plan.

The City prides itself in encouraging participation of its residents, non-profit housing and community development providers, and other community stakeholders in the development of plans and strategies to improve the City and each of its distinct neighborhoods. Throughout the year and as part of its Plan update the City seeks input and feedback on community needs, strategies and policies for future action and the development of its annual strategy to meet identified needs through the Annual Action Plan funding process. During the COVID-19 pandemic, the main form of public outreach has been through email and use of the City’s website. All public hearings were held virtually. The attached appendix contains information regarding the Citizen Participation process and outreach efforts conducted during the development of this Plan.

5. Summary of public comments

This could be a brief narrative summary or reference an attached document from the Citizen Participation section of the Con Plan.

Public comments were accepted throughout the PY 2022 Annual Action Plan process. City staff presented an informational webinar on December 7, 2021 with approximately 90 attendees. The New Haven Board of Alders (BOA) Community Development-Health and Human Services committee heard public testimony during 3 public hearings on April 28, 2022, May 18, 2022 and May 26, 2022. All meetings were recorded and are available for viewing on the BOA YouTube channel. Over 25 letters and emails were received in support of various activities.

6. Summary of comments or views not accepted and the reasons for not accepting them

No comments were rejected during the public comment period.

7. Summary

Through a thorough process of outreach to housing and social service providers, participation in the development of local and regional plans and studies, and a network of community input and involvement the city attempts to understand and present community conditions and needs. The goals and strategies, which guide the Five-Year Consolidated Planning process are the result of these community outreach and participation endeavors.

PR-05 Lead & Responsible Agencies – 91.200(b)

1. Agency/entity responsible for preparing/administering the Consolidated Plan

Describe the agency/entity responsible for preparing the Consolidated Plan and those responsible for administration of each grant program and funding source.

Agency Role		Name	Department/Agency
CDBG Administrator	NEW HAVEN	Office of Management & Budget/Economic Development	
HOPWA Administrator	NEW HAVEN	Community Services Administration	
HOME Administrator	NEW HAVEN	Livable City Initiative	
ESG Administrator	NEW HAVEN	Community Services Administration	

Table 1 – Responsible Agencies

Narrative (optional)

The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provides oversight of the Consolidated Plan development process. In this role, OMB has helped to structure a process of citizen participation, consultation, coordination, and cooperation to meet the statutory requirements of the plan development. To achieve its housing and community development goals, the City relies on several City departments and agencies, the Housing Authority, housing and public service providers, agencies meeting the needs of the homeless and special needs population, and other community partners.

Because programs under the Consolidated Plan address different community needs, several municipal departments play key roles in program implementation and oversight. The Livable City Initiative, charged with providing housing, promoting neighborhood revitalization, and eliminating blight in the community is key to the administration of both the HOME program and the housing and neighborhood improvement components of the CDBG program. The Community Services Administration (CSA) provides primary oversight of the administration of the ESG and HOPWA programs as well as the public and support service components of the CDBG Program. The CSA will also manage the HOME ARP funding and is the lead agency for that funding.

The Community Services Administrator and the Economic Development Administrator are tasked with providing administrative oversight and ensuring that various City departments and agencies maintain open communication and perform the tasks necessary to meet the City's housing and community development objectives.

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AP-10 Consultation – 91.100, 91.200(b), 91.215(I)

1. Introduction

The City of New Haven utilizes multiple methods to encourage participation in the development and implementation of its Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development programs. The main methods of outreach and collaboration include formal public meetings; round-table discussions of topical needs and programs to serve them; municipal outreach through neighborhood-based planning efforts; staff participation in regional, state and focus area plans and implementation techniques; open communication between the administration and its constituents; and the provision of guidance and request for feedback to and from area non-profits and service providers. These methods of consultation and outreach ensure that the city's strategy and implementation of its plan meet established goals and objectives.

During the COVID Pandemic HUD issued several waivers to grant municipalities flexibility in implementing their Consolidated Plan programs while under quarantine mandate and socially distancing. In terms of Citizen Participation, these waivers allowed for online or virtual public meetings, online postings of documents for public comment, and in some instances shorter public comment periods. The City revised its Citizen Participation Plan to reflect these changes and flexibilities. A copy of the Citizen Participation Plan is available for review on the City's website. The City will continue using some of these protocols during program year 2022.

A description of the Citizen Participation Process for the development of this plan is included in the Citizen Participation attachment.

Provide a concise summary of the jurisdiction's activities to enhance coordination between public and assisted housing providers and private and governmental health, mental health and service agencies (91.215(I))

The City of New Haven works with non-profit organizations, local community development organizations, state and local housing and service providers, and the local housing authority to plan for and effectively utilize resources to achieve housing and community development goals and meet identified needs. Through both formal and informal collaborations, the City networks and implements programs to directly meet the needs of its residents and regional housing and service needs. City staff are actively involved on committees, as part of consortiums and through administrative liaisons with housing and community service providers, as a means to stay abreast of evolving needs and strategies to meet identified needs. City involvement helps to improve the lines of communication between the various entities participating in the process of improving the City's housing and other community development programs.

Describe coordination with the Continuum of Care and efforts to address the needs of homeless persons (particularly chronically homeless individuals and families, families with children, veterans, and unaccompanied youth) and persons at risk of homelessness.

The City of New Haven is an active participant in the Greater New Haven Regional Alliance which is the leadership component of the Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (CAN) for addressing homelessness. The CAN is made up of providers of housing and services to people experiencing homelessness. Through the CAN, service providers work together to streamline and standardize the process for individuals and families to access assistance as required by the Federal HEARTH Act, which governs most of the federal and State of Connecticut Department of Housing funding communities receive to address homelessness. The primary goal of the CAN is to end homelessness by connecting families and individuals with appropriate housing and resources as quickly as possible.

Greater New Haven CAN (GNHCAN) coordinates regional efforts to eliminate chronic homelessness, homelessness for veterans, and homelessness for youth and families. The 19-municipality region includes Ansonia, Beacon Falls, Bethany, Branford, Derby, East Haven, Guilford, Hamden, Madison, Milford, New Haven, North Branford, North Haven, Orange, Oxford, Seymour, Shelton, West Haven, and Woodbridge. Agencies participating in the GNHCAN collaborate on and coordinate advocacy and homelessness prevention efforts with the provision of housing, employment opportunity, and support services to address homelessness. CAN participants include civic, religious, government, business, and not-for-profit leaders, in addition to other stakeholders.

The City of New Haven, in its efforts to eliminate chronic homelessness and provide supports to families and individuals faced with or at-risk of homelessness, works with GNHCAN member agencies and organizations to develop programs, strategies and solutions to address homelessness and its causes. Through program support, financial backing and strategic long-range planning the City works with member agencies to develop a coordinated and cohesive approach to assist those in need. City staff attend GNHCAN meetings and representatives from numerous GNHCAN agencies participated in round table discussions, needs analysis and plan development for the City's Consolidated Housing and Community Development Plan and Strategy. As needed, representatives from member agencies also assist the City in peer review of projects and applications for funding.

Describe consultation with the Continuum(s) of Care that serves the jurisdiction's area in determining how to allocate ESG funds, develop performance standards for and evaluate outcomes of projects and activities assisted by ESG funds, and develop funding, policies and procedures for the operation and administration of HMIS

Representatives from numerous GNHCAN agencies participate in round table discussions, needs analysis, and plan development for the City's Five-Year and Annual Consolidated Housing and Community Development Plan and Strategy. As needed, representatives from member agencies also assist the City in peer review of projects and applications for funding. Through active involvement and

collaboration, these efforts assist in determining how ESG and HOPWA funding is allocated, have developed consistent and relevant performance standards and outcome measurements, and have developed policies and procedures for the funding and administration of homelessness assistance programs. The City and all local participants in the Coordinated Access Network utilize the same HMIS software which simplifies data sharing, avoids duplication of services and allows for a better system to meet local needs.

2. Describe Agencies, groups, organizations and others who participated in the process and describe the jurisdiction’s consultations with housing, social service agencies and other entities

Table 2 – Agencies, groups, organizations who participated

1	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Office of Management and Budget
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Local Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Management and Oversight
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Office of Management and Budget provides oversight of the Consolidated Plan development process and manages budgeting, monitoring and reporting.
2	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Livable City Initiative
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Local Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Non-Homeless Special Needs Market Analysis Lead-based Paint Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Livable City Initiative is the city department responsible for managing housing development and rehabilitation efforts. Neighborhood revitalization activities and anti-blight efforts are also managed by LCI. Neighborhood Specialists are located within LCI. The neighborhood specialists are responsible for community outreach and neighborhood analysis and provide linkage between city neighborhoods and the administration.
3	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Community Services Administration
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Local Grantee Department

	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Homelessness Strategy Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Market Analysis Economic Development Anti-poverty Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Community Services Administration provides oversight and management of the provision of public services to address community need. CSA oversees the ESG and HOPWA programs and advocates for the needs of the disabled, homeless, impoverished and other individuals with special need. CSA will also manage the HOE-APR Funding.
4	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Health Department
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Local Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	HOPWA Strategy Lead-based Paint Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Health Department provides screening, health awareness, health programming and management, and program implementation oversight to address the health and safety needs of the community. Health and wellness, obesity reduction, teen pregnancy, substance abuse prevention, immunization and the reduction of health hazards in housing including, lead hazards, are all areas of focus that have been addressed through Consolidated Plan efforts.

5	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Economic Development Administration
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - Broadband Internet Service Providers Services - Narrowing the Digital Divide Other government - Local Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Public Housing Needs Market Analysis Economic Development Anti-poverty Strategy Broadband Lead Agency
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Economic Development Administration (EDA) promotes economic development activity in the city and the region. EDA is also the lead agency for development of the broadband needs of housing occupied by low and moderate-income households and neighborhoods. The City engaged the consultant firm Magellan Advisors to work on a Broadband Feasibility Study. Magellan Advisors has met with the City's current internet providers Comcast, Frontier Communications, GoNetSpeed, Crown Castle, and Verizon 5G. Prospective future providers include Google Fiber, SiFi, Civitas, Spot On, and Utopia.
6	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Engineering Department
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Agency - Managing Flood Prone Areas Agency - Management of Public Land or Water Resources Other government - Local Resiliency Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Non housing Community Development Needs

	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Engineering Department plans for and implements public infrastructure improvements including streets, sidewalks and other public facility improvements in support of community development and neighborhood revitalization activity. The Engineering Department also monitors and manages flood prone areas of New Haven.
7	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Commission on Equal Opportunity
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Local Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Economic Development Anti-poverty Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Commission on Equal Opportunity oversees compliance with Section 3, Davis Bacon and MBE/WBE requirements. CEO also implements programs to assist small business owners and provide employment training and job opportunity for low income residents of the city.
8	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven City Plan
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Local Resiliency Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Public Housing Needs Economic Development Long Range Municipal Planning

	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The New Haven City Plan provides site plan review, zoning and municipal comprehensive planning. The City Plan Department provides mapping, data, research and environmental review oversight for the Consolidated Plan activities. City Plan is responsible for completion of the City's Environmental Review Record and for historic compliance as well as mapping flood zones in New Haven.
9	Agency/Group/Organization	Housing Authority of New Haven
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	PHA
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Public Housing Needs Non-Homeless Special Needs Market Analysis
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Housing Authority manages subsidized housing programs within the City.
10	Agency/Group/Organization	Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (CAN)
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Services - Housing Services-Elderly Persons Services-Persons with Disabilities Services-Persons with HIV/AIDS Services-Victims of Domestic Violence Services-homeless Services-Health Regional organization

	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Homelessness Strategy Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Regional Continuum of Care
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (GNHCAN) coordinates advocacy, homelessness prevention, housing, employment and supportive services to ensure that episodes of homelessness are rare and of short duration. GNHCAN is a collaboration of civic, religious, government, business, and not for profit agencies and organizations and other interested stakeholders.
11	Agency/Group/Organization	ESG Advisory Board
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Services - Housing Services-Victims of Domestic Violence Services-homeless
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Homelessness Strategy

	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The ESG Advisory Board provides insight on the housing and service needs of the homeless, assists with the development of strategies and plans and provides peer review of applications for funding.
12	Agency/Group/Organization	South Central CT Regional Council of Governments
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Regional organization Planning organization
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Market Analysis Economic Development
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	SCCRCOG is the regional planning agency for the Greater New Haven region. SCCROG provides studies and plans for regional transportation, economic development and housing.
13	Agency/Group/Organization	Ryan White Planning Council
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Services-Persons with HIV/AIDS Services-Health Regional organization Planning organization
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy

	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Ryan White Planning Council provides advocacy, planning and coordination for programs and activities that meet the needs of Persons living with HIV/AIDS
14	Agency/Group/Organization	Greater New Haven HOPWA Roundtable
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Persons with HIV/AIDS Services-homeless Services-Health Regional organization
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The HOPWA Roundtable is a group of organizations that meets and provides advocacy, planning and coordination for programs and activities that meet the needs of Persons living with HIV/AIDS. Member agencies assist with the development of strategies and plans, coordinate services and provides peer review of applications for funding.

15	Agency/Group/Organization	New Haven Neighborhood Management Teams
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Services - Housing Services-Children Services-Elderly Persons Services-Persons with Disabilities Services-Persons with HIV/AIDS Services-Victims of Domestic Violence Services-homeless Services-Health Services-Education Services-Employment Service-Fair Housing Services - Victims Services - Narrowing the Digital Divide Neighborhood Organization
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homelessness Strategy Non-Homeless Special Needs Market Analysis Economic Development Anti-poverty Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Each neighborhood in the city has a Neighborhood Management Team comprised of residents, business owners, community leaders and interested stakeholders. The ten management teams serve as a liaison between the neighborhoods and city administration helping to guide decision-making, planning and revitalization activity. Meetings are held monthly and City of New Haven Neighborhood Specialists attended.

16	Agency/Group/Organization	City of New Haven Emergency Operations Center
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Elderly Persons Services-homeless Services-Health Agency - Managing Flood Prone Areas Agency - Emergency Management Resiliency Grantee Department
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Non-Homeless Special Needs
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/Organization was consulted. What are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response (EOC) works to ensure the City of New Haven responds effectively to natural disasters, flooding, storms, acts of terrorism and other emergencies that could endanger the public. The EOC also assists with identifying warming and cooling centers for residents, especially elderly and homeless. This mission is achieved through planning, training, educating, and collaborating with local, regional, state, and community stakeholders. The Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response is part of a Citywide Emergency Response Team.

Identify any Agency Types not consulted and provide rationale for not consulting

The City of New Haven makes every effort to include all agency types and organizations in the Consolidated Plan process. Agencies and the public are encouraged to participate in the development of the Five-Year Consolidated Plan and the Annual Action Plan through outreach in the form of mass mailings, email notification, newspaper advertisements and website postings. There were no agencies or organizations purposefully omitted or not consulted during the development of this plan.

Other local/regional/state/federal planning efforts considered when preparing the Plan

Name of Plan	Lead Organization	How do the goals of your Strategic Plan overlap with the goals of each plan?
Continuum of Care	Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (GNHCAN)	The housing and support service goals of the continuum of care network are embodied in the Strategic Plan
New Haven Comprehensive Plan	New Haven City Plan Department	Strategic Plan goals are consistent with the housing and neighborhood development goals of the Comprehensive Plan.
HANH Moving to Work Plan	Housing Authority of New Haven (HANH)	The Housing Authority Moving to Work Plan outlines its programs and strategies for meeting the housing needs of the lowest income residents of the City. The Strategic Plan outlines the Housing Authority strategies and plans.
Office of Housing & Homelessness Services	New Haven Community Services (CSA)	The goals for homelessness reflect needs identified as part of the Homelessness Needs Assessment
Recommended Goals for the Elicker Administration	Elicker for Mayor Transition Team	The Consolidated Plan goals and strategies are aligned with several goals under the 2020 Transition Plan. Because the transition plan covers a broader perspective, only those goals eligible for funding under HUD Consolidated Plan programs have been referenced.
Affordable Housing Taskforce Report	Affordable Housing Taskforce Report	The report addresses several strategic goals including creation and preservation of affordable housing, housing options for low-income people, land use efficiency, improve existing housing.
CT Point In Time Count 2019 New Haven Summary	The Connecticut Coalition to End Homelessness	Identifies individuals who are Chronically Homeless, Homeless Veterans or Homeless Youth
City of New Haven Digital Inclusion Plan	City of New Haven	Provide access to jobs, education, healthcare, services; encourage residents to better engage and participate in their communities.

Table 3 – Other local / regional / federal planning efforts

Narrative (optional)

City staff are actively involved in working groups, roundtable discussions and steering committees covering all aspects of housing, economic development, public service programming, and community development. Through these arrangements the City is kept apprised of changes and advancements in the state and the region; needs and opportunities; and solutions to meet identified needs.

The City circulated its Consolidated Plan to the State Department of Economic and Community Development (DECD), the South-Central Regional Council of Governments, and the adjacent communities of Hamden, West Haven and East Haven as an administrative courtesy to obtain input and comment. A link to the Draft Annual Action Plan was also sent to these entities.

AP-12 Participation – 91.105, 91.200(c)

1. Summary of citizen participation process/Efforts made to broaden citizen participation Summarize citizen participation process and how it impacted goal-setting

Citizen participation and consultation is priority during each phase of the Consolidated Planning process. The Five-Year Plan is the result of articulated needs of the community and encapsulates the strategies, goals and priorities of the administration, local governing officials, and the community. Each year thereafter, the Annual Action Plan sets forth the plan, strategy and budget for the funds received through HUD.

Coordination with City residents is enhanced by utilizing the City's ten (10) community-based police substations and their management teams as liaisons between the neighborhoods and the City's administration. To provide a link between the administration and the community, each neighborhood is assigned a Neighborhood Specialist from LCI. Also, each substation has a management team comprised of neighborhood residents, business owners and other interested individuals or group representatives who have shown an interest in providing leadership to their community. Management teams are the focus of initial administrative contacts with neighborhood groups and residents.

Both virtual and in-person meetings took place throughout the development of the 2022 Annual Action Plan. The revised Citizen Participation Plan utilized waivers allowing for virtual meetings and digital submission of applications for funding. On December 1, 2021 an Email notice was sent to area non-profits and former funding participants announcing the availability of funds, an Informational Webinar and the funding application information. The email included login information, presentation material and contact information. On December 7, 2021 a Webinar was held via Zoom providing Performance Review highlights and initiating the application process. Contents of the application were discussed and details on the electronic/digital submission of the applications were provided. Funding applications were accepted through the City online Bonfire portal. Questions were answered and contacts for technical assistance were provided. The submission deadline for applications for funding was January 11, 2022. Over 90 applications were received from non-profit agencies and City departments. Technical assistance was provided via phone and email to interested applicants as needed through the application due date. Following completeness and eligibility review, applicants were notified of any missing elements and in most cases were given the opportunity to submit backup data.

Aldermanic meetings and workshops to receive input, comments and testimony from members of the New Haven community were held in-person. Opportunities for participation and comment were incorporated into three Aldermanic public hearings and workshops.

The goals, objectives and funding priorities, as well as descriptions of the programs and funding recommendations for the upcoming program year, were made available. These were provided to the City’s Board of Alders for review of the process and strategy and for deliberation. On April 21, 2022 the City published the Mayor’s funding recommendations for the 2022-2023 Annual Consolidated Action Plan in the New Haven Register and posted on the City’s Website for public review and comment. During the months of April and through May the Board of Alders held three in person public hearings to hear testimony and accept public comment on the proposed plan.

A draft Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan document inclusive of the Board of Alders’ approved budget was posted online on the City’s website and advertised as available for public review and comment. The plan is available for comment for 30 days.

An outline of the public review process is attached in the Citizen Participation attachment

Citizen Participation Outreach

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
1	email List Distribution	Non Profit Organizations and City Departments	Nonprofit agencies and City Departments are notified by email about the availability of program resources and the dates of upcoming informational and strategy meetings.	No comments were received by the City as part of this outreach.	No comments were received by the City as part of this outreach.	

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
2	Public Meeting	Non-targeted/broad community Non Profit Organizations and City Departments	The informational webinar was attended by nonprofit agencies, City staff and potential Consolidated Plan funding recipients. An overview of the consolidated plan process, community needs, goals and objectives, policies, and past performances were presented for discussion and comment. Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the informational meeting was held virtually.	Comments and questions were centered around the funding application process, funding availability and HUD's programmatic requirements of the City's Consolidated Plan entitlement grant programs. City staff provides technical assistance and guidance to interested agencies as part of the application process.	All Comments and questions were considered and responded to as part of the provision of technical assistance.	

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
3	Public Hearing	Non Profit Organizations and City Departments	The City's Board of Alders hold several public hearings each year to solicit comments on the draft Annual Action Plan and to hear testimony from potential funding recipients, members of the community at large and also City Departments. Public hearings were held in-person in the Aldermanic Chambers. Meetings are broadcast through YouTube Live and are also recorded on the Board of Alders YouTube channel.	Comments received revolved around requests for additional funding consideration and performance indicators of potential recipient agencies.	The administration and the Board of Alders considered all applications and requests for funding prior to the adoption and approval of the final budget and Annual Action Plan document.	

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
4	Newspaper Ad	Non-targeted/broad community	Notice of availability for public comments on all matters related to the consolidated plan process are published in the New Haven Register, La Voz Hispania and in Inner City News.	No comments were received by the City as part of this outreach.	No comments were received by the City as part of this outreach.	
5	Internet Outreach	Non-targeted/broad community Non Profit Organizations and City Departments	All approved Annual Action Plans and Five-Year Consolidated Plans as well as CAPERs are available for viewing on the City web page at www.newhavenct.gov under Government / Budgets & Financing /Federal Reports.	No comments were received by the City as part of this outreach.	No comments were received by the City as part of this outreach.	www.newhavenct.gov

Table 4 – Citizen Participation Outreach

Expected Resources

AP-15 Expected Resources – 91.220(c)(1,2)

Introduction

The following tables and narratives summarize the potential resources that may be available to the City during the upcoming Strategy Period and Annual Action Plan Year. The City currently receives four (4) federal entitlement grants through HUD.

Anticipated Resources

Program	Source of Funds	Uses of Funds	Expected Amount Available Year 1				Expected Amount Available Remainder of ConPlan \$	Narrative Description
			Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$		
CDBG	public - federal	Acquisition Admin and Planning Economic Development Housing Public Improvements Public Services	3,624,400	50,000	679,801	4,354,201	7,000,000	Expected resources available over the remainder of the Strategy Period assumes level funding (appx. \$3,500,000) over the next 2 years

Program	Source of Funds	Uses of Funds	Expected Amount Available Year 1				Expected Amount Available Remainder of ConPlan \$	Narrative Description
			Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$		
HOME	public - federal	Acquisition Homebuyer assistance Homeowner rehab Multifamily rental new construction Multifamily rental rehab New construction for ownership TBRA	1,501,387	20,000	0	1,521,387	2,600,000	Expected resources available over the remainder of the Strategy Period assumes level funding (appx. \$1,300,000) over the next 2 years
HOPWA	public - federal	Permanent housing in facilities Permanent housing placement Short term or transitional housing facilities STRMU Supportive services TBRA	1,185,396	0	0	1,185,396	2,200,000	Expected resources available over the remainder of the Strategy Period assumes level funding (appx \$1,100,000) over the next 2 years

Program	Source of Funds	Uses of Funds	Expected Amount Available Year 1				Expected Amount Available Remainder of ConPlan \$	Narrative Description
			Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$		
ESG	public - federal	Conversion and rehab for transitional housing Financial Assistance Overnight shelter Rapid re-housing (rental assistance) Rental Assistance Services Transitional housing	324,089	0	0	324,089	650,000	Expected resources available over the remainder of the Strategy Period assumes level funding (appx. \$325,000) over the next 2 years

Table 5 - Expected Resources – Priority Table

Explain how federal funds will leverage those additional resources (private, state and local funds), including a description of how matching requirements will be satisfied

The City makes every effort to leverage its federal resources with private, state and local funding to meet the needs identified in its Consolidated Plan. By using leveraged funds to complement its Consolidated Plan resources the City works to provide the maximum assistance with the resources it has available. Leveraging is key to stretching its federal entitlement resources to achieve the maximum program benefit. As part of each application for Consolidated Plan funding, potential grant recipients are asked to list other sources of funds it will use to leverage their request.

It is the City's policy to leverage the maximum private investment with the minimum public expenditures. In assisting affordable housing projects with public funds, the City seeks to maximize the number of units and households assisted. Use of Federal and State resources often require local matching funds to create a viable project. While municipal dollar resources are limited due to local budget needs and allocations, the City tries to provide alternative investments such as land, site development, technical assistance or public improvements to bring down

costs. Because of economic pressures on the existing tax base, the City rarely approves fee waivers, PILOTS (Payment In Lieu of Taxes) or tax abatement agreements and when it does, does so only for projects which have unusual merit.

The City uses a mix of federal, state, private and local capital and general fund resources to implement its Consolidated Plan strategy. It has received federal NSP funding through the State of Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development; federal Lead Hazard Reduction funding; EPA Brownfields Clean-up funds; Federal Ryan White funding; federal Challenge Grant assistance and numerous State programs to support its local housing and community development efforts.

The City works with state and regional organizations, individual non-profit organizations and local community development corporations to streamline and more effectively utilize funds to achieve housing and community development goals. As part of this process, the City actively seeks other private and public financing in support of community development projects either locally or through individual agencies to increase the numbers of units created and persons served. The City of New Haven uses General Funds, Capital Project Funds, private financing and State of Connecticut Program Funds to match and leverage federal HOME program resources. The City in some cases provides land at reduced cost or tax incentives to non-profit developers. As of 2021, based upon its match contributions up through Federal Fiscal Year 2020, the City has met its HOME match requirements in excess of \$23 million.

The City uses General Fund resources to support its homeless initiatives. These provide a match to the City's ESG funding. The City budgeted approximately \$1.375 million during FY 2022-23 in General Fund resources in support of various homeless assistance initiatives.

If appropriate, describe publically owned land or property located within the jurisdiction that may be used to address the needs identified in the plan

As appropriate and available, the City may provide land acquired through community development action or In Rem to non-profit developers to support housing and community development efforts. The Livable City Initiative (LCI) and the Economic Development Administration (EDA) work with non-profit developers to identify resources to support project implementation including publicly- owned land and property as appropriate.

Discussion

The City of New Haven has been allocation \$4,852,875 of HOME-ARP funding gives New Haven significant new resources to address the homeless assistance needs by creating affordable housing or non-congregate shelter units and providing tenant-based rental assistance or supportive services. Later this year, the Department will issue an implementing notice providing guidance on HOME-ARP, including instructions and requirements for developing a substantial amendment to your jurisdiction’s FY 2021 Annual Action Plan describing your proposed use of the funds. HOME-ARP funds are available for expenditure until September, 2030.

HOME-ARP funds must be used for individuals or families from the following qualifying populations: homeless; at-risk of homelessness; fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking; other populations where providing assistance would prevent the family’s homelessness or would serve those with the greatest risk of housing instability; and veterans and families that include a veteran family member that meet one of the preceding criteria.

HOME-ARP funds can be used for four eligible activities including the production or preservation of affordable housing; tenant-based rental assistance; supportive services, including homeless prevention services and housing counseling; and the purchase or development of non-congregate shelter for individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

The City will complete a substantial amendment to the Annual Action Plan to describe the use of these additional funds. A Needs Assessment and Gaps Analysis along with public participation and consultation with CoC(s), homeless service providers, domestic violence service providers, veterans’ groups, public housing agencies, and public or private organizations that address fair housing, civil rights, and the needs of persons with disabilities will be done to complete the Allocation Plan.

Annual Goals and Objectives

AP-20 Annual Goals and Objectives

Goals Summary Information

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
1	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing	2020	2024	Affordable Housing	Communitywide CDBG EligibleTarget Areas Hill Neighborhood Newhallville Neighborhood Dixwell Neighborhood Fair Haven Neighborhood West Rock Neighborhood Dwight Neighborhood Opportunity Zones Beaver Hills Edgewood	Preserve and Improve Existing Housing Stock Create Safe, Supportive & Affordable Housing Improve Access to Homeownership	CDBG: \$591,872 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$1,321,249 ESG: \$0	Rental units constructed: 4 Household Housing Unit Rental units rehabilitated: 85 Household Housing Unit Homeowner Housing Added: 4 Household Housing Unit Homeowner Housing Rehabilitated: 85 Household Housing Unit

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
2	Stabilize Neighborhoods	2020	2024	Affordable Housing Non-Housing Community Development	Communitywide CDBG EligibleTarget Areas Hill Neighborhood Newhallville Neighborhood Dixwell Neighborhood Fair Haven Neighborhood West Rock Neighborhood Dwight Neighborhood Opportunity Zones Beaver Hills Edgewood	Stabilize Neighborhoods	CDBG: \$575,526 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$0 ESG: \$0	Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 1360 Persons Assisted Housing Code Enforcement/Foreclosed Property Care: 100 Household Housing Unit
3	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports	2020	2024	Affordable Housing Homeless Non-Homeless Special Needs	Communitywide New Haven MSA	Provide Continuum of Supportive Housing Address Needs of Homeless & At- Risk Populations	CDBG: \$0 HOPWA: \$1,149,846 HOME: \$0 ESG: \$71,109	Tenant-based rental assistance / Rapid Rehousing: 107 Households Assisted HIV/AIDS Housing Operations: 25 Household Housing Unit

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
4	Improve Access to Homeownership	2020	2024	Affordable Housing	Communitywide	Improve Access to Homeownership	CDBG: \$9,537 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$50,000 ESG: \$0	Public service activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 500 Households Assisted Direct Financial Assistance to Homebuyers: 5 Households Assisted
5	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations	2020	2024	Homeless	Communitywide	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations Provide Public Service Programming	CDBG: \$194,201 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$0 ESG: \$228,674	Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 790 Persons Assisted Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 3 Households Assisted Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 530 Persons Assisted Tenant-based rental assistance / Rapid Rehousing: 10 Households Assisted Overnight/Emergency Shelter/Transitional Housing Beds added: 339 Beds Homelessness Prevention: 90 Persons Assisted

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
6	Address Community Health Issues	2020	2024	Non-Housing Community Development	Communitywide	Address Community Health Issues Provide Public Service Programming	CDBG: \$19,074	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 5500 Persons Assisted
7	Provide Accessibility Improvements	2020	2024	Non-Homeless Special Needs Non-Housing Community Development	Communitywide	Stabilize Neighborhoods Provide Accessibility Improvements	CDBG: \$0 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$0 ESG: \$0	Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 0 Persons Assisted

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
8	Support Neighborhood Revitalization	2020	2024	Non-Housing Community Development	CDBG Eligible Target Areas Hill Neighborhood Newhallville Neighborhood Dixwell Neighborhood Fair Haven Neighborhood West Rock Neighborhood Dwight Neighborhood Opportunity Zones Beaver Hills Edgewood	Provide Public Service Programming Promote Education & Economic Advancement	CDBG: \$1,095,007	Housing Code Enforcement/Foreclosed Property Care: 2500 Household Housing Unit

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
9	Provide Public Service Programming	2020	2024	Non-Housing Community Development	Communitywide Hill Neighborhood Newhallville Neighborhood Fair Haven Neighborhood West Rock Neighborhood Dwight Neighborhood	Provide Public Service Programming Promote Education & Economic Advancement	CDBG: \$426,831 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$0 ESG: \$0	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 11903 Persons Assisted Public service activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 18 Households Assisted
10	Promote Education and Economic Development	2020	2024	Non-Housing Community Development	Communitywide Hill Neighborhood Newhallville Neighborhood Dixwell Neighborhood Fair Haven Neighborhood West Rock Neighborhood Dwight Neighborhood	Promote Education & Economic Advancement	CDBG: \$667,353 HOPWA: \$0 HOME: \$0 ESG: \$0	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 396 Persons Assisted Facade treatment/business building rehabilitation: 10 Business Jobs created/retained: 382 Jobs Businesses assisted: 115 Businesses Assisted

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
11	Provide Administrative Support	2020	2024	Administrative Oversight/Planning	Communitywide	Provide Administrative Support	CDBG: \$724,800 HOPWA: \$35,550 HOME: \$150,138 ESG: \$24,306	Other: 6 Other

Table 6 – Goals Summary

Goal Descriptions

1	Goal Name	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Goal Description	The City has established several objectives to meet the goal of Increasing the Supply of Decent, Safe and Affordable Housing within its borders. Projects will include minor rehabilitation, substantial rehabilitation and new construction to meet community need.
2	Goal Name	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Goal Description	Objectives established to help stabilize and revitalize neighborhoods include programs such as property maintenance, code enforcement, and the removal of blight. In addition, to address property decline and prevent housing foreclosures programs that offer support services, education and technical assistance to existing homeowners and first-time homebuyers will be supported.

3	Goal Name	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Goal Description	<p>The City, and its partners in providing supportive housing and housing for special needs populations, support several housing formats under this goal.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To provide a system of supportive housing opportunities that provide safe shelter while homeless and at-risk youth, families, and individuals work their way toward permanent and self-sufficient housing. 2. To provide housing and supportive services for persons with special needs (e.g. persons with HIV/AIDS; the elderly; persons with disabilities, mental health illnesses or substance use disorders; persons leaving institutionalized settings; and persons with other chronic illnesses). <p>To support healthy aging in place for low-income seniors.</p>
4	Goal Name	Improve Access to Homeownership
	Goal Description	To stabilize neighborhoods and provide housing choice the City will promote the development of homeownership options and the support of first-time homeownership opportunity.
5	Goal Name	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Goal Description	<p>The City and its homelessness service providers work to address the needs of the homeless and at-risk populations. Activities include emergency shelter support, transitional housing, outreach, prevention and associated support services. The creation of permanent housing options, provision of rental and utility assistance, and assistance with re-housing help to meet identified needs. Programs that address health and wellness, temporary shelter, and facilities which will offer a transitional living environment (defined as 45 to 60 days) for individuals who are exiting shelters and are ready and prepared for independence and re-housing also fall under this goal.</p>
6	Goal Name	Address Community Health Issues
	Goal Description	The City and its housing and community development partners have made it a priority to address community health issues and promote healthier living for all of its residents. Addressing health hazards in housing, providing improvements to and creating facilities that encourage positive physical and recreational activity, and providing programming and social services in support of healthier life styles are the focus of this goal.

7	Goal Name	Provide Accessibility Improvements
	Goal Description	The City is committed to ensuring equal access to housing and community facilities for all residents. As part of the Consolidated Plan the City will support accessibility improvements to housing units and residential facilities as well as improvements to public facilities.
8	Goal Name	Support Neighborhood Revitalization
	Goal Description	Providing physical improvements throughout the community will, together with providing housing choice, help to achieve the City's overall goal of revitalizing the City neighborhood by neighborhood. Objectives include, the support of health-conscious, community-friendly neighborhood revitalization activities; the promotion of mixed-use opportunities with retail and shopping closer to housing and transit oriented developments; the creation of a suitable and health-conscious living environment by making streetscape enhancements, pedestrian links, and building and infrastructure improvements; and to empower individuals (including children and youth) and families and strengthen neighborhoods through public and neighborhood facility support.
9	Goal Name	Provide Public Service Programming
	Goal Description	<p>Healthy families and individuals are key to vibrant and stable neighborhoods. To achieve better living environments for all residents of the City, the following non-housing public service programming goals guide the Consolidated Plan implementation process:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To promote positive youth engagement, community health, wellness, education, employment and public safety through the provision of public service programming. 2. To stabilize neighborhoods and prevent housing foreclosures by offering support services, education and technical assistance to existing homeowners and first-time homebuyers.

10	Goal Name	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Goal Description	<p>Improving the economic status of residents helps to stabilize the neighborhoods in which they live and the community as a whole. Increased education, job training, skill development, supportive services and the creation of employment opportunity are all guiding objectives for creating economic strength. Additional objectives for the Consolidated Plan include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Providing for the expansion of livable wage jobs and economic opportunity. 2. Creating affordable and accessible childcare facilities for working families. 3. Enhancing the technical skill set of residents through workforce training and career development opportunities and encouraging the creation of jobs that match the skill set of these residents. <p>In support of local economic development initiatives and the creation of employment opportunity, the City has also developed the following objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supporting investment in public/private infrastructure that will allow for job growth including stormwater, transportation, parking, and commercial/industrial facility improvements. 2. Supporting coastal resiliency efforts to ensure the City is prepared to respond to or recover from weather-related events, particularly those associated with its coastal location. <p>Supporting pedestrian, bikeway and public transit system improvements to improve access to employment.</p>
11	Goal Name	Provide Administrative Support
	Goal Description	The management and oversight of programs and activities under the Consolidated Plan are crucial to their successful implementation and benefit. To support this the City will use a portion of its funds to provide planning and administrative support for the City's overall Consolidated Plan and development efforts.

Projects

AP-35 Projects – 91.220(d)

Introduction

The Consolidated Housing and Community Development Action Plan for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 describes the implementation and administration of the City's Consolidated Plan programs funded by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG) and Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS (HOPWA). It contains proposed activities and funding to be carried out with CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA funds for Fiscal Year 2022-2023, which begins on July 1, 2022. The Annual Action Plan for Program Year 2022-2023 addresses the Priority Needs and Goals determined through citizen participation and community outreach activities undertaken for the development of the plan.

The following table is a list of activities to be undertaken during the program year 2022-2023 Annual Action Plan with CDBG, HOME, HOPWA and ESG funds. Each proposed project including a detailed description of the activity to be carried, funding amount, funding source and estimated beneficiaries are also shown below.

Projects

#	Project Name
1	Acquisition
2	Habitat for Humanity - Property Acquisition
3	Neighborhood Housing Services of New Haven - Acquisition
4	LCI Property Management Public
5	LCI/Economic Development- Commercial Development- Main Street Project
6	Economic Development Corporation of New Haven (Project: Collab)
7	EMERGE Connecticut
8	Office of Economic Development - Small Contractor Development
9	Hope for New Haven/CERCLE
10	Office of Economic Development - Small Business Resource Center Initiative
11	Boys & Girls Club of New Haven (United Workers, Inc.) Roof Improvements
12	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen - Drop In Resource Center Improvements
13	Gather New Haven Improvements
14	LCI - Public Improvements
15	Leadership, Education and Athletics in Partnership, Inc. Building Improvements
16	New Reach - 24 Read St. Improvements

#	Project Name
17	The Connection - Building Improvements
18	The Mary Wade Home, Inc.
19	LCI - Code Enforcement
20	Continuum of Care -84 Norton St.
21	LCI - Residential Rehab
22	Beulah Land Development Corp. - 245 Munson St.
23	Beulah Heights Church
24	BHcare - Hope Family Justice Center
25	BHcare - Umbrella Center for Domestic Violence Services
26	Catholic Charities Archdiocese of Hartford/ Centro San Jose
27	Children In Placement
28	Children's Community Programs of CT Inc. - Youth Transition Services
29	Christian Community Action, Inc.
30	City Seed - Sanctuary Kitchen
31	CitySeed - City Seed Farmers Market
32	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen - Dinner Program
33	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen - Drop-In & Resource Center
34	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen, Inc (in partnership with Loaves & Fishes)
35	EIR Urban Youth Boxing
36	Elderly Services Dept. - City of New Haven
37	Elm City International
38	FISH of Greater New Haven
39	Gather New Haven
40	Hannah Gray Development Corp.
41	Higher Heights Youth Empowerment Programs
42	Inspired Communities Inc. (Adult Institute)
43	Inspired Communities Inc. (Youth Institute)
44	Integrated Refugee & Immigrant Services (IRIS)
45	JUNTA for Progressive Action
46	Liberty Community Services
47	Literacy Volunteers
48	Mary Wade Home, Inc. - Transportation Program
49	New Haven Ecology Project - Common Ground
50	New Haven HomeOwnership Center
51	New Haven Pop Warner
52	New Haven Reads
53	New Haven YMCA Youth Center
54	Project MORE, Inc. - Re-entry Program
55	Project MORE, Inc. Re-entry Welcome Center

#	Project Name
56	rKids Family Center
57	Sickle Cell Disease Assoc. Of America, Southern CT
58	Solar Youth
59	Student Parenting and Family Services
60	The Greater New Haven O.I.C.
61	The Boys & Girls Club of New Haven - Afterschool Program
62	Youth Entrepreneurs
63	Federal Regulatory Requirements - City Plan
64	General Administration-M&B/Finance
65	General Administration-CSA
66	HOME CHDO Set-Aside
67	HOME Downpayment and Closing Homeownership Assistance
68	HOME Energy Efficiency Rehabilitation Assistance Program (EERAP)
69	HOME Housing Development
70	HOME Admin City of New Haven
71	2022-2025 Columbus House CTH22F002 (CH)
72	2022-2025 Independence Northwest CTH22F002 (IN)
73	2022-2025 Leeway CTH22F002 (LW)
74	2022-2025 Liberty Community Services CTH22F002 (LCS)
75	2022-2025 New Reach Inc CTH22F002 (NR)
76	2022-2025 Stay Well CTH22F002 (SW)
77	2022-2025 HOPWA Administration City of New Haven CTH22F002 (CoNH)
78	ESG 22 - New Haven

Table 7 - Project Information

Describe the reasons for allocation priorities and any obstacles to addressing underserved needs

The projects and activities included in the city’s Annual Plan for 2022-2023 are the result of an open application process. City departments and area non-profit housing and community service providers were given the opportunity to apply for Consolidated Plan funding for programs and projects that addressed the community needs and priorities established in the 2020-2024 Five-Year Consolidated Plan. Activities are also required to meet federal national objectives, federal eligibility requirements and federal regulations for the CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA programs. Each project was evaluated to assess the impact on community needs, consistency with federal regulations, eligibility and organizational capacity for successful implementation.

The greatest obstacle to addressing community needs is the lack of financial resources compared to the number of exceptional and valuable activities offered by non-profit agencies and City Department. The city attempts to use its Consolidated Plan resources in a manner that provides the greatest benefit from

the resources available. To support these efforts, the city encourages the leveraging of consolidated plan resources with other funding sources and actively seeks to increase resources by obtaining additional grants and seeking support from foundations, local institutions and other community stakeholders.

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Project Summary Information

1	Project Name	Acquisition
	Target Area	CDBG Eligible Target Areas
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Funding	CDBG: \$35,000
	Description	LCI's goal under the acquisition program is to rehabilitate, preserve, restore and conserve structures and properties with the goal of returning acquired property to the tax base via low/moderate homeownership or low/moderate rental units. Equally important is the utilization of acquired properties to enhance the quality of life of City residents and support public works, facilities and improvements. Eligible expenses under this program will be activity delivery costs, land cost, surveys, appraisals, title searches and other costs necessary to affect acquisition.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	18 households
	Location Description	Funding will be used in the CDBG eligible neighborhoods of Fair Haven, Dwight, Newhallville, Dixwell and Hill.
	Planned Activities	Eligible expenses under this program will be activity delivery costs, land cost, surveys, appraisals, title searches and other costs necessary to affect acquisition.
2	Project Name	Habitat for Humanity - Property Acquisition
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Create Safe, Supportive & Affordable Housing
	Funding	CDBG: \$20,000
	Description	Habitat for Humanity builds or rehabilitates single-family homes in partnership with a qualified low-income family or individual. Potential homeowners must have incomes between 30-60% of the AMI and are required to help build their homes with a minimum of 400 hours of volunteer labor or "sweat equity". Homes are sold at below cost with a zero percent interest mortgage held by Habitat. No bank financing is involved. CDBG funds are used for property acquisition only.

	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Acquire 1 Properties
	Location Description	Sites have yet to be determined
	Planned Activities	Habitat for Humanity builds or rehabilitates single-family homes in partnership with a qualified low-income family or individual. Potential homeowners must have incomes between 30-60% of the AMI and are required to help build their homes with a minimum of 400 hours of volunteer labor or "sweat equity". Homes are sold at below cost with a zero percent interest mortgage held by Habitat. No bank financing is involved. CDBG funds are used for property acquisition only.
3	Project Name	Neighborhood Housing Services of New Haven - Acquisition
	Target Area	Hill Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Create Safe, Supportive & Affordable Housing
	Funding	CDBG: \$80,131
	Description	CDBG funding will support the acquisition of and complete gut rehabilitation of currently blighted properties in targeted neighborhoods to help achieve its goals of neighborhood stabilization and revitalization. CDBG funding requested will assist with the acquisition of a blighted property located at 470 Howard Avenue that has been vacant for decades. Once rehabilitated, the property at 470 Howard Avenue will become a legal owner-occupied three-family house.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	The project will create an owner-occupied 3- family structure. (3HH)
	Location Description	470 Howard Avenue
	Planned Activities	CDBG funding will assist with the acquisition of a blighted property located at 470 Howard Avenue that has been vacant for decades. Once rehabilitated, the property at 470 Howard Avenue will become a legal owner-occupied three-family house.
4	Project Name	LCI Property Management Public

	Target Area	CDBG Eligible Target Areas
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Funding	CDBG: \$243,024
	Description	The Property Maintenance Program provides the repairs and operating expenses necessary to maintain housing units acquired through tax foreclosure proceedings to prevent further blight conditions in deteriorating neighborhoods primarily in low and moderate-income areas. Buildings are secured, debris is removed, and overgrowth is cut down on these blighted properties.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	100 properties
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	The Property Maintenance Program provides the repairs and operating expenses necessary to maintain housing units acquired through tax foreclosure proceedings to prevent further blight conditions in deteriorating neighborhoods primarily in low and moderate-income areas. Buildings are secured, debris is removed, and overgrowth is cut down on these blighted properties.
5	Project Name	LCI/Economic Development- Commercial Development- Main Street Project
	Target Area	CDBG Eligible Target Areas
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$248,241

	Description	Funds will be used to support activities which include joint marketing efforts in commercial areas; business planning assistance; facade and building renovations through the city's Facade Improvement Program; Streetscape improvements such as the installation of public infrastructure upgrades to sidewalks, curbs, street furniture, street trees, planters, signage, and other permanent improvements to entryway corridors in critical commercial districts. Specific program elements are intended to enhance the physical infrastructure, stabilize commercial districts and support employment growth in the districts. Funding may also support acquisition costs of commercial properties/structures and support of commercial development.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
	Location Description	Projects are proposed along entryway corridors in critical commercial districts. Sites and projects TBD>
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support activities which include joint marketing efforts in commercial areas; business planning assistance; facade and building renovations through the city's Facade Improvement Program; Streetscape improvements such as the installation of public infrastructure upgrades to sidewalks, curbs, street furniture, street trees, planters, signage, and other permanent improvements to entryway corridors in critical commercial districts. Specific program elements are intended to enhance the physical infrastructure, stabilize commercial districts and support employment growth in the districts. Funding may also support acquisition costs of commercial properties/structures and support of commercial development.
6	Project Name	Economic Development Corporation of New Haven (Project: Collab)
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$20,000

	Description	With CDBG funding, Collab will provide high-quality entrepreneurship programming to support entrepreneurs. Funds will support direct programmatic costs for two cohorts of Collab's core, most intensive program - the Collab Accelerator. The cohorts to be supported include: 1) High-Touch Staff Support for Program Training, Implementation, and Coaching: Collab takes an intensive approach to working with entrepreneurs of all backgrounds. Collab staff and program managers provide weekly 1-on-1 coaching sessions and weekly educational workshop trainings. 2) Wraparound Services for Program Accessibility: Many people of color, low-income, and women entrepreneurs face logistical, financial, and psychological barriers to entrepreneurship and participating in programs. To address these barriers, Collab provides (1) Zoom access for virtual programming; (2) Office Hours for 1-on-1 support before and after the program; (3) Interpretation and translation services; and more throughout the City of New Haven.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Project anticipates assisting 30 persons in the Accelerator Program and the Office Hours Program. The Project also includes an estimate of 15 businesses served by the Accelerator Program
	Location Description	Project Location: 28 Orange Street. Project serves eligible businesses and individuals citywide.
	Planned Activities	With CDBG funding, Collab will provide high-quality entrepreneurship programming to support entrepreneurs. Funds will support direct programmatic costs for two cohorts of Collab's core, most intensive program — the Collab Accelerator. The cohorts to be supported include: 1) High-Touch Staff Support for Program Training, Implementation, and Coaching and 2) Wraparound Services for Program Accessibility. Collab provides (1) Zoom access for virtual programming; (2) Office Hours for 1-on-1 support; (3) Interpretation and translation services; and more throughout the City of New Haven.
7	Project Name	EMERGE Connecticut
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$70,646

	Description	EMERGE is committed to helping formerly incarcerated adults make a successful return to their families and their communities. EMERGE operates a Transitional Employment Program offering paid, part-time job training and employment to the clients they serve. To ensure long-term independence and success of program participants, EMERGE provides wraparound supportive services like parenting classes, life coaching, and mental health services. The program model is designed to prepare clients for future jobs and family life and to end the pattern of recidivism. To ensure success of the program, EMERGE has requested CDBG funding to compensate the provision of services including a job and life coach to assist with goal setting, training and service plans, job placement after training and providing life skill coaching. Funds will also support a supervisor/peer mentor to work alongside clients on job sites; an engagement coordinator to provide support services during and after the program; and a project director to monitor program implementation and measure outcomes.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	The program proposes to provide services to 50 participants.
	Location Description	Location of Services: 830 Grand Ave. Services are available to clients communitywide
	Planned Activities	EMERGE is committed to helping formerly incarcerated adults make a successful return to their families and their communities. EMERGE operates a Transitional Employment Program offering paid, part-time job training and employment to the clients they serve. To ensure long-term independence and success of program participants, EMERGE also provides wraparound supportive services like parenting classes, life coaching, and mental health services. CDBG funding will support the provision of services including a job and life coach to assist with goal setting, training and service plans, job placement after training and providing life skill coaching. Funds will also support a supervisor/peer mentor to work alongside clients on job sites; an engagement coordinator to provide support services during and after the program; and a project director to monitor program implementation and measure outcomes.
8	Project Name	Office of Economic Development - Small Contractor Development

	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$71,646
	Description	Funding will be used to support programming that helps small, local, minority, and women-owned construction companies achieve economic growth through increased opportunities, bid notification, technical assistance, project-specific training, goal setting and monitoring, and services that maximize the growth and profitability of businesses. The program will seek to identify and provide unique resources to small construction companies by leveraging financial services in the community, private institutions and local construction industry.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Proposed number of jobs to be created is 100-150 and the proposed number of businesses assisted is 100.
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funding will be used to support programming that helps small, local, minority, and women-owned construction companies achieve economic growth through increased opportunities, bid notification, technical assistance, project-specific training, goal setting and monitoring, and services that maximize the growth and profitability of businesses. The program will seek to identify and provide unique resources to small construction companies by leveraging financial services in the community, private institutions and local construction industry.
9	Project Name	Hope for New Haven/CERCLE
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$25,000

Description	CERCLE works with early childcare programs operating in the City of New Haven to help them understand the issues affecting their businesses, and the resources they need to continue to offer quality childcare and education to New Haven's young children, to operate small and medium-sized businesses essential to the viability of their community, and to provide employment opportunities throughout the city. With CDBG grant funds, CERCLE seeks to continue its work to support early childhood education businesses by improving the professional development and the business practices of early childhood educators operating businesses in New Haven. With the funds requested, CERCLE seeks to continue growing the early childhood workforce by attracting young people, ideally current high school students, into its Early Childhood Education Teacher Apprenticeship Program. Working with one or more local high schools, CERCLE will recruit two (2) individuals to take part in an early acceptance into its Teacher Apprenticeship program. These high school Juniors and Seniors will participate in a modified version of the Teacher Apprenticeship Program. Participants will complete 750 paid hours of direct instruction training in delivering high-quality educational experiences to children ranging from toddler to school aged. Participants will also take part in the CDA cohort and can access up to three Early Childhood Education (ECE) college-level courses at no cost to them and over 200 hours of professional development training designed to improve their knowledge and skills in early childhood education.
Target Date	6/30/2023
Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Two (2) individuals will receive an early acceptance into the Teacher Apprenticeship program.
Location Description	Service Provider Location: 81 Olive Street. Services are provided communitywide

	Planned Activities	With CDBG grant funds, CERCLE will continue its work to support early childhood education businesses by improving the professional development and the business practices of early childhood educators operating businesses in New Haven. With the funds requested, CERCLE will continue growing the early childhood workforce by attracting young people, ideally current high school students, into its Early Childhood Education Teacher Apprenticeship Program. CERCLE will recruit two (2) individuals to take part in an early acceptance into its Teacher Apprenticeship program. These high school Juniors and Seniors will participate in a modified version of the Teacher Apprenticeship Program. Participants will complete 750 paid hours of direct instruction training in delivering high-quality educational experiences to children ranging from toddler to school aged. Participants will also take part in the CDA cohort and can access up to three Early Childhood Education (ECE) college-level courses at no cost to them and over 200 hours of professional development training designed to improve their knowledge and skills in early childhood education.
10	Project Name	Office of Economic Development - Small Business Resource Center Initiative
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$206,863

Description	<p>The City's Office of Economic Development (OED) will use funding to provide direct technical assistance to startups and existing businesses through the Small Business Resource Center Program (SBRC). OED will work with businesses on issues related to business planning, securing capital, management and operations, and expansion and growth. Program participants will be provided with one-on-one counseling, referrals to partners, access to educational programs, and referrals to funders for capital. SBRC's assistance will support new entrepreneurs' ability to start new businesses. SBRC also will provide technical assistance to help entrepreneurs with existing businesses better operate and grow their business. This project will further enhance the City's development of new employment opportunities by connecting entrepreneurs with local banks and early-stage business investors. The project will also provide access to resources, including financing and ongoing mentoring and guidance. Finally, this project will help increase employment opportunities by helping existing businesses identify new markets and grow their sales, with better marketing, advertising and social media.</p>
Target Date	6/30/2023
Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Estimate assisting 180 - 200 individuals
Location Description	

	Planned Activities	The City’s Office of Economic Development (OED) will use funding to provide direct technical assistance to startups and existing businesses through the Small Business Resource Center Program (SBRC). OED will work with businesses on issues related to business planning, securing capital, management and operations, and expansion and growth. Program participants will be provided with one-on-one counseling, referrals to partners, access to educational programs, and referrals to funders for capital. SBRC’s assistance will support new entrepreneurs’ ability to start new businesses. SBRC also will provide technical assistance to help entrepreneurs with existing businesses better operate and grow their business. This project will further enhance the City’s development of new employment opportunities by connecting entrepreneurs with local banks and early-stage business investors. The project will also provide access to resources, including financing and ongoing mentoring and guidance. Finally, this project will help increase employment opportunities by helping existing businesses identify new markets and grow their sales, with better marketing, advertising and social media.
11	Project Name	Boys & Girls Club of New Haven (United Workers, Inc.) Roof Improvements
	Target Area	Hill Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$50,000
	Description	The Boys and Girls Club Clubhouse was built in 1989 and very little work to the infrastructure has been done in the 30 years since the building was opened. The roof on the facility needs to be replaced. In order to meet current building code, the roof needs to be torn off and replaced using proper insulation and installed with a new 20-year membrane. The new roof will help preserve the building and reduce annual repair costs of roof, ceiling tiles, mold extraction and other long-term damage created by water leakage. It will also address new code issues and substantially increase energy efficiency of the building. A new roof is needed before other capital improvements can be addressed such as lighting, paint and a new gym floor.
	Target Date	6/30/2023

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1 Public Facility will receive roof improvements. It is estimated that 300+ youth will benefit from the improvements
	Location Description	253 Columbus Ave
	Planned Activities	The roof on the facility needs to be replaced. In order to meet current building code, the roof needs to be torn off and replaced using proper insulation and installed with a new 20-year membrane. The new roof will help preserve the building and reduce annual repair costs of roof, ceiling tiles, mold extraction and other long-term damage created by water leakage. It will also address new code issues and substantially increase energy efficiency of the building.
12	Project Name	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen - Drop In Resource Center Improvements
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$100,000

<p>Description</p>	<p>In December 2020, DESK purchased the three-story building at 266 State Street (between Chapel and Crown), just two blocks from the New Haven Green, to serve as New Haven's first Downtown Drop-in & Resource Center (DRC). The strategy behind the Drop-in & Resource Center is to combine healthcare and support services under the same roof as basic needs provision. Basic needs (food, clothing, toiletries, Wi-Fi, etc.) bring people in the door, but additional services stabilize them and help them move to the next step, beyond homelessness. In its prior use, the main floor had been a commercial storefront and the second and third floors had been used as one-bedroom apartments. DESK is in the process of executing a multiphase plan to renovate the entirety of the building, putting an elevator on the back (west) side, outfitting the second floor as a medical clinic for Cornell Scott Hill Health Center's Homeless Healthcare Department, and modifying the third-floor apartment to be used as administrative space. The redesign of the building at 266 State Street calls for expanded space on the main floor (the Drop-in Center) to accommodate more people (as many as 60 seated) and a redirection of the stairwell to the back of the building, where there will also be an elevator. The elevator, which is being built in the current fiscal year (supported in part by a CDBG award from the City of New Haven) is critical, as it provides full accessibility to the second floor Resource Center. The bulk of the Resource Center will be leased to Cornell Scott Hill Health Center to serve as a purpose-built medical clinic and administrative headquarters of the Homeless Healthcare Department. About two-thirds of the second floor will be reserved for exclusive use by Hill Health, while the remainder will include a small consultation room, a conference room, and single-use shower facilities. (Laundry facilities will be available in the basement, also accessible via the new elevator.) In this way, DESK staff and other support service providers (including the street psychiatric team from Conn. Mental Health Center and outreach staff from Columbus House and Liberty Community Services, among others) will have access to private space to meet with clients. The requested funds will be used to (1) redesign the HVAC into a modern, energy efficient system that is centrally controlled, zoned, and responsive to the standards that have shifted as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic; and (2) overhaul the electrical system to meet the service needs of the new facility.</p>
<p>Target Date</p>	<p>6/30/2023</p>

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	One Public Facility will benefit from HVAC and accessibility improvements. The Homeless Drop-In Resource Center serves 2,000+ persons each year.
	Location Description	266 State Street
	Planned Activities	The requested funds will be used to (1) redesign the HVAC into a modern, energy efficient system that is centrally controlled, zoned, and responsive to the standards that have shifted as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic; and (2) overhaul the electrical system to meet the service needs of the new facility.
13	Project Name	Gather New Haven Improvements
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$20,000
	Description	Gather New Haven is seeking CDBG funding to invest in capital improvements to nature preserves, community gardens, and green jobs for high school-age youth and underemployed groups. Funding will support new trail signs, informational kiosks, rehabilitation of unpaved trails, replacement of fencing, clearance of overgrowth and invasive plant species, hiring contractors for planning, assessment, property maintenance, materials, hiring, and green jobs training for youth who will assist in construction of the improvements through our Growing Entrepreneurs program. This funding will help Gather leverage a pending grant from the CT Department of Energy and Environmental Protection DEEP).
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	An estimated 150 youth will be directly benefitted by the program
	Location Description	Service Provider Address: 470 James Street Sites for improvements TBD

	Planned Activities	CDBG funding will be used to invest in capital improvements to nature preserves, and community gardens, and to provide green jobs for high school-age youth and underemployed groups. Funding will support new trail signs, informational kiosks, rehabilitation of unpaved trails, replacement of fencing, clearance of overgrowth and invasive plant species, hiring contractors for planning, assessment, property maintenance, materials, hiring, and green jobs training for youth who will assist in construction of the improvements through our Growing Entrepreneurs program.
14	Project Name	LCI - Public Improvements
	Target Area	CDBG Eligible Target Areas
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$150,000
	Description	The Administrative Services Division of LCI uses public improvements funding on permanent improvements. This funding provides necessary repairs to public facilities: shelters, health care centers, and any other public use structure or land such as neighborhood gardens to support neighborhood revitalization and stabilization. The applicant must be the legal owner of the structure or can provide proof of a long-term lease agreement. The Activity must be in an income-eligible census tract, or the facility must provide services for predominately low/moderate income clients (at least 51% of the beneficiaries).
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	TBD
	Location Description	Sites TBD
	Planned Activities	The Administrative Services Division of LCI uses public improvements funding on permanent improvements. This funding provides necessary repairs to public facilities: shelters, health care centers, and any other public use structure or land such as neighborhood gardens to support neighborhood revitalization and stabilization.
15	Project Name	Leadership, Education and Athletics in Partnership, Inc. Building Improvements

Target Area	Communitywide
Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
Funding	CDBG: \$35,000
Description	<p>LEAP's community center provides a safe place for free of charge academic enrichment, college preparation, athletics, swim classes, dance instruction, arts, gardening and cooking classes. The building is one of the oldest continuously operating youth centers in the country, built over 100 years ago. It includes 6 classrooms, a full gymnasium, a 20-yard swimming pool, a computer learning center, a dance studio, a teaching kitchen, an art room, and outside, a recreation field and community garden. The building also houses offices and cubicles for staff who provide direct services to children, manage the facility, operate programs at 7 other community-based locations, raise funds, and oversee finances. The proposed repairs include replacement of the wooden floors of the dance studio and gym, renovation of the teaching kitchen, and replacement of the HVAC system. These renovations are essential in a 100-year-old building, where water damage from the roof has warped the gym and dance studio's wood floors, rendering them unusable in and after bad weather due to the hazards they present to youth. The kitchen also requires renovation in order for it to become more functional as a teaching space, as several appliances and stovetops do not work, and the space is too small to accommodate a full group of youth. Furthermore, the HVAC repairs are long overdue. LEAP has begun the improvements to the HVAC system to improve building ventilation during COVID, and this renovation needs to be completed for greater energy efficiency and better heating and cooling. These repairs and the associated costs are the minimum repairs we require for our building to return to full functionality. The repairs to LEAP's Community Center are essential to our ability to continue to operate as the largest youth serving organization in the city in terms of number of kids served and local teenagers employed.</p>
Target Date	6/30/2023
Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1 Public Facility will receive needed repairs. The community center serves over 1000 children and adults annually.
Location Description	The facility is located at 31 Jefferson St. and serves youth citywide.

	Planned Activities	The proposed repairs include replacement of the wooden floors of the dance studio and gym, renovation of the teaching kitchen, and replacement of the HVAC system. These renovations are essential in a 100-year-old building, where water damage from the roof has warped the gym and dance studio's wood floors, rendering them unusable in and after bad weather due to the hazards they present to youth. The kitchen also requires renovation in order for it to become more functional as a teaching space, as several appliances and stovetops do not work, and the space is too small to accommodate a full group of youth. Furthermore, the HVAC repairs are long overdue. LEAP has begun the improvements to the HVAC system to improve building ventilation during COVID, and this renovation needs to be completed for greater energy efficiency and better heating and cooling. These repairs and the associated costs are the minimum repairs required for the building to return to full functionality.
16	Project Name	New Reach - 24 Read St. Improvements
	Target Area	Newhallville Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Preserve and Improve Existing Housing Stock
	Funding	CDBG: \$26,000
	Description	Funds will cover the installation of three boilers at 24 Read Street, New Haven, located in the Newhallville neighborhood of the City. Costs will cover contractor expenses to remove, replace, and install three new boilers that will ensure the multi-family building's tenants in three units have sufficient and efficient heat. The benefits of the project are long-term and will greatly impact New Reach's ability to serve formerly homeless families for several years. New Reach owns the property and utilizes the units as part of its supportive housing program. Three (3) households will benefit from the improvements.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	3 households
	Location Description	24 Read St.

	Planned Activities	Funds will cover the installation of three boilers at 24 Read Street, located in the Newhallville neighborhood of the City. Costs will cover contractor expenses to remove, replace, and install three new boilers that will ensure the multi-family building's tenants in three units have sufficient and efficient heat.
17	Project Name	The Connection - Building Improvements
	Target Area	Dwight Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$30,000
	Description	The Connection's facility at 48 Howe has two boilers that provide approximately 25% of the hot water for the building and serve as necessary backup for the existing Cogen energy system. Both boilers have exceeded their life expectancy and parts are difficult to obtain and/or no longer available for increasingly necessary repairs. Both boilers need to be replaced with new energy efficient units. The funds requested will cover labor and material expenses to replace the two outdated boilers with two high efficiency HTP hot water boilers, circulator pumps and temperature sensors. 48 Howe St is a historical building owned and managed by The Connection which currently houses five residential and reentry programs for the State of CT serving approx. 1,000 clients a year. The building also provides shelter for program clients in the event of electrical outages or other natural disasters.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	One Public Facility will receive HVAC improvements.
Location Description	48 Howe Street	

	Planned Activities	The Connection’s facility at 48 Howe has two boilers that provide approximately 25% of the hot water for the building and serve as necessary backup for the existing Cogen energy system. Both boilers have exceeded their life expectancy and parts are difficult to obtain and/or no longer available for increasingly necessary repairs. Both boilers need to be replaced with new energy efficient units. The funds requested will cover labor and material expenses to replace the two outdated boilers with two high efficiency HTP hot water boilers, circulator pumps and temperature sensors.
18	Project Name	The Mary Wade Home, Inc.
	Target Area	Fair Haven Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Stabilize Neighborhoods
	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$27,502
	Description	Funds will be used to purchase and install new vinyl, Energy Star rated windows to replace replacement windows in the Boardman Residence. The objective of the project is to replace 108 windows located in the apartments, common space and office areas of the Boardman building with quality vinyl windows. These funds allow Mary Wade to complete the second phase of this two-phased window replacement project. Last year, Mary Wade home was awarded \$50,000 in CDBG funds which will allow them to complete 50% of the project. They have secured additional funding through individual gifts and tax credits through the CT Neighborhood Assistance Tax Credit Program 2021. The \$27,502 in CDBG funds this year will help fully complete the project of purchasing and installing new vinyl, Energy Star windows.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	45 elderly residents
	Location Description	118 Clinton Avenue

	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to purchase and install new vinyl, Energy Star rated windows to replace replacement windows in the Boardman Residence. The objective of the project is to replace 108 windows located in the apartments, common space and office areas of the Boardman building with quality vinyl windows. These funds (\$27,502) combined with last years award of \$50,000 in CDBG funds will allow Mary Wade to complete this window replacement project.
19	Project Name	LCI - Code Enforcement
	Target Area	CDBG EligibleTarget Areas
	Goals Supported	Support Neighborhood Revitalization
	Needs Addressed	Support Neighborhood Revitalization
	Funding	CDBG: \$1,095,007

<p>Description</p>	<p>The Code Enforcement program will proactively enforce local housing, building, health, fire and zoning codes and eliminate and reduce slum and blighting influences in the City. CDBG funded Code Enforcement activities are conducted in the City's low- and moderate-income areas, which include Census Tracts 1402, 1403, 1405, 1406, 1407, 1413, 1415, 1416, 1421 and 1423. These tracts correspond with the City's Dixwell, Dwight, Newhallville, Fair Haven, Hill and West Rock neighborhoods. In accordance with CDBG regulations it allows the City of New Haven to adequately staff the Code Enforcement Division with Inspectors capable of working with other Departments to enforce code compliance in targeted deteriorating geographical areas and to implement a program (Livable City Initiative program) aimed at arresting further deterioration of its housing stock. The City implements a Code Enforcement Program under CDBG with the purpose of providing daily housing inspections, follow up and data entry, interdepartmental referrals to police, fire and health, as needed. Code Enforcement also coordinates the Residential Licensing Program and Section 8 inspections on behalf of the Housing Authority prior to rental. Proactive programs such as the Residential Licensing Program are required by Ordinance for every rental unit in the City of New Haven. All rental units are to have a posted rental license that the unit is up to state and local codes prior to occupancy. Each geographical location has a Code Enforcement Inspector and Neighborhood Specialist that surveys the neighborhood daily for compliance issues, blight, vacant buildings, and surveys the housing stock for deterioration and unsafe structures that may need to be referred for condemnation if found to be unfit for human occupancy. The Housing Code Enforcement division responds to tenant issues, City Departments, social service agencies and the general public. Citations are given for housing code violations and penalties are levied for non-compliance. All referrals and tenant issues are logged into a central data base for tracking and reporting purposes.</p>
<p>Target Date</p>	<p>6/30/2023</p>
<p>Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities</p>	<p>1800 Inspections and re-inspections</p>

	Location Description	CDBG funded Code Enforcement activities are conducted in the City's low- and moderate-income areas, which include Census Tracts 1402, 1403, 1405, 1406, 1407, 1413, 1415, 1416, 1421 and 1423. These tracts correspond with the City's Dixwell, Dwight, Newhallville, Fair Haven, Hill and West Rock neighborhoods.
	Planned Activities	The Code Enforcement program will proactively enforce local housing, building, health, fire and zoning codes and eliminate and reduce slum and blighting influences in the City. CDBG funded Code Enforcement activities are conducted in the City's low- and moderate-income areas, which include Census Tracts 1402, 1403, 1405, 1406, 1407, 1413, 1415, 1416, 1421 and 1423. These tracts correspond with the City's Dixwell, Dwight, Newhallville, Fair Haven, Hill and West Rock neighborhoods. In accordance with CDBG regulations it allows the City of New Haven to adequately staff the Code Enforcement Division with Inspectors capable of working with other Departments to enforce code compliance in targeted deteriorating geographical areas and to implement a program (Livable City Initiative program) aimed at arresting further deterioration of its housing stock. The City implements a Code Enforcement Program under CDBG with the purpose of providing daily housing inspections, follow up and data entry, interdepartmental referrals to police, fire and health, as needed. Code Enforcement also coordinates the Residential Licensing Program and Section 8 inspections on behalf of the Housing Authority prior to rental. Proactive programs such as the Residential Licensing Program are required by Ordinance for every rental unit in the City of New Haven. All rental units are to have a posted rental license that the unit is up to state and local codes prior to occupancy. Each geographical location has a Code Enforcement Inspector and Neighborhood Specialist that surveys the neighborhood daily for compliance issues, blight, vacant buildings, and surveys the housing stock for deterioration and unsafe structures that may need to be referred for condemnation if found to be unfit for human occupancy. The Housing Code Enforcement division responds to tenant issues, City Departments, social service agencies and the general public. Citations are given for housing code violations and penalties are levied for non-compliance. All referrals and tenant issues are logged into a central data base for tracking and reporting purposes.
20	Project Name	Continuum of Care -84 Norton St.
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing

	Needs Addressed	Provide Facility & Infrastructure Improvements
	Funding	CDBG: \$75,000
	Description	Continuum of Care Inc. provides comprehensive residential case management, crisis services, and housing support services to adults challenged by psychiatric disabilities, developmental disabilities, homelessness, and substance abuse treatment needs while maintaining their rights and dignities as productive members of society. 84 Norton Street is a recovery facility that helps veterans who are struggling with substance use disorder and co-occurring mental health challenges to get property appropriate treatment and the resources for sustainable recovery. All of the windows in the structure are old, drafty, not energy efficient, and the paint around them contain lead. They must be replaced for health purposes and functionality. Such repairs and renovation are not funded by the VA, and Continuum cannot afford the magnitude of these funds on its own. CDBG funding will be used to replace 48 windows at CoC's new Veterans Support Program facility at 84 Norton Street in New Haven. The project will include Lead abatement and removal of 48 windows in this three-story facility and proper disposal. All waste would be disposed of in compliance with state and federal guidelines. The project will also involve the purchase and installation of 48 windows and painting of window trim.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	One Residential Facility serving homeless and at-risk veterans will receive new windows. An estimated 200 veterans are served at the facility annually.
	Location Description	84 Norton Street
	Planned Activities	CDBG funding will be used to replace 48 windows at CoC's new Veterans Support Program facility at 84 Norton Street in New Haven. The project will include Lead abatement and removal of 48 windows in this three-story facility and proper disposal. All waste would be disposed of in compliance with state and federal guidelines. The project will also involve the purchase and installation of 48 windows and painting of window trim.
21	Project Name	LCI - Residential Rehab
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing

	Needs Addressed	Preserve and Improve Existing Housing Stock
	Funding	CDBG: \$436,741
	Description	The Administrative Services Division of LCI uses this program to help existing homeowners with a vested interest in their neighborhoods, who lack the funding to correct housing or building code issues, upgrade energy efficiency, systems replacement, handicap accessibility and other repairs of a non- luxury nature, with grants or loans from this source of funding. LCI also provides assistance to non-profit agencies with gap financing for project hard costs. The projects must be construction ready and fully financed except for a moderate gap. This funding is for staff costs for project delivery, rehabilitation hard costs for gap financing and lead based paint evaluation for the residential loan program. The funding objective is to benefit L/M income housing.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Rehabilitation of 35 homeowner units and 40 rental units
	Location Description	Sites TBD
	Planned Activities	The Administrative Services Division of LCI uses this program to help existing homeowners with a vested interest in their neighborhoods, who lack the funding to correct housing or building code issues, upgrade energy efficiency, systems replacement, handicap accessibility and other repairs of a non- luxury nature, with grants or loans from this source of funding. LCI also provides assistance to non-profit agencies with gap financing for project hard costs. The projects must be construction ready and fully financed except for a moderate gap. This funding is for staff costs for project delivery, rehabilitation hard costs for gap financing and lead based paint evaluation for the residential loan program. The funding objective is to benefit L/M income housing.
22	Project Name	Beulah Land Development Corp. - 245 Munson St.
	Target Area	Newhallville Neighborhood Dixwell Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Create Safe, Supportive & Affordable Housing
	Funding	CDBG: \$20,000

	Description	245 Munson St is part of BLDC's efforts to develop affordable housing and increase homeownership opportunities in the Dixwell/Newhallville community. The project will serve to increase the supply of quality affordable housing available to low- to moderate-income households, as well as establishing and maintaining a suitable living environment for area residents. CDBG funds will be used to provide support for the new construction project at 245 Munson Street which is a single-family homeownership project.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1 household
	Location Description	245 Munson Street
	Planned Activities	CDBG funds will be used to provide support for the new construction project at 245 Munson Street which is a single-family homeownership project.
23	Project Name	Beulah Heights Church
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Community Health Issues Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$7,152
	Description	Funds will be used to support the expansion of Beulah Heights Food Pantry services from once a month to twice a month distribution with daily distribution to those with referrals. Funds will be used to purchase food; to purchase pantry necessities such as racks, stands, bags, and equipment; and to provide van transportation to senior citizens to come and shop at the food pantry.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	100H

	Location Description	Funds will be used to support the expansion of Beulah Heights Food Pantry services from once a month to twice a month distribution with daily distribution to those with referrals. Funds will be used to purchase food; to purchase pantry necessities such as racks, stands, bags, and equipment; and to provide van transportation to senior citizens to come and shop at the food pantry.
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support the expansion of Beulah Heights Food Pantry services from once a month to twice a month distribution with daily distribution to those with referrals. Funds will be used to purchase food; to purchase pantry necessities such as racks, stands, bags, and equipment; and to provide van transportation to senior citizens to come and shop at the food pantry.
24	Project Name	BHcare - Hope Family Justice Center
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$15,574
	Description	Funds will be used to partially cover the salary of the Site Manager at the Hope Family Justice Center.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Funds will support the provision of services to 96 persons
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to partially cover the salary of the Site Manager at the Hope Family Justice Center.
25	Project Name	BHcare - Umbrella Center for Domestic Violence Services
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$14,305

	Description	Funds will be used to continue supporting the role of a full-time Housing Specialist station at the New Haven Safe House. The Housing Specialist assists survivors of domestic violence and their children in finding safe, suitable and stable housing after leaving the safe home.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	An estimated 65 persons will receive services
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to continue supporting the role of a full-time Housing Specialist station at the New Haven Safe House. The Housing Specialist assists survivors of domestic violence and their children in finding safe, suitable and stable housing after leaving the safe home.
26	Project Name	Catholic Charities Archdiocese of Hartford/ Centro San Jose
	Target Area	Fair Haven Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Funds will be used on youth program staff salaries and benefits, program supplies and contractual expenses necessary to provide programming. The proposed program will also work with Yale University, which is providing in-kind supports from staff and student volunteers to assist youth in preparing and applying to colleges, increasing their success in enrolling in college and addressing racial inequity issues. CDBG funds will pay a portion of the Youth Coordinators salary and the salary of a part-time Youth Worker.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	55 persons
	Location Description	Service Provider Location: 290 Grand Ave.
	Planned Activities	CDBG funds will pay a portion of the Youth Coordinators salary and the salary of a part-time Youth Worker.

27	Project Name	Children In Placement
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	CIP works toward the goal of securing a safe permanent home for every abused and neglected child in Connecticut. CIP recruits, trains and supervises community volunteers to be Guardians Ad Litem (GALs) for children who, through no fault of their own, find themselves in the child protection system as victims of abuse or neglect. CIP GALs work alongside judges, attorneys, and social workers to speak up for children in court. CDBG funding will help to maintain GAL support and allow it to grow to reach more children and provide new services. CDBG funds will be used to support program costs which include recruiting and training the volunteer GALs and maintaining a Regional Manager to support and supervise them. The Regional Manager is responsible for recruitment and supervision of these GALs.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	130 p
	Location Description	Location of Services: 155 East Street, Suite 202
	Planned Activities	CDBG funding will help to maintain GAL support and allow it to grow to reach more children and provide new services. CDBG funds will be used to support program costs which include recruiting and training the volunteer GALs and maintaining a Regional Manager to support and supervise them. The Regional Manager is responsible for recruitment and supervision of GALs.
28	Project Name	Children's Community Programs of CT Inc. - Youth Transition Services
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$12,398

	Description	The Children's Community Programs (CCP) Youth Transition Services (YTS) program works to provide young adults (16 to 24) with the skills and connections needed to succeed in today's labor market and connect them to employment. Funding for this program will allow an Employment Specialist to recruit, identify, and increase the number and quality of employers, as well as provide additional level of information and support to employers. CDBG funds will be used to hire an Employment Specialist to increase our employer engagement and matching efforts and fund a four (4) week working interview stipend to be paid to the program participants 16 years and older.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	5 youth
	Location Description	Service Provider Address: 843 Whalley Ave.
	Planned Activities	CDBG funds will be used to hire an Employment Specialist to increase our employer engagement and matching efforts and fund a four (4) week working interview stipend to be paid to the program participants 16 years and older.
29	Project Name	Christian Community Action, Inc.
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$7,074
	Description	CCA's New HOPE Program is being designed to create a pathway to economic stability for families that are homeless or at risk of homelessness. CCA will provide onsite housing and supportive services to 18 families of varying sizes for up to 36 months and aftercare support for up to 1 year after exit/securing of permanent housing. Funds will be used to pay the salaries and benefits of a family coach and an employment specialist.
	Target Date	6/30/2023

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	18 families
	Location Description	New HOPE Housing Program, 660 Winchester Avenue.
	Planned Activities	CCA's New HOPE Program is being designed to create a pathway to economic stability for families that are homeless or at risk of homelessness. CCA will provide onsite housing and supportive services to 18 families of varying sizes for up to 36 months and aftercare support for up to 1 year after exit/securing of permanent housing. Funds will be used to pay the salaries and benefits of a family coach and an employment specialist.
30	Project Name	City Seed - Sanctuary Kitchen
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Sanctuary Kitchen, a program of CitySeed, was formed in 2017 to partner with refugees and immigrants to build economic opportunity and authentic connections through food. Sanctuary Kitchen runs a catering social enterprise that provides authentic, multicultural catering and food products and supports employment, professional training and integration of refugees and immigrants into Greater New Haven. Sanctuary Kitchen also hosts cooking classes, supper club meals, and other culinary events, all led by immigrants and refugees from around the world. CDBG funding will allow Sanctuary Kitchen to continue building a training program for immigrants and refugees in New Haven. Funds will support vital expenses associated with expanding the Sanctuary Kitchen Culinary Training program and responding to the increased demand for the training program. Funds will be used for expenses such as: wages for chefs participating in the training, educational and training materials, a portion of salaries for Sanctuary Kitchen personnel to lead the training program, kitchen space, and interpretation and translation to reduce language barriers and ensure learning is accessible to all.
	Target Date	6/30/2023

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	3 individuals and their families
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	CDBG funding will allow Sanctuary Kitchen to continue building a training program for immigrants and refugees in New Haven. Funds will support vital expenses associated with expanding the Sanctuary Kitchen Culinary Training program and responding to the increased demand for the training program. Funds will be used for expenses such as: wages for chefs participating in the training, educational and training materials, a portion of salaries for Sanctuary Kitchen personnel to lead the training program, kitchen space, and interpretation and translation to reduce language barriers and ensure learning is accessible to all.
31	Project Name	CitySeed - City Seed Farmers Market
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Community Health Issues Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Address Community Health Issues Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537

	Description	CDBG funds will be used to strengthen and expand CitySeeds network of Farmers Markets during the 2022 season. Funds will support CitySeeds markets in continuing to respond to the increased food insecurity in New Haven that remains a lasting impact of the pandemic. This grant will also support CitySeeds efforts to expand farmers markets into more inclusive and accessible places; continue to adapt markets to the changing reality of COVID-19; expand ability to accept and match crucial federal nutrition programs to increase food security, like SNAP and WIC, at all our market locations, and through partnership with Common Ground with the Mobile Market; promote economic opportunity for local farms and small food businesses; make markets more inclusive for vendors and customers; and launch a new Farmers Market location in the Dixwell neighborhood in partnership with Q House. Funds will be utilized to pay a portion of three full-time staff salaries, the Farmers Market Director, the Farmers Market Manager and the Community Outreach Manager and a portion of the seasonal Assistant Market Manager salary. Funds will also be used for outreach flyers, signage and banners, SNAP tokens, vehicle expenses, cooking demonstrations for on-site demonstrations, translation services, farmers market entertainment, and permitting fees for the operation of the farmers markets.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	An estimated 7,000 people will benefit
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be utilized to pay a portion of three full-time staff salaries, the Farmers Market Director, the Farmers Market Manager and the Community Outreach Manager and a portion of the seasonal Assistant Market Manager salary. Funds will also be used for outreach flyers, signage and banners, SNAP tokens, vehicle expenses, cooking demonstrations for on-site demonstrations, translation services, farmers market entertainment, and permitting fees for the operation of the farmers markets.
32	Project Name	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen - Dinner Program
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations

	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	New Haven. Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen (DESK) provides food assistance to people experiencing homelessness or living in poverty in New Haven by serving nightly meals. They provide a basic need in the form of sustenance; but more than that, they serve as a key point of outreach for people experiencing both chronic and episodic homelessness in New Haven, as well as for those dealing with long-term poverty. Funds will be used to provide professionally prepared, nutritious meals to people experiencing homelessness or living poverty as a means of both providing for their health and wellbeing, as well as to urge them to connect with support service providers. DESKs fulltime chef works with over 2,000 volunteers over the course of the year as well as dozens of churches, synagogues, businesses, civic groups, and schools to ensure a safe and welcoming space that can provide a healthy meal and a sense of community, dignity, and empowerment. DESKs Program Manager serves as the pivot point between the thousands of people served and the corps of service providers with whom they forge strategic partnerships. Between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023, Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen will serve approximately 50,000 meals to an estimated 1,700 men, women, and children through our Evening Meals program. Funds will used to partially fund two positions - Food Services Manager & Food Services Coordinator.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen will serve approximately 50,000 meals to an estimated 1,700 men, women, and children through our Evening Meals program. The funds received will allow the provision of services to 235 persons
	Location Description	Service Provider: 266 State Street
	Planned Activities	Funds will used to partially fund two positions – Food Services Manager & Food Services Coordinator.
33	Project Name	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen - Drop-In & Resource Center
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	CDBG: \$30,300

	Description	Under this project proposal, DESK will provide life-saving basic needs to people experiencing unsheltered homelessness at its Drop-in & Resource Center (DRC), alongside client engagement services and outreach. By expanding its meal service program into a drop-in center with longer hours and more services, DESK now offers a place for people to count on, feel comfortable in, and trust. The underlying strategy of the DRC is to offer immediate basic needs as an initial draw, but then to connect clients to next level services particularly shelter and housing services via the Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (CAN) so that they can move beyond homelessness. DESK owns the building at 266 State Street, giving them full site-control and the ability to execute programming as deemed appropriate without the constant negotiation that comes with rented space. The DRC allows DESK to provide not only meals but Basic Needs Services, linkages to housing and support services, and medical outreach. Basic Needs Services include not only a place of refuge from severe weather for people on the street, but also food, beverages, coffee/tea, restrooms, clothing, cold weather gear, hygiene products and toiletries, first aid supplies, Wi-Fi access, charging stations, computers and printers, phone access and mail service. DESK works closely with its community partners. DESK hosts the street medicine team from Cornell Scott Hill Health Center onsite at the DRC twice per week. In addition, the street psychiatric team from Connecticut Mental Health Center frequents the space as part of their outreach work. In 2022, DESK will be entering into a contract with the APT Foundation to offer weekly substance use outreach and consultation. Funds will be used to support the provision of services at the Drop-In Resource Center by helping to fund the salary of the Site Coordinator and 3 site specialists.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Funding will support the provision of services to an estimated 77 persons
	Location Description	Service Provider: 266 State Street
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support the provision of services at the Drop-In Resource Center by helping to fund the salary of the Site Coordinator and 3 site specialists.
34	Project Name	Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen, Inc (in partnership with Loaves & Fishes)

	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Community Health Issues
	Needs Addressed	Address Community Health Issues
	Funding	CDBG: \$4,768
	Description	Under this program proposal, Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen (DESK) will partner with Loaves & Fishes (L&F) to provide pantry delivery services to 12 households (approximately 18 people) living in low-income apartment complexes in New Haven. DESK and L&F already operate the two largest food pantry programs in New Haven by volume of food distributed and individuals served. Their current, site-based pantry programs have each been in operation for more than twelve years; over the last four years, both agencies have begun providing delivery pantry services. In response to so many seniors and immunocompromised individuals unable to get to food pantries the agencies have proposed an increase in pantry delivery services. Funds will be used to pay a portion of a Procurement Specialist's salary with the primary responsibility of food delivery; purchase of wholesale/bulk food items; and expenses associated with packaging and delivering food to clients.
	Target Date	
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	12 households (approximately 18 people)
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to pay a portion of a Procurement Specialist's salary with the primary responsibility of food delivery; purchase of wholesale/bulk food items; and expenses associated with packaging and delivering food to clients.
35	Project Name	EIR Urban Youth Boxing
	Target Area	Communitywide Hill Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537

	Description	Elephant In the Room Boxing Club (EIR) is a co-ed youth boxing gym. EIR Urban Youth Boxing Club will use boxing to build character and positive social development among the children in the area. This low-cost boxing program will provide tremendous unmatched form of exercise, build self-confidence, improve healthful living of the participants and encourage education with boxing as the basis. Outcomes in the short term may be difficult, but we can expect improved muscle tone, weight loss, and improved cardiovascular function. Funds will be used for salaries to operate the program partially funding the Executive Director and trainers and providing volunteer stipends. Funds will also be used for boxing equipment, COVID related PPE, cleaning supplies and leasing of the facility.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Services will be provided to an estimated 120 people
	Location Description	Location: 540 Ella T. Grasso Blvd., New Haven.
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used for salaries to operate the program partially funding the Executive Director and trainers and providing volunteer stipends. Funds will also be used for boxing equipment, Covid related PPE, cleaning supplies, leasing of the facility, heating, electricity, internet, mobile/land line phone services, and snow removal, trash removal, accounting and deep cleaning.
36	Project Name	Elderly Services Dept. - City of New Haven
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$19,074
	Description	Funds will be utilized to provide transportation and access to social activities, educational classes and fitness activities. Funding will support trips to keep seniors engaged in the community including trips to the Big E, Holiday Hill, Apple Picking, Lighthouse Park, shopping, and movie theatre trips. Funds will also be used for Tai Chi, fitness classes and ceramic classes. This program year they also plan to offer computer classes to help seniors adjust to changing technology.
	Target Date	6/30/2023

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	500 seniors
	Location Description	Supports Senior Center Activities Citywide
	Planned Activities	Funds will be utilized to provide transportation and access to social activities, educational classes and fitness activities. Funding will support trips to keep seniors engaged in the community including trips to the Big E, Holiday Hill, Apple Picking, Lighthouse Park, shopping, and movie theatre trips. Funds will also be used for Tai Chi, fitness classes and ceramic classes. This program year they also plan to offer computer classes to help seniors adjust to changing technology.
37	Project Name	Elm City International
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Funds will be used for the "College Readiness Academy". This project includes a reading and writing program, college counseling, and college follow-through programs. The goal of this project is for all student participants to be academically prepared for college, have the tools to apply to college and financial aid, and have access to the resources needed to succeed once they are in college so that they thrive and graduate. The funding that is being requested will go towards the salary of ECLs Reading and Writing Teacher who also acts as its College Counselor and College Follow-through Coordinator. It will also help fund its head mentor and academic tutors who assist students after school and at the summer academy. These staff members are central in ensuring that students are prepared to succeed academically and socially in college and as a result graduate from college and then be in a position to give back to their communities.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	22 youth
	Location Description	

	Planned Activities	Funding will go towards the salary of ECI's Reading and Writing Teacher who also acts as the College Counselor and College Follow-through Coordinator. It will also help fund the head mentor and academic tutors who assist students after school and at the summer academy. These staff members are central in ensuring that students are prepared to succeed academically and socially in college and as a result graduate from college and then be in a position to give back to their communities.
38	Project Name	FISH of Greater New Haven
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Community Health Issues
	Needs Addressed	Address Community Health Issues
	Funding	CDBG: \$16,000
	Description	Funds will be used for the Grocery Delivery Program. FISH's Grocery Delivery Program focuses on delivering food to the homebound. The majority of these homebound clients are elderly, immune-compromised, disabled and/or otherwise medically fragile. Funds will be used to pay a portion of a part-time Pantry Assistant needed to sort, pack and load food in the warehouse. Most of the funding will be used to purchase food not available from the foodbank or through private donations for distribution to clients.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1,110 households
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used for the Grocery Delivery Program. FISH's Grocery Delivery Program focuses on delivering food to the homebound. The majority of these homebound clients are elderly, immune-compromised, disabled and/or otherwise medically fragile. Funds will be used to pay a portion of a part-time Pantry Assistant needed to sort, pack and load food in the warehouse. Most of the funding will be used to purchase food not available from the foodbank or through private donations for distribution to clients.
39	Project Name	Gather New Haven
	Target Area	Communitywide

	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Funds will be used to invest in creating youth employment opportunities through the Growing Entrepreneurs program. Growing Entrepreneurs Participants will be trained and assigned to work on capital improvement projects at nature preserves and community gardens. They will learn how to plan and operate a social enterprise; professional conduct; and basic skills to construct and install trail signs and informational kiosks; rehabilitate unpaved trails; replace fencing; build compost bins; and clear overgrowth and invasive plant species. Growing Entrepreneurs will receive training to perform work related duties and an understanding of professional conduct. Students will work on various projects which rely on basic carpentry skills, math fundamentals, financial literacy, and basic knowledge of plant life, biodiversity, and urban ecology. The Growing Entrepreneurs Program provides the students with job and life skill training that sets them up for success in high school and in future jobs and secondary education. The program also provides the students with a stable source of income for two years. Finally, the program creates opportunities for staff-student and peer-peer mentoring. Student participants will receive a stipend to participate in the program and all funds will go to pay youth stipends.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	20 persons
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to invest in creating youth employment opportunities through the Growing Entrepreneurs program. Growing Entrepreneurs Participants will be trained and assigned to work on capital improvement projects at nature preserves and community gardens.
40	Project Name	Hannah Gray Development Corp.
	Target Area	Dixwell Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Address Community Health Issues
	Needs Addressed	Address Community Health Issues

	Funding	CDBG: \$7,629
	Description	Funds will be used to provide low-income elderly residents with health and wellness on-site along with other activities to boost social engagement which has proven to slow mental and physical deterioration. Programs include visiting nurses, blood pressure screening, nutritionists, chair exercise, etc. Funds will be used to fund a portion of the program coordinator position, supplies for programming and costs for health and wellness services. The program coordinator is essential to the program. This position coordinates and facilitates various resident wellness, fitness, supportive and social services between the tenants and outside agencies. Outside health and wellness costs include Visiting Nurse services necessary to assess new residents and periodically offer monitoring services to existing residents; a dietician from Yale New Haven Health for nutrition and meal guidance; a Massage Therapy Program to improve blood flow and depression; and other social, health and wellness programming.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	20 Households
	Location Description	Location: 241 Dixwell Ave. New Haven
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to provide low-income elderly residents with health and wellness on-site along with other activities to boost social engagement which has proven to slow mental and physical deterioration. Programs include visiting nurses, blood pressure screening, nutritionists, chair exercise, etc. Funds will be used to fund a portion of the program coordinator position, supplies for programming and costs for health and wellness services. The program coordinator is essential to the program. This position coordinates and facilitates various resident wellness, fitness, supportive and social services between the tenants and outside agencies. Outside health and wellness costs include Visiting Nurse services necessary to assess new residents and periodically offer monitoring services to existing residents; a dietician from Yale New Haven Health for nutrition and meal guidance; a Massage Therapy Program to improve blood flow and depression; and other social, health and wellness programming.
41	Project Name	Higher Heights Youth Empowerment Programs

	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Higher Heights Youth Empowerment Programs, Inc. is requesting CDBG funding to support its Coding/College Program for students in grades 9 through 12 (ages 14-18) in the City of New Haven. The purpose of the Coding/College Access Program is to help close the college access gap between high- and low-performing children, especially the achievement gaps between minority and nonminority students, and between disadvantaged children and their more advantaged peers; and to provide students with an enriched and accelerated educational program that increases self-confidence, self-worth, and self-pride. This program provides project-based, self-paced, mentor-supported courses in STEM (science, technology, engineering, math) and entrepreneurship. Funds will be used for a portion of the Program Coordinators salary and mentor/tutor stipends. A portion of the funds requested will also provide program manuals for students, program calendars, t-shirts for students, program completion certificates and awards.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	50 persons
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Higher Heights Youth Empowerment Programs, Inc. is requesting CDBG funding to support its Coding/College Program for students in grades 9 – 12 (ages 14-18) in the City of New Haven. Funds will be used for a portion of the Program Coordinators salary and mentor/tutor stipends. A portion of the funds requested will also provide program manuals for students, program calendars, t-shirts for students, program completion certificates and awards.
42	Project Name	Inspired Communities Inc. (Adult Institute)
	Target Area	Newhallville Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement

	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	The objectives of the program are to create economic opportunity and support neighborhood engagement in New Haven adults (primarily Newhallville residents) earning less than 80% of the area median income. These objectives are to help local adults turn their skills and experiences into employment opportunities, including microbusiness and self-employment opportunities for people who face difficulty obtaining employment because of their past history, and to provide opportunity for participants to engage in positive neighborhood empowerment. When adults join the Institute, they will choose one of two tracks for participation: (1) Community empowerment: Participants will learn about how business and government run; how the structures affect our community; how decisions are made; and how to influence those decisions. Participants will identify their priorities and practice communications to engage and impact their community. (2) Economic Development (Business and employment re-imagined): Participants will utilize an inventorying process to identify their experiences, strengths, skills, and passions. They will brainstorm with staff and mentors to develop a plan for their own employment or business future. They will learn basic business skills including marketing, budgeting, billing, and compliance. They will also be assisted in trials of their micro-business with local community partners. The funds requested will pay for staff and other necessary program expenses to support the adult participants who have joined the program. Funds will be used to support the salary of the Institute Manager.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	10 persons
	Location Description	Location. 31 Lander St. New Haven.
	Planned Activities	The funds requested will pay for staff and other necessary program expenses to support the adult participants who have joined the program. Funds will be used to support the salary of the Institute Manager.
43	Project Name	Inspired Communities Inc. (Youth Institute)
	Target Area	Newhallville Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development

	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$13,000
	Description	The program is designed to help youth obtain new skills and experiences, and to expand their vision of their individual potential. When youth join the Institute, they choose one of two tracks for participation: (1) Community empowerment: Youth will learn about how business and government run; how the structures affect our community; how decisions are made; and how to influence those decisions. Speakers with expertise in business, government, and community activism are invited to speak to inspire the youth. Youth will identify their priorities and practice communications to engage and impact their community. (2) Media Platforms: Youth will learn media skills, including video and audio production. They will practice the skills in projects which will be available for distribution. The video and audio projects could depict role models to inspire City youth, and/or businesses, government projects, or newsworthy events that could inspire and empower our community. The youth who make the video and audio contact would have the benefit of direct exposure to the subjects of the production, building their sense of possibility as a result of connecting with these successful people and projects. Funds will pay for staff and other necessary program expenses to support the children and youth who have joined the program. Funds will cover a portion of the salary for a Lead Teacher.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	15 persons
	Location Description	Location. 31 Lander St. New Haven.
	Planned Activities	The program is designed to help youth obtain new skills and experiences, and to expand their vision of their individual potential. Funds will pay for staff and other necessary program expenses to support the children and youth who have joined the program. Funds will cover a portion of the salary for a Lead Teacher.
44	Project Name	Integrated Refugee & Immigrant Services (IRIS)
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming

	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Funds will be used for the Universal Social Services project (USS), which provides intensive case management support to low-income non-refugee immigrants resettling in New Haven. IRIS has provided this kind of support to refugees since 1982. In response to the growing number of non-refugee immigrants arriving in New Haven, IRIS has begun to provide services to other low-income immigrants settling in New Haven. An important element of this work is providing intensive case management to recent immigrant families to assist them in meeting basic needs and integrating into the community. Case managers assist immigrants in finding housing, food assistance, health care, education, job training and employment. In order to meet the growing need, IRIS has expanded the non-refugee case management staff to three full-time employees. The requested funds would be used to support case management staff.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	150 persons
	Location Description	Service Provider Location: 235 Nicoll St. 2nd FL. New Haven.
	Planned Activities	In response to the growing number of non-refugee immigrants arriving in New Haven, IRIS has begun providing intensive case management to recent immigrant families to assist them in meeting basic needs and integrating into the community. Case managers assist immigrants in finding housing, food assistance, health care, education, job training and employment. In order to meet the growing need, IRIS has expanded the non-refugee case management staff to three full-time employees. The requested funds would be used to support case management staff.
45	Project Name	JUNTA for Progressive Action
	Target Area	Fair Haven Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$16,689

	Description	Junta offers no-cost social services, legal services, immigration services, adult education, and youth programs to over 2,000 low-income individuals annually. Services are interconnected to achieve the greatest net benefit for the intergenerational households served. Juntas Case/Crisis Management Services are at the core of what they do. The case management team provides socioeconomic security with direct support and educational tools, leading to transformative changes at both the individual and community levels. Junta assists participants with the coordination of benefits for applicable State or Federal assistance programs (e.g., SSI/SSD, Housing Assistance, Food Stamps, Medicaid, Medicare, etc.) and administers food assistance and vouchers, offers legal advocacy, and conducts translation and interpretation services. The case management team also supports participants who experienced job loss due to the pandemic through referrals to partner organizations and other resources. The case management team works with participants at the intersection of immigration services, advocacy and case management. Junta will continue to offer COVID-19 pop up vaccine and wellness activities as well as other health prevention campaigns. The CDBG funds requested would be allocated primarily toward supporting the payroll of the Case Management team, including the Director of Social Services, Case Manager and hiring an additional Intake Coordinator/ Administrative Assistant to meet increased demand for services.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Junta offers no-cost social services, legal services, immigration services, adult education, and youth programs to over 2,000 low-income individuals annually. An estimated 500 clients will be serviced with this funding support
	Location Description	Location: 169 Grand Ave. New Haven.
	Planned Activities	The CDBG funds requested would be allocated primarily toward supporting the payroll of the Case Management team, including the Director of Social Services, Case Manager and hiring an additional Intake Coordinator/ Administrative Assistant to meet increased demand for services.
46	Project Name	Liberty Community Services
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations

Funding	CDBG: \$11,444
Description	<p>Liberty has two goals: 1) help people who are experiencing homelessness or at risk of being homeless secure and maintain permanent housing; and 2) provide essential services to support people in maintaining their housing. On a national level, libraries have found people experiencing homelessness and other social service needs tend to gravitate to them. Libraries serve as a safe place where people can wash up, protect their possessions, use a restroom, and find a quiet spot to feel control over their environment. To response to this, in 2014 Liberty, together with the public library, provided Office Hours in order to meet with homeless two times a week. Although the program has allowed for expanded services and availability, increased demand for this service is still evident, measured by the number of persons who use the service and the number of people who cannot be accommodated during the office hours. The CDBG funds requested will be used to increase this intervention to meet the needs. Liberty will hire one full-time case manager to work 35 hours per week. These funds will enable Liberty to have staff housed primarily in the main library branch with regular office hours at each of the other branches in New Haven. The case manager works will with the homeless and vulnerable patrons experiencing mental health decompensation, behavioral and health problems.</p>
Target Date	6/30/2023
Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	100 homeless individuals
Location Description	These funds will enable Liberty to have staff housed primarily in the main library branch with regular office hours at each of the other branches in New Haven.

	Planned Activities	Liberty has two goals: 1) help people who are experiencing homelessness or at risk of being homeless secure and maintain permanent housing; and 2) provide essential services to support people in maintaining their housing. In 2014, Liberty, together with the public library, provided “Library Office Hours” in order to meet with homeless two times a week. Although the program has allowed for expanded services and availability, increased demand for this service is still evident, measured by the number of persons who use the service and the number of people who cannot be accommodated during the office hours. CDBG funds will be used to increase this intervention to meet the needs. Liberty will hire one full-time case manager to work 35 hours per week. These funds will enable Liberty to have staff housed primarily in the main library branch with regular office hours at each of the other branches in New Haven. The case manager works will with the homeless and vulnerable patrons experiencing mental health decompensation, behavioral and health problems.
47	Project Name	Literacy Volunteers
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$14,305
	Description	Literacy Volunteers provides evidence-based tutoring programs that increase adult learners literacy and English-speaking skills to expand economic opportunities. CDBG funds will support program staff salaries and to support tutors in the agency's free education programs. The focus of their work in the upcoming program year is outreach, access and equity. The priority is outreach to new and returning students and tutors. The agency is focusing on access to workbooks, distance learning platforms and tutor training on utilizing these technologies.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	375 Persons
	Location Description	

	Planned Activities	CDBG funds will support program staff salaries and support tutors in the agency's free education programs. The focus of their work in the upcoming program year is outreach, access and equity. The priority is outreach to new and returning students and tutors. The agency is focusing on access to workbooks, distance learning platforms and tutor training on utilizing these technologies.
48	Project Name	Mary Wade Home, Inc. - Transportation Program
	Target Area	Fair Haven Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$14,305
	Description	Mary Wade's primary objective under this program is to provide its Medical and Weekend Transportation program and to increase outreach to some of the communities most isolated and economically disadvantaged seniors. CDBG funding would help to provide additional rides and supplement the cost for low-income elderly members of the New Haven community. The funding would allow them to continue to serve those in need of adequate, reliable transportation. Funds requested will be used to pay a portion of the salaries for the van drivers associated with providing medical and weekend transportation services to seniors in the community who are licensed and trained to assist seniors of varying abilities.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	250 Persons
	Location Description	Location 118 Clinton Avenue. New Haven
	Planned Activities	Funds requested will be used to pay a portion of the salaries for the van drivers associated with providing medical and weekend transportation services to seniors in the community.
49	Project Name	New Haven Ecology Project - Common Ground
	Target Area	West Rock Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming

	Funding	CDBG: \$12,305
	Description	Funding is requested to support Common Ground's Kids Unplugged after school program. This program is run by The New Haven Ecology Project, Inc. (NHEP), known in the community as Common Ground. These meaningful, outdoor programs serve New Haven children in grades k through 8 and take place at Common Ground (358 Springside Ave.), in the West Rock neighborhood of New Haven. The Kids Unplugged after school program is offered every day that school is in session. Program activities are farm and nature based, focused on physical activity, health and nutrition, play, and social/emotional wellness. CDBG funds will be used to pay a portion of the salary for Common Ground's Director of Community Programs for time spent overseeing the Kids Unplugged Program as well as the Kids Unplugged Program Manager. Funds will also support costs of part-time environmental educators.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	160 youth
	Location Description	Program Location: 358 Springside Avenue
	Planned Activities	CDBG funds will be used to pay a portion of the salary for Common Ground's Director of Community Programs for time spent overseeing the Kids Unplugged Program as well as the Kids Unplugged Program Manager. Funds will also support costs of part-time environmental educators.
50	Project Name	New Haven HomeOwnership Center
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Improve Access to Homeownership
	Needs Addressed	Improve Access to Homeownership
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537

	Description	The New Haven HomeOwnership Center (HOC) increases homeownership opportunities for individuals and families by offering pre- and post-purchase homebuyer education, financial coaching, and homeownership preservation services to help people gain financial proficiency and ensure that new and existing homeowners will be able to retain their homes. The project will provide low, moderate, and middle-income clients with quality homebuyer education workshops, foreclosure prevention services, budget counseling, and homeownership training. Funds will be used to support delivery of services through partial funding of the Managing Directors salary and some benefits.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1,000 people
	Location Description	Location: 333 Sherman Avenue.
	Planned Activities	CDBG Funds will pay for partial funding of the Managing Directors salary and some benefits.
51	Project Name	New Haven Pop Warner
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$19,074
	Description	Funding would be used to purchase and recondition new equipment for training and playing. Funds will also support cheer league participants. Also requesting materials and supplies, food for participants during games and practice, medical supplies, AED, COVID-19 cleaning supplies, advertising, printing, liability insurance, postage and inspection fees.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	300 youth
	Location Description	Communitywide youth participation

	Planned Activities	Funding would be used to purchase and recondition new equipment for training and playing. Funds will also support cheer league participants. Also requesting materials and supplies, food for participants during games and practice, medical supplies, AED, COVID-19 cleaning supplies, advertising, printing, liability insurance, postage and inspection fees.
52	Project Name	New Haven Reads
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$23,842
	Description	Funds will be used to support the one-on-one tutoring program at 2 sites (Bristol St. and Science Park) and will be used to partially fund the salaries of two Site Directors. Site Directors monitor each child's progress by observing and tracking their progress during the tutoring hour and communicating with the child's tutor and parent.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	An estimated 250 youth will benefit from funding provided
	Location Description	2 sites - Bristol St. and Science Park
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support the one-on-one tutoring program at 2 sites (Bristol St. and Science Park) and will be used to partially fund the salaries of two Site Directors. Site Directors monitor each child's progress by observing and tracking their progress during the tutoring hour and communicating with the child's tutor and parent.
53	Project Name	New Haven YMCA Youth Center
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537

	Description	The Central Connecticut Coast YMCA gives youth an enriching and safe experience. Our experienced and caring staff and volunteers model the positive core Y values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility that help build character. Funds will allow the New Haven YMCA Youth Center to offer fifty (50) teens and young adults an enriching opportunity as part of the curriculum within our aquatics program. This program is a safe and productive place for youth to spend out of school time, and to feel like they belong. This program will allow students to socialize with peers for positive social development while developing aquatics skills in and around water with no cost for families.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Funds will allow the New Haven YMCA Youth Center to offer fifty (50) teens and young adults an enriching opportunity as part of the curriculum within our aquatics program.
	Location Description	Location: New Haven YMCA Youth Center, 52 Howe Street
	Planned Activities	Funds will allow the New Haven YMCA Youth Center to offer fifty (50) teens and young adults an enriching opportunity as part of the curriculum within our aquatics program. This program is a safe and productive place for youth to spend out of school time, and to feel like they belong. This program will allow students to socialize with peers for positive social development while developing aquatics skills in and around water with no cost for families.
54	Project Name	Project MORE, Inc. - Re-entry Program
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$19,074

	Description	Project MORE provides structure and a systematic process to reintegrate formerly incarcerated citizens into the Greater New Haven community and provides necessary services. The program will assist residents released by the CT Department of Correction. Staff will assist returning residents who may be homeless, unemployed and disconnected from their families. Project MORE would use the funds requested to add to its current staff. There would be one part-time Retention Case Manager and an additional Community Service worker. Clients for the retention and community service program would come from the Walter Brooks Halfway House. The Case Manager would work with facility staff and clients to determine needs upon discharge. The Retention Case Manager will utilize community contacts along with each clients Parole Officer to meet their needs. The community service staff would supervise clients, while residing in the facility, in various projects within the City of New Haven. This is where clients give back to the community. The program focus is to assist returning citizens with their rehabilitation and completion of their conditions of parole. By achieving this goal, recidivism can be reduced and safety enhanced. Case management services will assist clients to be productive citizens, through education, employment, stable housing, family and social support, mental health and substance abuse treatment and sobriety.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	140 re-entry clients
	Location Description	Location: 830 Grand Ave.
	Planned Activities	Project MORE will use funds to add to its current staff. There would be one part-time Retention Case Manager and an additional Community Service worker.
55	Project Name	Project MORE, Inc. Re-entry Welcome Center
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	CDBG: \$71,527

	Description	Funds will support the Project MORE Re-Entry Welcome Center. The purpose of the center is to provide services and supports to assist formerly incarcerated individuals in their successful re-entry into the community. The proposed project will increase current programming by continuing to provide staff who can address client needs through case management and career resources. It will enhance the ability to provide continued service as well as providing food for individuals returning from incarceration and supplies needed for programming. All clients of the program are encountering at least one barrier to successful reentry. Providing case management services helps them receive the support necessary to tackle each barrier and reach their goals. Our case managers also improve the quality of life of our clients by providing them with access to stable housing; support and access to services for mental health; support and access to services for substance use disorder; employment; training; education and more.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	200 individuals
	Location Description	Location: 830 Grand Ave.
	Planned Activities	The proposed project will increase current programming by continuing to provide staff who can address client needs through case management and career resources and supplies needed for programming.
56	Project Name	rKids Family Center
	Target Area	Dixwell Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537

	Description	To support the afterschool program Girls' at Tracey's Place, which provides academic support to girls age 13-16 involved in the child welfare system. The program sessions currently consist of tutoring time, peer support, activity planning, nutrition education and field trips. Operates a minimum of three afternoons a week during the school year. Funding will also be used to expand programming for boys utilizing The Council for Boys and Young Men's curriculum and offering Girl's Circle to girls ages to 10-14. Funding requested for staffing, including an Education Coordinator, Teacher, and Teacher's aide to provide quality afterschool programming.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	20 youth
	Location Description	Location: 45 Dixwell Ave. New Haven
	Planned Activities	To support the afterschool program Girls' at Tracey's Place, which provides academic support to girls age 13-16 involved in the child welfare system. Funding will also be used to expand programming for boys utilizing The Council for Boys and Young Men's curriculum and offering Girl's Circle to girls ages to 10-14. Funding was requested for staffing, including an Education Coordinator, Teacher, and Teacher's aide to provide quality afterschool programming.
57	Project Name	Sickle Cell Disease Assoc. Of America, Southern CT
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Address Community Health Issues
	Needs Addressed	Address Community Health Issues
	Funding	CDBG: \$19,074
	Description	Funds will complement Sickle Cells efforts that will focus on prevention to minimize the number of babies born with sickle cell disease (SCD) since the disease is genetically transmitted.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Provide information and outreach to 5,500 persons

	Location Description	Service Location: 545 Whalley Ave. New Haven.
	Planned Activities	Funds will complement Sickle Cells efforts that will focus on prevention to minimize the number of babies born with sickle cell disease (SCD) since the disease is genetically transmitted.
58	Project Name	Solar Youth
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,537
	Description	Youth participate over the summer and after-school during the academic year in hands-on environmental education and youth development activities. They go on at least 5 full-day adventure trips per season. Youth Educator Interns co-lead programs. As part of the program, youth complete Community Service Action Projects (C-SAPs) each season which engage youth in activities aimed at improving their neighborhoods. Through the C-SAP process, youth identify local issues that affect the health of people and the environment, and then seek solutions through problem-solving and youth-led action. C-SAPs may include direct action (e.g., a park, community or river clean-up), education (e.g., an anti-litter, anti-bullying or anti-violence campaign), or citizenship (e.g. letter-writing or visits to public officials). Youth are the leaders in all aspects of the projects and learn first-hand how to be agents of positive change. Funds will be used to support the hiring of an additional Youth Educator in order to meet demand to enroll more youth.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	175 youth
	Location Description	Service Location: 53 Wayfarer St. New Haven.
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support the hiring of an additional Youth Educator in order to meet demand to enroll more youth.
59	Project Name	Student Parenting and Family Services
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming

	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$6,675
	Description	<p>Student Parenting and Family Services operates the Elizabeth Celotto Child Care Center on-site at Wilbur Cross High School, and has designed its program to: 1) Facilitate the access of adolescent parents to public education; 2) Provide school-based, integrated support services for adolescent parents and care for their children, including early childhood and parenting education, and social services; 3) Foster the emotional, educational, social and physical development of the children of adolescent parents; and 4) Improve the academic, social and economic outcomes of adolescent parents. The COVID-19 pandemic has significantly increased the challenges facing adolescent parents and their children. When schools operated remotely, adolescent parents had to attend high school classes from home using unstable internet connections while simultaneously caring for an energetic infant or toddler. Infants and toddlers were unable to regularly attend quality early childhood educational programs. It is critical that young parents be reengaged with school and young families receive educational, developmental and social service supports to help them catch up and resume learning and healthy development. The Project will provide childcare, early childhood education and developmental assessments, referrals to early intervention services, high school academic advising, social service and behavioral health support and crisis intervention to help adolescent parents reengage, remain in and graduate from high school, and transition successfully to college or regular employment, and to support their young childrens cognitive, physical and social-emotional development. Funds will be used to support staff salaries (partial salaries of Project Director) and project supplies</p>
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	49 Youth
	Location Description	Student Parenting and Family Services operates the Elizabeth Celotto Child Care Center on-site at Wilbur Cross High School
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support staff salaries (partial salaries of Project Director) and project supplies
60	Project Name	The Greater New Haven O.I.C.

	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$3,500
	Description	Funds will be used to cover the cost of Patient Care Technician Training (20P), Certified Nurse Assistant Training (10P), and Phlebotomy Technician Training (8P) at the Harborview School of Phlebotomy. All funds will be used for training.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	3 persons
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	All funds will be used for training.
61	Project Name	The Boys & Girls Club of New Haven - Afterschool Program
	Target Area	Hill Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Provide Public Service Programming
	Needs Addressed	Provide Public Service Programming
	Funding	CDBG: \$14,305
	Description	The Boys and Girls Club of New Haven offers a research-based youth development curriculum delivered by caring, trained Youth Development Professionals. The Boys and Girls Club of NHs Afterschool Program is designed to help New Haven youth manage the academic and social-emotional challenges brought on by the pandemic. The Boys and Girls Club afterschool Program provides a safe, positive and engaging environment where children receive homework help, have fun, and build the confidence they need to achieve great futures. The academic core of the afterschool program, Power Hour, helps Club members achieve academic success by providing homework help, tutoring and learning activities. Priority outcomes for afterschool youth are: Academic Success, 2) Good Character and 3) Healthy Lifestyles. The funding requested will be used to help cover the salary of the Columbus Avenue Clubhouse Site Coordinator who supervises and trains a team of more than 30 Youth Development Professional and volunteers and collaborates with its school-based Site Coordinators.

	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	450 Youth
	Location Description	Location: 253 Columbus Ave. New Haven
	Planned Activities	The funding will be used to help cover the salary of the Columbus Avenue Clubhouse Site Coordinator who supervises and trains a team of more than 30 Youth Development Professional and volunteers and collaborates with its school-based Site Coordinators.
62	Project Name	Youth Entrepreneurs
	Target Area	Communitywide Dixwell Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Promote Education and Economic Development
	Needs Addressed	Promote Education & Economic Advancement
	Funding	CDBG: \$7,152

<p>Description</p>	<p>Provide programming to socioeconomically disadvantaged middle and high school youth providing opportunities for academic and vocational success. Programs are developed to teach & inspire middle school students to prepare as leaders in the industrial, nonprofit, and government sectors by integrating positive social and emotional learning, community engagement, and entrepreneurial workforce skills. Programs are offered to qualifying participants at no cost, with special focus on underrepresented and underserved young people. The Generation Genius Program caters to the need of youth in New Haven that live below the poverty line. This program allows youth to engage in conducive programming to help prevent criminal activity from escalating and to help youth become proactive about their future. The Program provides tutorial services that allow students to enhance their ability to improve academic prosperity. The Generation Genius Program will run for approximately fifteen (15) weeks throughout the academic school year and six (6) weeks during the summer. The Generation Genius Program consists of the Afterschool, In-School, Saturday Academy, and Summer Enrichment Program. During the After and In-School Program, 100 youth will participate in the sessions allotted per quarter that will run from September 2022-May 2023 and recommence in June 2023 through August 2023 for a summer cohort. Youth will have the opportunity to focus on all areas of academia and businesses that specialize in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) related matters. This program combines these subjects with business entrepreneurship by engaging students in designing products or services. This will create opportunity to broaden participation in STEM related fields. YE has partnered with Southern Connecticut State University to host participating youth for approximately six (6) weeks during summer months for the Summer Enrichment Program. High school participants will have the opportunity for exposure to campus life, while focusing on academics and entrepreneurship. Youth will have the opportunity to work with mentors and other local business owners to further cultivate their businesses and skill set. At the end of the summer, YE will host its Second Annual Youth Entrepreneur Exposium, where youth have the opportunity to showcase their STEM related businesses to local media outlets and business owners.</p>
<p>Target Date</p>	<p>6/30/2023</p>

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	18 youth
	Location Description	Program Services Address: 1441 Dixwell
	Planned Activities	With CDBG funding, the goal is to expand the current Generation Genius Program to accommodate a total of 18 students throughout Fiscal Year 2022-2023.
63	Project Name	Federal Regulatory Requirements - City Plan
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Administrative Support
	Needs Addressed	Provide Administrative Support
	Funding	CDBG: \$105,777
	Description	Funding will be used to support City Plan's role in performing Environmental Reviews on behalf of the Consolidated Plan programs, this task requires a dedicated staff person who is able to prioritize this as a primary job activity. Knowledge of local historic and environmental context is critical for the task and this position is currently filled dedicated Planner II staff. CDBG funds are allocated to an existing Planner II position that will be primarily responsible for performing Environmental Reviews and related activities, historic preservation and neighborhood planning activities.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	
64	Project Name	General Administration-M&B/Finance
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Administrative Support
	Needs Addressed	Provide Administrative Support
	Funding	CDBG: \$463,116

	Description	City Activity. Provide for the administration and coordination of the various components of the Consolidated Plan program. Specific tasks include technical and administrative support such as the coordination of the application process, from application development, public notification, public meetings; determination of project eligibility; oversight of compliance to federal regulations and systematic monitoring, responsible for meeting HUD reporting requirements, establishment of budgets, processing and review of payment requests, and assistance with contract preparations for sub-recipients. Coordination of related Consolidated Plan projects and reports, preparation of responses to federal and municipal findings, authorization, training and oversight of staff approved to access HUD's on-line Integrated Disbursement Informational System (IDIS) and any coordination and preparation of related requirements, i.e., Impediments to Fair Housing Plan, Consolidated Plan, Citizen Participation Plan, etc.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	
65	Project Name	General Administration-CSA
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Administrative Support
	Needs Addressed	Provide Administrative Support
	Funding	CDBG: \$155,907
	Description	To provide for the administration of the CDBG program which consists of the following items: annual HUD reporting, processing and reviewing of payment requests, monthly financial reporting, assistance with the funding application process, preparation of responses to HUD, assist with preparation of HUD mandated reports, data entry into HUD's online Integrated Disbursement Informational System and monitoring of CDBG Consolidated Plan activities to ensure compliance with federal regulations.
	Target Date	6/30/2023

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	To provide for the administration of the CDBG program which consists of the following items: annual HUD reporting, processing and reviewing of payment requests, monthly financial reporting, assistance with the funding application process, preparation of responses to HUD, assist with preparation of HUD mandated reports, data entry into HUD's online Integrated Disbursement Informational System and monitoring of CDBG Consolidated Plan activities to ensure compliance with federal regulations.
66	Project Name	HOME CHDO Set-Aside
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Create Safe, Supportive & Affordable Housing
	Funding	HOME: \$225,208
	Description	The City of New Haven is required to set aside 15% of its allocation specifically for CHDOs. It is to be used for various eligible activities such as acquisitions, construction expenses etc. Up to 10% of the set-aside can be used for predevelopment activities and expenses in the form of acquisition or seed loans to determine project feasibility.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	new construction of 3 owner and 3 rental units
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	The City of New Haven is required to set aside 15% of its allocation specifically for CHDOs. It is to be used for various eligible activities such as acquisitions, construction expenses etc. Up to 10% of the set-aside can be used for predevelopment activities and expenses in the form of acquisition or seed loans to determine project feasibility.
67	Project Name	HOME Downpayment and Closing Homeownership Assistance
	Target Area	Communitywide

	Goals Supported	Improve Access to Homeownership
	Needs Addressed	Improve Access to Homeownership
	Funding	HOME: \$50,000
	Description	Homebuyer down payment and closing cost assistance program which gives a Homebuyer assistance towards the costs of buying and down payment. Homebuyer is required to complete pre-and post-counseling to receive these funds.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	5 Households
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Homebuyer down payment and closing cost assistance program which gives a Homebuyer assistance towards the costs of buying and down payment. Homebuyer is required to complete pre-and post-counseling to receive these funds.
68	Project Name	HOME Energy Efficiency Rehabilitation Assistance Program (EERAP)
	Target Area	Communitywide CDBG Eligible Target Areas
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Preserve and Improve Existing Housing Stock
	Funding	HOME: \$200,000
	Description	Energy Efficiency Rehabilitation Assistance Program (EERAP) which will help homeowners improve their utility costs by making certain eligible improvements under the program. This Program is complimenting the Neighborhood Stabilization Program and the mission to stabilize our neighborhoods in this economic crisis. These funds will allow the program to reach the low, moderate and middle-income residents of New Haven.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	6 Households

	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	
69	Project Name	HOME Housing Development
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
	Needs Addressed	Preserve and Improve Existing Housing Stock
	Funding	HOME: \$896,041
	Description	Funds will be used for acquisition, new construction or rehabilitation of affordable homeownership and on a limited basis, rental units. Developers of affordable housing seeking such funding will be required to submit application to LCI throughout the program year. Developers may be non-profit housing providers, for-profit providers, CHDOs and LCI equity investments). Loans and grants will be approved at the discretion of LCI. Criteria for funding includes: capacity and track record of developer, financial feasibility of project, need for proposed housing and conformity with the City of New Havens Consolidated Plan along with the mission of the City of New Haven for the development year. Includes an estimated \$20,000 in Program Income.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	35 rental units rehabbed and 35 owner units rehabbed
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used for acquisition, new construction or rehabilitation of affordable homeownership and on a limited basis, rental units. Developers of affordable housing seeking such funding will be required to submit application to LCI throughout the program year. Developers may be non-profit housing providers, for-profit providers, CHDOs and LCI equity investments). Loans and grants will be approved at the discretion of LCI. Criteria for funding includes: capacity and track record of developer, financial feasibility of project, need for proposed housing and conformity with the City of New Haven's Consolidated Plan along with the mission of the City of New Haven for the development year. Includes an estimated \$20,000 in Program Income.
70	Project Name	HOME Admin City of New Haven

	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Administrative Support
	Needs Addressed	Provide Administrative Support
	Funding	HOME: \$150,138
	Description	Cover program costs, monitoring and other allowable administration costs associated with the administration and oversight of the HOME Program.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	Cover program costs, monitoring and other allowable administration costs associated with the administration and oversight of the HOME Program.
71	Project Name	2022-2025 Columbus House CTH22F002 (CH)
	Target Area	New Haven MSA
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	HOPWA: \$101,905
	Description	Funds will be used to support 9 individuals living with HIV/AIDs, who are experiencing homelessness or at risk of becoming homeless in New Haven, including comprehensive case management and direct housing assistance in order to keep the client housed and connected to critical support services.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	9 persons
	Location Description	586 Ella Grasso Blvd

	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to support 9 individuals living with HIV/AIDs, who are experiencing homelessness or at risk of becoming homeless in New Haven, including comprehensive case management and direct housing assistance in order to keep the client housed and connected to critical support services.
72	Project Name	2022-2025 Independence Northwest CTH22F002 (IN)
	Target Area	New Haven MSA
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	HOPWA: \$200,321
	Description	Funds will be used to provide scattered-site tenant based rental assistance for 31 clients and their families in the Greater Waterbury area.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	25 clients and their families
	Location Description	1183 New Haven Road, Suite 200, Naugatuck.
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to provide scattered-site tenant based rental assistance for 31 clients and their families in the Greater Waterbury area.
73	Project Name	2022-2025 Leeway CTH22F002 (LW)
	Target Area	New Haven MSA
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	HOPWA: \$71,206
	Description	Funds will be used to serve 30 residents in the Residential Care Housing Program. Services will include a service plan, addressing their discharge goals and locating safe and affordable housing. Plans to discharge 5 residents to the community and provide 2 residents with security deposits, first month's rent and utility arrearage.
	Target Date	6/30/2023

	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	30 residents who will receive HOPWA supportive services
	Location Description	Location: 40 Albert Street, New Haven 06511.
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to serve 30 residents in the Residential Care Housing Program. Services will include a service plan, addressing their discharge goals and locating safe and affordable housing. Plans to discharge 5 residents to the community and provide 2 residents with security deposits, first month's rent and utility arrearage.
74	Project Name	2022-2025 Liberty Community Services CTH22F002 (LCS)
	Target Area	New Haven MSA
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	HOPWA: \$360,821
	Description	Funds will be used to provide subsidized rents for those that fall within the low to extremely low poverty guideline obtain permanent housing within the community.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	8 clients will receive rental assistance
	Location Description	153 East St. New Haven 06511
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to provide subsidized rents for those that fall within the low to extremely low poverty guideline obtain permanent housing within the community.
75	Project Name	2022-2025 New Reach Inc CTH22F002 (NR)
	Target Area	New Haven MSA
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	HOPWA: \$310,938

	Description	Funds will be used to strengthen their Supportive Housing Program's capacity to administer and provide monthly tenant-based rental assistance and permanent housing placement to families living in Greater New Haven whose head of households have been affected by HIV/AIDs.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	TBRA to 25 families
	Location Description	269 Peck St. New Haven
	Planned Activities	Funds will be used to strengthen the Supportive Housing Program's capacity to administer and provide monthly tenant-based rental assistance and permanent housing placement to families living in Greater New Haven whose head of households have been affected by HIV/AIDs.
76	Project Name	2022-2025 Stay Well CTH22F002 (SW)
	Target Area	New Haven MSA
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
	Funding	HOPWA: \$104,655
	Description	Funding will be used to support PHP for 11 individuals and STRMU to 4 individuals. Funds will also be used to cover 50% of the Housing Coordinator salary.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	15 clients
	Location Description	Location: 80 Phoenix Ave. Suite 201 Waterbury 06702.
	Planned Activities	Funding will be used to support PHP for 11 individuals and STRMU to 4 individuals. Funds will also be used to cover 50% of the Housing Coordinator salary.
77	Project Name	2022-2025 HOPWA Administration City of New Haven CTH22F002 (CoNH)
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide Administrative Support

	Needs Addressed	Provide Administrative Support
	Funding	HOPWA: \$35,550
	Description	To plan and coordinate the City's HOPWA activities, provide technical assistance, contract preparation, invoice processing, monitoring and facilitate the review process and oversee compliance with federal regulations and Standards of Care guidelines.
	Target Date	6/30/2023
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
	Location Description	
	Planned Activities	To plan and coordinate the City's HOPWA activities, provide technical assistance, contract preparation, invoice processing, monitoring and facilitate the review process and oversee compliance with federal regulations and Standards of Care guidelines.
78	Project Name	ESG 22 - New Haven
	Target Area	Communitywide
	Goals Supported	Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations Provide Administrative Support
	Needs Addressed	Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations Provide Administrative Support
	Funding	ESG: \$324,089

Description	<p>ESG will provide funding for the following 6 activities: Columbus House Re-Housing (\$71,109) for rapidly re-house of individuals in New Haven. Rapid Re-Housing provides immediate, short-term financial assistance in the form of initial rent and security deposits to clients who are experiencing homelessness. Columbus House Seasonal Shelter (\$75,958) Funds to operate a 75-bed, seasonal overflow shelter for men in New Haven that will offer access to case management designed to provide housing and increase income. Works with the CAN to est. resources and supportive services for the clients in order to make them successful. The shelter will operate from November 2020 to April 2021. Liberty Community Services - Supportive Services/Street Outreach (\$51,438) Funds will be used to the Service Navigator will conduct outreach and linkage to services within a specific geographic area that encompasses Grand Ave. (location of a large shelter), the Sunrise Cafe, the Green and surrounding areas and the Library. The Service Navigator will connect people to services/care within this area making referrals and providing necessary follow-up. Liberty Community Services Prevention (\$50,639) Provide security deposit assistance or first month's rent to greater New Haven county residents that are literally homeless to obtain permanent housing and rental arrearage assistance to renters who are at risk of homelessness due to possible evictions. New Reach Inc (\$50,639) Support one full-time Sustainability Case Worker to provide high quality case management services to families who are being rapidly rehoused. The case worker will help address families own unique barriers and issues to stable housing by funding solutions that improve their economic mobility. ESG Admin (\$24,306) To plan and coordinate the City's ESG activities, provide technical assistance, assist with contract preparation, facilitate the review process and oversee compliance with federal regulations and Standards of Care guidelines.</p>
Target Date	6/30/2023
Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	
Location Description	

<p>Planned Activities</p>	<p>ESG will provide funding for the following 6 activities: Columbus House Re-Housing (\$71,109) for rapidly re-house of individuals in New Haven. Rapid Re-Housing provides immediate, short-term financial assistance in the form of initial rent and security deposits to clients who are experiencing homelessness. Columbus House Seasonal Shelter (\$75,958) Funds to operate a 75-bed, seasonal overflow shelter for men in New Haven that will offer access to case management designed to provide housing and increase income. Works with the CAN to est. resources and supportive services for the clients in order to make them successful. The shelter will operate from November 2020 to April 2021. Liberty Community Services - Supportive Services/Street Outreach (\$51,438) Funds will be used to the Service Navigator will conduct outreach and linkage to services within a specific geographic area that encompasses Grand Ave. (location of a large shelter), the Sunrise Cafe, the Green and surrounding areas and the Library. The Service Navigator will connect people to services/care within this area making referrals and providing necessary follow-up. Liberty Community Services Prevention (\$50,639) Provide security deposit assistance or first month's rent to greater New Haven county residents that are literally homeless to obtain permanent housing and rental arrearage assistance to renters who are at risk of homelessness due to possible evictions. New Reach Inc (\$50,639) Support one full-time Sustainability Case Worker to provide high quality case management services to families who are being rapidly rehoused. The case worker will help address families own unique barriers and issues to stable housing by funding solutions that improve their economic mobility. ESG Admin (\$24,306) To plan and coordinate the City's ESG activities, provide technical assistance, assist with contract preparation, facilitate the review process and oversee compliance with federal regulations and Standards of Care guidelines.</p>
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AP-50 Geographic Distribution – 91.220(f)

Description of the geographic areas of the entitlement (including areas of low-income and minority concentration) where assistance will be directed

The City of New Haven spends the majority of its Consolidated Plan funding in its low and moderate-income target areas which include those census tracts and neighborhoods where more than 51% of the population is comprised of persons of low- or moderate income (defined by HUD as less than 80% of the Area Median Income) or for projects and programs that provide direct benefit to low- and moderate-income populations.

There are several specific neighborhoods in the City where neighborhood revitalization and code enforcement efforts are targeted. These include the Hill, Newhallville, Dixwell, Fair Haven, Dwight and West Rock neighborhoods. These neighborhoods have both high numbers of low- and moderate-income households as well as substandard, vacant and blighted structures and properties.

Geographic Distribution

Target Area	Percentage of Funds
Communitywide	54
CDBG Eligible Target Areas	21
New Haven MSA	15
Hill Neighborhood	4
Newhallville Neighborhood	1
Dixwell Neighborhood	1
Fair Haven Neighborhood	2
West Rock Neighborhood	1
Dwight Neighborhood	1
Opportunity Zones	0
Beaver Hills	0
Edgewood	0

Table 8 - Geographic Distribution

Rationale for the priorities for allocating investments geographically

The projects and activities funded by the City as described in this Action Plan benefit low- and moderate-income households and individuals either as direct benefit to income eligible program participants or as area wide benefits to neighborhoods or areas with more than 51% of the population being of low and moderate income. Generally, the CDBG, HOME and ESG programs serve the entire City of New Haven in accordance with the program requirements of each grant. The City targets the majority of its resources in neighborhoods that have more than 51% of its population having very low, low-moderate and

moderate-incomes.

Discussion

The City distributes funding on a project merit and beneficiary basis. There are no specific Target Areas designated within the City. All neighborhoods and census tracts with over 51% low and moderate-income population are eligible for CDBG funds. The map included as an attachment to this plan depicts the areas of low- and moderate-income concentration within the City where community development activities are generally funded. There are several distinct neighborhoods within the City where anti-blight and neighborhood revitalization activities are concentrated in an effort to achieve neighborhood stability. These neighborhoods are the Hill, Newhallville, Dixwell, Fair Haven, Dwight and West Rock neighborhoods.

The HOPWA program serves the New Haven EMSA which covers 27 municipalities in the region. The HOPWA funding is allocated as part of the annual Consolidated Plan application process, along with CDBG, HOME and ESG requests. Advertisements announcing public meetings and the availability of funds were placed in local and regional publications in order to make funds available throughout the New Haven Eligible Metropolitan Statistical Area (EMSA). Applications are reviewed by the Administration and funding recommendations are made to the Board of Aldermen through referral to the joint HR/CD Committee. Applicants are given the opportunity to appear before the HR/CD Aldermanic Committee to provide verbal testimonies to support their programs. The Aldermanic Committee makes recommendations to the Full Board for final approval.

Affordable Housing

AP-55 Affordable Housing – 91.220(g)

Introduction

During the PY 2022 Action Plan Year the City of New Haven will use its CDBG and HOME funds to support and develop affordable housing activities serving low and moderate income persons and families and/or persons with special or supportive housing needs. HOPWA and ESG funds are not being used to create new affordable housing units over the upcoming program year. HOPWA and ESG funds are being used for the provision of rental assistance and supportive services.

With the use of CDBG, HOME and a combination of both funding sources, it is anticipated that 89 units of affordable housing will be rehabilitated or created. Consistent with the strategy set forth in this Five-Year Consolidated Plan, the majority of the units will be created through the rehabilitation of existing structures with a focus on creating affordable homeownership opportunities. In addition, LCI will also provide an Elderly/Disabled Emergency Rehabilitation Loan Program and an Energy Efficiency Rehabilitation Program. The City will also continue to provide a Downpayment and Closing Cost Assistance Program with HOME funds. Because HOME funds are distributed on a project by project basis throughout the program year, it is difficult to enumerate the exact number of units to be created at the start of the program year. Actual accomplishments with HOME funding will be reported in the City’s Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER).

The tables that follow provide annual goals for the number of households to be supported and the method of support. The City does not provide a rental assistance program with its CDBG or HOME funds. HOPWA funding is used to provide short term rent, mortgage and utility assistance (STRMU); permanent housing placement (security deposits); tenant based rental assistance (TBRA) and supportive services. ESG funds provide not only emergency shelter but also prevention and rapid rehousing rental assistance.

One Year Goals for the Number of Households to be Supported	
Homeless	1,762
Non-Homeless	183
Special-Needs	9,289
Total	11,234

Table 9 - One Year Goals for Affordable Housing by Support Requirement

One Year Goals for the Number of Households Supported Through	
Rental Assistance	117
The Production of New Units	8
Rehab of Existing Units	170
Acquisition of Existing Units	20

One Year Goals for the Number of Households Supported Through	
Total	315

Table 10 - One Year Goals for Affordable Housing by Support Type

Discussion

The goals contained in the tables above represent the anticipated accomplishments based upon the proposed allocation of Consolidated Plan funding (CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA) for the 2022-2023 Program Year.

The projects and programs to be assisted over the program year are described in more detail on the individual project sheets.

AP-60 Public Housing – 91.220(h)

Introduction

On behalf of the City Administration, LCI collaborates with the Housing Authority of New Haven on several of its major housing redevelopment projects in support of their efforts to provide housing choice through the provision of new rental and homeownership opportunities.

Actions planned during the next year to address the needs to public housing

The City supports efforts of the housing authority through the provision of direct financial assistance in and around housing authority projects, property support and the promotion of collaborative efforts. Capital improvements to Housing Authority properties are funded for the most part through HUD's Public Housing Program's operating and capital funds and through Moving to Work enabled flexible funds. Based on a formula, the Housing Authority receives annual funding to address physical and management needs that have been identified in the Authority's Moving to Work plan. The planning process involves a partnership with residents, staff and local City officials to identify and implement the physical and management improvements needed throughout the Authority. Activities included in the Housing Authority's annual Moving to Work Plan are developed through a collaborative process which includes resident involvement. These activities are further coordinated with the CDBG, HOME, and ESG programs to provide maximum benefit without duplication. To provide housing choice, the City collaborates on the creation of mixed income, mixed use developments in support of the Housing Authority's initiatives.

Actions to encourage public housing residents to become more involved in management and participate in homeownership

Resident input and involvement remains at the heart of efforts to improve the quality of life both within public housing developments and at scattered site locations in New Haven. Residents participate in most aspects of planning and priority setting. All residents are encouraged to participate in the tenant councils at various projects. In addition, New Haven's public housing residents are represented by a Citywide Resident Advisory Board. The Resident Advisory Board gathers tenant leaders of HANH developments from across the City to discuss important issues facing residents. Its members participate in a variety of committees that work directly with HANH staff members to formulate housing authority policy. The role of the Resident Advisory Board in the planning process of HANH has become especially critical since 2000, when HANH became part of the Moving to Work Demonstration Program (MTW). An MTW agency cannot function effectively without the input and support of its residents, so HANH relies on its Resident Advisory Board and its Tenant Residence Councils to actively contribute to the process.

If the PHA is designated as troubled, describe the manner in which financial assistance will be provided or other assistance

The Housing Authority of New Haven is not designated as “troubled” by HUD.

Discussion

Housing Authority of New Haven (HANH) is the public housing agency serving the City of New Haven. HANH serves over 6,100 families and over 14,000 individuals through its public housing, housing choice voucher and low-income housing tax credit programs. Through affordable housing programs, residents pay no more than 30% of their income toward their housing expenses. Families are supported in reaching their life goals through a full array of supportive services that lead to the increased income, entrepreneurship, education attainment, homeownership and more. HANH is committed to expanding access to affordable housing services and to ensuring that these services are available in every community.

AP-65 Homeless and Other Special Needs Activities – 91.220(i)

Introduction

The City of New Haven is committed to providing housing and support services that directly benefit the homeless, near homeless and special needs populations as evidenced by the programs and projects it supports. With the use of its Consolidated Plan funding under the CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA programs, and the infusion of general and capital fund resources, the City provides for and supports the homeless and special needs populations within its borders. As available, the City also seeks other resources through foundations, competitive grant processes, the State and other special funding sources directed to populations most in need.

Describe the jurisdictions one-year goals and actions for reducing and ending homelessness including

Reaching out to homeless persons (especially unsheltered persons) and assessing their individual needs

Outreach to the homeless is provided through programs implemented through the City's Community Service Administration and by the various agencies and organizations that comprise the local continuum network of providers known as Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (CAN). Through their collaborative efforts, an assessment of local needs and strategies to provide housing and supportive services has been developed. Unsheltered homeless are serviced by local food pantries and soup kitchens; receive assistance and referrals when presenting themselves for emergency medical care; and receive outreach services and referrals to supports from street outreach personnel. GNH CAN member agencies and the City all utilize a common Homelessness Management Information System (HMIS) that minimizes duplication of services and helps to provide a more efficient and effective delivery of services and supports to those in need. New Haven has established a Homelessness Advisory Committee to ascertain need and develop a systematic approach to providing a continuum of housing supports and improving the lives of the homeless.

Addressing the emergency shelter and transitional housing needs of homeless persons

The City has several emergency shelters within its borders that address the emergency housing needs of the homeless. Shelters are available for single men, women, women and their children, veterans and youth. Non-profit agencies within the City, as part of the Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network, provide support services and have developed transitional housing with support to meet the needs of the homeless and at-risk and move individuals more effectively from homeless to housed.

Helping homeless persons (especially chronically homeless individuals and families, families with children, veterans and their families, and unaccompanied youth) make the transition to permanent housing and independent living, including shortening the period of time that

individuals and families experience homelessness, facilitating access for homeless individuals and families to affordable housing units, and preventing individuals and families who were recently homeless from becoming homeless again

Local homeless housing and service providers offer counseling, referral, programs, and supportive services to the individuals and families they serve to provide each with the resources they need to transition to permanent housing and independent living. Through collaboration with other provider agencies and local housing and social service providers, programs and supports have been created to help overcome the effects of substance abuse; provide job skill and life skill development; provide family support services such as child care, health care, budgeting and household management skills; assist with basic needs; and promote economic advancement. Combined, these supports assist the homeless or near homeless in developing the skills and resources required to find permanent and suitable housing.

Helping low-income individuals and families avoid becoming homeless, especially extremely low-income individuals and families and those who are: being discharged from publicly funded institutions and systems of care (such as health care facilities, mental health facilities, foster care and other youth facilities, and corrections programs and institutions); or, receiving assistance from public or private agencies that address housing, health, social services, employment, education, or youth needs.

The City and local non-profit housing and service providers implement several programs targeted to address homelessness prevention. The City of New Haven has been proactive in working with institutions and non-profit agencies and organizations in addressing the issues of homelessness and the needs of the homeless through the local Continuum of Care process as well through the Mayor's Homeless Advisory Commission and programs offered through the Community Services Administration and collaborative agencies. Outreach and prevention are both provided through numerous programs and include, foreclosure prevention; the provision of rapid re-housing assistance, short term financial assistance, payment in arrears and assistance with utilities and rent to avoid eviction; and community re-entry programming. The City expends its CDBG, ESG and HOWPA resources in support of various homelessness prevention programs.

The City does not own facilities or directly operate programs serving homeless persons, and therefore, does not discharge clients/persons from institutional settings to settings that would result in homelessness for "institutionalized persons." The City of New Haven does contract with a variety of private, non-profit organizations that provide services to homeless individuals and families including the provision of financial support to emergency shelter facilities. The City's Community Services Administration has incorporated a statement of compliance into its agreement letters with funding recipients for homelessness services asking for adherence with the State of Connecticut's Discharge Policy that prohibits discharging clients/persons from institutional settings to homelessness.

As another measure, the City has created a Prison Re-Entry Initiative with a mission to support New

Haven residents returning to the community after incarceration. The program supports the individual as well as their family and the communities to which they return. The Initiative seeks to coordinate and expand services and opportunities for formerly incarcerated persons and their families to help them with employment, education, housing, health care, and family issues. In addition, the City has also funded several programs with CDBG funding whose intent is to support individuals with re-entry into the community after incarceration.

Discussion

The City utilizes its CDBG, ESG and HOPWA funds to assist both the homeless and persons at-risk of homelessness.

The City budgeted approximately \$1.375 million in General Fund resources to support the homeless for program year 2022-23.

AP-70 HOPWA Goals– 91.220 (I)(3)

One year goals for the number of households to be provided housing through the use of HOPWA for:	
Short-term rent, mortgage, and utility assistance to prevent homelessness of the individual or family	3
Tenant-based rental assistance	119
Units provided in permanent housing facilities developed, leased, or operated with HOPWA funds	0
Units provided in transitional short-term housing facilities developed, leased, or operated with HOPWA funds	0
Total	122

AP-75 Barriers to affordable housing – 91.220(j)

Introduction:

As it works to provide decent, safe and affordable housing opportunity for all of its residents, the City of New Haven strives to implement programs and seek resources with which barriers within its control can be overcome. On an annual basis the City uses its Consolidated Plan resources to rehabilitate housing, construct new housing, and provide housing and supportive services to residents in need. The City also seeks other funding to leverage local dollars and entitlement grant funding. Specific projects and programs to be funded during the 2022-2023 program year and their benefit are included earlier in this action plan. The narrative below describes the programs and policy efforts the City supports to overcome housing barriers.

Actions it planned to remove or ameliorate the negative effects of public policies that serve as barriers to affordable housing such as land use controls, tax policies affecting land, zoning ordinances, building codes, fees and charges, growth limitations, and policies affecting the return on residential investment

To address the identified barriers to affordable housing within its control, the City has developed several strategies as the focus for the promotion of affordable housing and housing choice. They include:

Regionalization of Affordable Housing: As there is a need to spread affordable housing opportunities across the region, City staff remain involved with the South-Central CT Regional Council of Government's planning efforts to promote regionalism in transportation, economic development and housing. SCCRCOG prepared a Regional Housing Market Assessment, an implementation strategy and plan to meet identified needs. There has been limited action in the implementation of the strategy and provision of affordable housing outside the confines of the City. Implementation and active participation by all sectors of the region is vital to overcoming the regional disparity in the provision of affordable housing. The City continues its involvement with the regional collaboration to meet affordable and supportive housing needs without assuming the full financial and locational burden.

Neighborhood Development and Site Selection: High costs involved in site acquisition, demolition, and remediation have made it difficult to identify suitable sites for affordable housing. The City will continue to promote its general priorities for housing development aimed at the existing stock and will continue its efforts to develop mixed-income infill residential development to deconcentrate poverty and provide housing choice. The City has successfully completed several large-scale multi-family mixed-income developments with a focus on locations close to transportation and employment linkages. Continuation of these efforts will create sustainable neighborhoods of mixed income and promote stability.

Negative Effects of Blighting Properties: The City uses a range of options to address blighting influences including negotiated acquisition; enforcement of the local anti-blight ordinance; a rental licensing

program; and as needed, redevelopment planning. The City also targets its HOME and CDBG investments in support of other public and private investments. The City will continue its efforts in addressing blight through neighborhood anti-blight and code enforcement sweeps and targeting financial resources to provide visible change.

Building Stock Constraints: The City strives to maintain and preserve the historic fabric of its neighborhoods, however, rehabilitation cost is substantial. With its older buildings having high incidence of lead-based paint and asbestos, coupled with the cost of renovation to the Secretary of the Interior's standards for historic preservation (if required) and creating energy efficient units in structures more than sixty years old, rehabilitation is often difficult without significant financial commitment. The City is committed to assisting homeowners and non-profit housing providers in rehabilitating existing housing stock. Financial resources and technical assistance are provided in an attempt to assist each rehabilitation in the most prudent and cost-effective manner.

Reductions in Funding: Funding reductions on the State and Federal level and declining municipal resources significantly impair the City's ability to provide affordable housing. The City will continue to seek additional resources with which to provide affordable housing, supportive housing and the programs and services necessary to improve the standard of living of its low and moderate income population and the neighborhoods within which they live.

Discussion:

See narratives above.

AP-85 Other Actions – 91.220(k)

Introduction:

During the upcoming Action Year, the City of New Haven will implement various activities to address obstacles to meeting underserved needs, foster and maintain affordable housing, remove barriers to affordable housing, evaluate and reduce lead-based paint hazards, develop institutional structures, enhance coordination between the City and private enterprises and social service agencies, and foster public housing improvements and resident initiatives as described in the Strategic Plan portion of its Consolidated Plan: 2020-2024. As part of these actions, the City will support other entities in the implementation of programs and projects by providing financial resources as available or providing technical assistance and supporting other applications to state, federal and other funding sources for projects which further the City's housing and community development objectives.

Actions planned to address obstacles to meeting underserved needs

The greatest obstacle to meeting underserved needs in the community is the limited amount of financial resources with which to develop housing opportunity, finance all needed revitalization activities and provide all of the supportive and social service needs articulated by area housing and service providers and the community that they serve. To help overcome this obstacle, the City will seek grant funding from State and federal resources, leverage resources to the fullest extent possible, and improve coordination between provider agencies to avoid duplication of services.

Broadband Needs of Housing occupied by Low and Moderate Income Households and Neighborhoods

According to the 2020 ACS, 88.6% of households in New Haven have access to a computer and 81.8% had both access to a computer and a broadband internet subscription. Additionally, over 70% of New Haven residents live in multifamily dwelling units (MDUs), the majority of which have internal copper wiring, making it impossible to receive high speed internet to their home. There is not data to tell us how many of these residents lack the ability to access high speed internet, despite providers claiming that they are eligible to sign up for high-speed internet packages. With at a minimum about a fifth of all households without a computer and quality internet access, it is important to provide access to those without to ensure equal opportunity to communicate, learn and participate in advancements in technology. All local libraries and some of the community substations and non profit agencies have computers with internet access available for public use. The New Haven Free Public Library also provides hands on assistance by appointment to residents seeking to pay bills, troubleshoot devices, sign up for public assistance and other computing tasks to address digital literacy. There is also free public WiFi available on the New Haven Green, in City Hall and in the public library branches. Despite the advances in providing access over the past several years there remains a need to continue to provide computer and broadband internet access in underserved areas of the city. In December of 2019, the City of New Haven prepared and released a Digital Inclusion Plan which proposed new communication infrastructure and digital access. Implementation of the Plan will eliminate the digital divide for all of New Haven,

including residents, businesses of all sizes, and the City's many community anchor institutions. The City's Digital Plan focuses on expanding internet broadband access to all areas of New Haven, creating jobs and small business opportunities, and advancing the education of our children. The Plan was adopted by the Board of Alders in April 2020. The Plan details the City's approach to addressing the problem of digital inclusion with support for and implementation of a citywide wireless internet network. The City's Digital Inclusion Goals include:

- bridging New Haven's digital divide within all of its socio economically diverse communities;
- enabling underserved New Haven communities' usage of the internet to access to jobs, education, healthcare, and government services;
- encouraging residents to better engage and participate in their communities; and
- empowering all City residents to participate more fully in the global information economy and society.

In Fall 2021, the City engaged a consultant to work on a Broadband Feasibility Study, focused on ways to implement the inclusion goals. The City is currently working closely with providers and the State Office of Broadband to gain more information about the lack of internet access in MDUs, and to come up with creative solutions to make sure all New Haveners can access high speed internet.

Actions planned to foster and maintain affordable housing

The City, through its Livable City Initiative (LCI) and through the participation of local non-profit and for-profit organizations, works to address its housing and community development needs, remove impediments to housing choice and provide opportunities for economic achievement and advancement. By providing or supporting a variety of homeownership assistance programs; by providing a variety of programs that create and expand the supply of safe decent and affordable housing; by encouraging neighborhood revitalization and improvement activities; and by supporting empowerment and economic advancement of its residents the City is taking positive steps toward expanding housing and personal advancement opportunities within its borders.

The Affordable Housing Task Force (AHTF) was established by the Board of Alders in March 2018. The Task Force was asked to recommend "actions that the City can take which would increase the number of safe and sanitary SRO units and other low-income housing options." The members convened public meetings in June, July, September, October, November 2018, and January 2019. There was robust engagement from stakeholders at and between meetings. Over the course of its work the Task Force heard testimony from residents, state and federal policy experts, elected officials, developers, advocates, and activists. AHTF members engaged their own subject knowledge expertise as well as the passionate and creative proposals presented by those engaged in the process. There are six major recommendation areas. Each contains items on which we hope that the appropriate branch of government will act promptly.

Actions planned to reduce lead-based paint hazards

The City of New Haven's Health Department plays an active role in addressing childhood lead poisoning and the issue of lead-based paint. In support of these efforts, the City has received Lead-Based Paint Hazard Control Grant awards from HUD. These funds have and continue to be used to address lead abatement in housing units occupied by children with lead poisoning and units being renovated for occupancy by low- and moderate-income families. The City's experience with the HUD Lead Hazard Control Program to date has been successful and when available the City will seek additional funds to continue the initiative. The City was recently awarded additional Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes Funds under the 2019 SuperNOFA in the amount of \$5.6 million. These funds are currently available for use during the Consolidated Plan strategy period. The City was also awarded \$2 million in Healthy Homes funding during Fiscal Year 2022.

New Haven Health Department Lead Inspectors provide lead and asbestos inspection services to homeowners and non-profit developers seeking to perform housing rehabilitation utilizing CDBG and/or HOME funding. The CDBG and HOME funds are provided through the Livable City Initiative (LCI) and the Federal Lead Hazard Control Funds are administered by the Health Department. A thorough and detailed evaluation for the presence of lead and asbestos is produced and provided to the property owner. A specific and comprehensive lead abatement plan is also created by health department Lead Inspectors. The inspection reports and abatement plans are incorporated into the general rehabilitation plan for the structure. If the homeowner is planning on a limited scope of work, discussions are held between all concerned parties until a compromise is reached which provides for lead abatements where necessary. If additional City funding is not accessible the homeowner is encouraged to seek private funding.

CDBG funding is available to non-profit developers for creation of lead safe housing units. The City also supports the lead-based paint testing efforts of the Health Department with local General Fund support for outreach, education, equipment and personnel. In addition, medical providers located within the City provide lead testing of children with laboratory support furnished by the State. If children test positive for high lead levels, referrals are sent to the New Haven Health Department for follow up.

The Health Department and LCI implement housing policy by providing grants and loans to aid in the rehabilitation of housing. All HUD-funded housing assistance programs provided through the City require lead-paint inspections as a condition for receiving funding assistance for housing rehabilitation. Lead Inspectors work with owners and developers to ensure that all properties meet or exceed all local, state and federal health and safety requirements.

Over the Action Plan Year the City will continue to implement its comprehensive Lead-Based Paint Hazard Control Program as part of its efforts to significantly reduce lead-based paint hazards in all housing. As described, all housing assistance programs implemented by the City require full and complete lead-paint and asbestos inspections and proper abatement of all hazards as a condition for

program participation and the receipt of financial assistance.

Actions planned to reduce the number of poverty-level families

The City of New Haven is considered a 'distressed municipality' by the State of Connecticut, in part due to very low per capita and household income levels. In order to decrease the incidence and effects of poverty, the City makes every effort to take full advantage of the programs and resources available to assist its residents in poverty. Support of and coordination among a variety of programs and services is the foundation of the City's strategy. To address poverty, the City supports economic development programs including job skill development, job training, job placement, business retention and business expansion programs; social and support services including preventative health care programs, life skills training and child care; adult education; language and literacy training; supportive housing; and affordable housing rehabilitation and construction programs. All of these programs and services can be utilized to educate, support and empower individuals and their families living in poverty. Through economic development, education, support and empowerment, the City and its service providers are working to move impoverished individuals to a higher financial level and improved self-support. The City utilizes a combination of federal, state and local resources to address poverty and the needs of those living in poverty.

While housing alone neither creates nor resolves poverty, the availability of quality affordable housing provides opportunities to stabilize neighborhoods. The City supports collaborative efforts by non-profits; collaborates with the local continuum of care network of providers known as the Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (CAN); remains involved in regional affordable housing efforts; and fosters connections between special needs housing and the agencies that provide social services. The success of affordable housing programs can only occur through a combination of City resources along with State and Federal offerings. Through collaborative efforts amongst service and resource providers, the duplication of services can be reduced allowing resources to be expended efficiently and effectively to serve the maximum number of recipients.

Actions planned to develop institutional structure

The continuing fiscal crisis on the Federal, State, and local level has created further reductions or changes in staff assignments. In addition, complex regulations, new reporting requirements and the demand for greater transparency within programs instituted or required by State and Federal agencies are not accompanied by adequate training and can be difficult to accomplish with limited staffing. Service delivery cannot be enhanced without funding to train and educate the individuals that provide services. In many instances service delivery has been impacted to some extent by staff change and reductions in funding.

Actions planned to enhance coordination between public and private housing and social service agencies

There are several community-based, not-for-profit developers, for-profit developers and managers of affordable housing. The City encourages these entities to acquire vacant lots and abandoned properties for the use as redevelopment opportunity. The value of the properties provided at below market value can be used to leverage private financing. Many of these non-profits are part of the continuum of care network of providers or have formed associations to exchange ideas, reduce the duplication of services and share resource information. City staff participates in these networks both as a provider of resources and assistance and to ascertain the needs of the community.

Another area to be addressed in the inter-relationships among housing and social services providers is the creation of linked or coordinated programs. To this end, the capacity of client based not-for-profit groups must be enhanced to develop and manage housing. Religious organizations are encouraged to support housing development by working in collaboration with existing developers and social service agencies, leveraging the strengths of each participant. The City also encourages the creation of faith based and start-up organizations by providing technical assistance. In addition, ongoing programs within City departments shall be coordinated to complement or enhance social service provision, economic development resources and housing opportunities.

Discussion:

Describe the need for increased competition by having more than one broadband Internet service provider serve the jurisdiction.

According to the FCC's December 2020 map, just 64.84% of New Haven residents can choose at least a 100/10 mbps home internet service, and only 33% from more than 1 provider. This means that at least 35% of residents are "underserved" according to the FCC. 99% of residents have over 3 options for accessing 25/3 mbps based on the FCC map, but this is an incorrect count that does not include MDUs. There are potentially large numbers of New Haven residents who are "unserved" and cannot access even 25/3 mbps in their home or living unit, including nearly all residents of Elm City Communities properties. Frontier and GoNetSpeed provide fiber internet to some parts of the city, Comcast provides high speed cable and Frontier provides DSL in most of the city. Internet costs are significantly higher in New Haven than in many parts of the country. There is a need for citywide fiber coverage and a need for additional competition in order to ensure citywide internet access and pricing on par with other regions of the country.

The Economic Development Administration (EDA) promotes economic development activity in the city and the region. EDA is also the lead agency for development of the broadband needs of housing occupied by low and moderate-income households and neighborhoods. The City engaged the consultant firm Magellan Advisors to work on a Broadband Feasibility Study. Magellan Advisors has met with the City's current internet providers Comcast, Frontier Communications, GoNetSpeed, Crown Castle, and Verizon 5G. Prospective future providers include Google Fiber, SiFi, Civitas, Spot On, and Utopia.

Program Specific Requirements

AP-90 Program Specific Requirements – 91.220(I)(1,2,4)

Introduction:

Program specific requirements for CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA funds are described in the following sections. CDBG program income in the amount of \$50,000 has been allocated to activities in the project section of this plan and 95% of beneficiaries are anticipated to be low moderate income. A more detailed description of the HOME Resale and Recapture provisions can be found in the appendices section at the end of the document. ESG and HOPWA program specific requirements are included in this section as well.

Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG)

Reference 24 CFR 91.220(I)(1)

Projects planned with all CDBG funds expected to be available during the year are identified in the Projects Table. The following identifies program income that is available for use that is included in projects to be carried out.

1. The total amount of program income that will have been received before the start of the next program year and that has not yet been reprogrammed	50,000
2. The amount of proceeds from section 108 loan guarantees that will be used during the year to address the priority needs and specific objectives identified in the grantee's strategic plan.	0
3. The amount of surplus funds from urban renewal settlements	0
4. The amount of any grant funds returned to the line of credit for which the planned use has not been included in a prior statement or plan	0
5. The amount of income from float-funded activities	0
Total Program Income:	50,000

Other CDBG Requirements

1. The amount of urgent need activities	0
2. The estimated percentage of CDBG funds that will be used for activities that benefit persons of low and moderate income. Overall Benefit - A consecutive period of one, two or three years may be used to determine that a minimum overall benefit of 70% of CDBG funds is used to benefit persons of low and moderate income. Specify the years covered that include this Annual Action Plan.	95.00%

HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME)
Reference 24 CFR 91.220(l)(2)

1. A description of other forms of investment being used beyond those identified in Section 92.205 is as follows:

No other forms of investment of HOME funds, beyond those included in the HOME regulations, are anticipated during the Action Year.

2. A description of the guidelines that will be used for resale or recapture of HOME funds when used for homebuyer activities as required in 92.254, is as follows:

The City may use either the Resale or Recapture provision to ensure compliance with HOME regulations, depending on the program that the City has identified. Due to the character length restrictions in this section, a more detailed description of the Resale Recapture provisions can be found in the appendices at the end of the document.

HOME Recapture: The City of New Haven has chosen to use Recapture in the following instances:

- A. When direct financial assistance is used to reduce the purchase price to below market value for the homebuyer or to otherwise subsidize the homebuyer to make purchase affordable as with the downpayment and closing cost assistance program, also known as “direct subsidy”.
- B. When direct financial assistance is provided to homeowner occupants for rehabilitation costs allowable under the energy efficiency rehabilitation program and elderly emergency repair program. The HOME regulations do not require either resale or recapture, however, the City of New Haven has elected to require recapture of its HOME funds in accordance with CFR Section 92.254(5)(ii)(A).
- C. When financial assistance is used as a direct subsidy to the homebuyer in the form of HOME Downpayment and Closing Cost assistance together with additional energy efficiency rehabilitation program assistance.

HOME Resale: The City shall impose the resale option to ensure the preservation of affordability of the HOME assisted unit in the event a developer (nonprofit/CHDO’s/for profit) is provided HOME assistance to cover the cost of producing the affordable unit above the fair market value by either underwriting new construction or rehabilitation, This type of assistance is known as “development subsidy”, In such instances the homebuyer must sell to another Low

Income Homebuyer (as defined by HUD), with the new home being affordable to the new buyer. The new homebuyer may not pay more than 38 percent of gross income for Principal, Interest, Taxes and Insurance (PITI). In certain circumstances, the City may permit the new homebuyer to assume the City loan and affordability restrictions, i.e., the City will not require the full repayment of the initial HOME subsidy.

3. A description of the guidelines for resale or recapture that ensures the affordability of units acquired with HOME funds? See 24 CFR 92.254(a)(4) are as follows:

The City of New Haven will not be using the presumption of affordability method. The City of New Haven may elect to preserve the affordability of housing that was previously assisted with HOME funds by covering the cost to acquire such housing through a purchase option, right of first refusal, or other preemptive right before its foreclosure, or at the foreclosure sale; financing rehabilitation

costs and carrying costs, as needed; and providing financial assistance to a new eligible homebuyer in accordance with 92.254(a). Under this scenario, the new investment of HOME funding will trigger an amendment to the original project affordability period and, at no time can the additional HOME investment exceed the maximum per unit subsidy.

4. Plans for using HOME funds to refinance existing debt secured by multifamily housing that is rehabilitated with HOME funds along with a description of the refinancing guidelines required that will be used under 24 CFR 92.206(b), are as follows:

During the Action Plan Year, the City does not intend to use HOME funds to refinance existing debt secured by multi-family housing that is being rehabilitated with HOME funds.

Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Reference 91.220(l)(4)

1. Include written standards for providing ESG assistance (may include as attachment)

Funding is based on a competitive application process, which includes the review, scoring and ranking of applications. Standards and program structure vary between applicant agencies, with each program serving specifically targeted populations (such as individuals & families), and type of assistance provided to the client (rapid re-housing, prevention & shelter). The City of New Haven allows agencies to apply for all eligible costs permissible under the program and strives to identify and fund any service gaps within the City. The City awards funding for the following ESG activities: Rapid Re-housing, Homeless Prevention, and Shelter.

The City of New Haven works with area agencies, the Greater New Haven CAN, the Connecticut Coalition to End Homelessness and the Connecticut Balance of State (CoC) to develop, establish and implement a coordinated access system. Rapid Re-housing, Prevention and Shelter services funded under the ESG program are vital components to the overall success of the coordinated access system. These services provide shelter to those who are at-risk or homeless, prevention assistance through rental arrearage, and direct financial assistance to rapidly re-house individuals and families in need. The coordinated access system has standards and program structures able to change and evolve in order to support the overall community wide goal of eliminating homelessness, reducing length of stays at emergency shelters and prevention of at-risk homeless individuals or families. Data describing community-wide outcome measures will be generated from the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) and will be provided to Administration.

2. If the Continuum of Care has established centralized or coordinated assessment system that meets HUD requirements, describe that centralized or coordinated assessment system.

New Haven falls within the Balance of State Continuum of Care within Connecticut. Through the

COC, we have established a HUD approved coordinated entry system that starts with a call to 2-1-1, followed by a Coordinated Access Network appointment, and then access to appropriate housing crisis services. Please follow the link for full COC coordinated entry policies and procedures.

<https://www.ctbos.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/CT-Coord-Access-Network-Policies-Procedures-2021.01.11.pdf>

3. Identify the process for making sub-awards and describe how the ESG allocation available to private nonprofit organizations (including community and faith-based organizations).

As in previous years, requests for Emergency Solutions Grant funds were incorporated into the City's Consolidated Plan application process, along with CDBG, HOME, and HOPWA requests. The procedures are outlined in detail in Appendix A, the Citizen Participation Summary. Following public notification, informational meetings and public hearings, requests were recommended for inclusion in the City's Homeless Programs, to be administered by the Community Services Administration.

4. If the jurisdiction is unable to meet the homeless participation requirement in 24 CFR 576.405(a), the jurisdiction must specify its plan for reaching out to and consulting with homeless or formerly homeless individuals in considering policies and funding decisions regarding facilities and services funded under ESG.

The City participates and conducts numerous community-wide partner events/meetings to provide guidance and evaluation throughout the ESG funding cycle. This guidance is then provided to the Board of Alderman. Review of year end outcomes and expenditure data is provided to better inform future funding cycle priorities.

A broad range of community stakeholders have been invited to participate and/or host these conversations, including student groups addressing homelessness from Yale University, the Greater New Haven United Way, formerly homeless individuals, the Statewide and local Continuum of Care, an HMIS expert, a local mental health provider, and City administration. Board members will be interviewed prior to Board participation to review Board member responsibilities, expected time commitment, and knowledge of and interest in addressing local homeless issues. Recruitment efforts will continue to broaden participation on the board with outreach to local homelessness activists, Yale-New Haven Hospital, faith-based community leaders, and previously and currently homeless individuals

5. Describe performance standards for evaluating ESG.

The City requires each recipient of Consolidated Plan funds to identify measurable outcomes relative to their particular program or project. This information forms the basis for the City's monitoring and performance measurement requirements and is reported upon in its annual performance report submitted to HUD known as the CAPER (Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report) in

Sage HMIS reporting.

Agencies submit quarterly HMIS ESG data as well as year-end HMIS data. Data collected in HMIS focus on the following (but not limited to): client demographics, type of assistance provided (financial assistance, housing relocation and/or stabilization services), residence prior to entry, exit destination, sources of income & benefits (includes non-cash benefits), household make-up, length of participation in the program, disabling condition, etc. Emphasis on specific data sets are discussed and determined from previous fiscal year-end outcomes and monitored accordingly in the new year. Focus this year is on length of participation in the program, household make-up and access to income and/or benefits. Tracking these data sets will ensure agencies and their clients are on the track to becoming self-sufficient.

Each ESG funded program may be slightly different, the City requires each subrecipient to define its standards for client selection, rejection and program termination to ensure standards and policies are met and fair housing practices are followed and documented. The criteria for selection, rejection termination, tracking, evaluation, re-evaluation and other client contract items will be developed collectively with service providers to ensure those working with the homeless on a day-to-day basis can best identify the needs and protocol for success.

AP-90: Program-Specific Requirements – HOPWA §91.220 (l)(3)

Does the action plan identify the method for selecting project sponsors (including providing full access to grassroots faith-based and other community organizations)? **Yes**

Every year, the City contacts all previously funded agencies to announce the upcoming special funds fiscal year and important dates. The City also publishes an ad in the New Haven Register and on the City's website.

There are mandatory meetings, prior to the submission of the Application, for those who were not funded in the current fiscal year (or is open to anyone that wants to attend), where all special funded programs are reviewed, including allowable projects under each program, and review of the application. Here, the agencies can connect with the Program Managers with further questions as well as Management and Budget.

Management and Budget does preliminary reviews of the application to check for completeness, etc. These funding levels are then presented and approved by the Administrator of Community Services Administration, the Mayor and ultimately, the Board of Alderman.

After approval, the City requires the HOPWA funded agencies to submit necessary paperwork for the execution of the Agreement. This includes Conflict of Interest, Updated Scope of Services, Non-Collusion, Disclosure and Certification Affidavit, Annual 990, Procurement Policy, Agencies Updated Board listing, etc. This is reviewed by the Program Manager and sent to the following departments for sign off prior to execution of the Agreement: Department Head, Tax Collector, Assessor, Coordinator, Purchasing Department, Contract Compliance, Accounting, Accounts Payable, Controller, and Corporation Counsel.

Historically, it has been the same agencies every year receiving HOPWA funds. In just this past year, one agency in Waterbury was replaced by another. The HOPWA program is open to any non-profit agencies, within New Haven county, that have an interest in implementing the program.

The method of selecting project sponsors for CARES Act Activities has not changed.

HUD GRANT CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL ACTION PLAN SCHEDULE FOR 2022-2023

(Community Development Block Grant, HOME Investment Partnership, Emergency Solutions Grants and Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS Programs)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>
December 1, 2021	Email notice to non-profits of upcoming Informational Webinar including login information & presentation
December 7, 2021	Informational Webinar/Performance Review webinar
December 16, 2021	Technical Assistance Session (Virtual\In-Person)
January 11, 2022	Deadline for receipt of third party and City applications for HUD grants.
February 25, 2022	Submit the Mayor's proposed Annual Action Plan to the Board of Alders. The matter will be referred to the Joint Community Development and Human Services Committee.
February 25, 2022	Published Mayor's recommendations for Annual Consolidated Action Plan in the New Haven Register and posted on the City's Website
February 25, 2022	Public Comment Period Mayor's Recommendation
April 28, 2022	City presentations on the Annual Action Plan process, contents and overview of Mayor's recommendations, City Department testimony and CDBG Hardware with Board of Alders Joint CD & HS Committee
May 18, 2022	Non-Profit Testimony for CDBG Public Service (Software), ESG & HOPWA before the Board of Alders Joint CD & HS Committee
April 2022 TBD	City Plan Commission review of Action Plan
May 2022 TBD	Board of Alders Joint CD & HS Committee Deadline for Action Plan Amendments
May 26, 2022	Deliberations
June 6, 2022	Draft Annual Action Plan for Public Comment
June 6, 2022	Board of Alders 1 st Reading
July 5, 2022	Board of Alders Approval (final action)
July 15, 2022	Submission and Assurances to HUD
July 1, 2022	Begin new CD year
Mid July – September 28 th	Coordinate, Develop, Assemble and Submit the Consolidated Annual Performance Evaluation Report (CAPER) to HUD

***Schedule subject to change*

Allison Champlin

From: Ron Gizzi
Sent: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 1:10 PM
Cc: Allison Champlin; Dan Tamaro; Catherine Schroeter; Michael Gormany; Leslie Sprague Clerkin
Subject: Consolidated Plan Live ZOOM Informational Webinar

Good afternoon,

The City of New Haven will begin the FY 2022-23 funding application process for CDBG, ESG, HOPWA and HOME funding by hosting a live informational ZOOM webinar on **Tuesday December 7, 2021 at 10:30 am**. An invitation to the webinar containing the web link and passcode as well as dial in instructions along with a link to the applications will be emailed separately. The webinar login instructions will also be posted on the City webpage newhavenct.gov. The webinar will cover federal regulatory requirements, eligible activities, and the City's five-year funding goals and objectives. The application submission procedure using the City's Purchasing Portal, Bonfire, will also be presented.

The application **due date will be Tuesday January 11, 2022**. City staff will be available for questions and technical assistance throughout the application period.

Please contact myself or Allison Champlin at achamplin@newhavenct.gov with any questions or concerns.

We look forward to your participation in the FY 2023 Consolidated Plan process.

Thank you,
Ron

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Sent: Friday, December 3, 2021 5:26 PM
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Join Zoom Meeting

<https://newhavenct.zoom.us/j/95357755505?pwd=WG5FNTMvVDhpbEthZEJyWTh5UkFHQT09>

Meeting ID: 953 5775 5505

Password: ConPlan22

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Public Meeting Agenda
2022-2023 Consolidated Plan Funding Applications for
Housing and Community Development Programs

Tuesday December 7, 2021

Introduction	Ron Gizzi
Bonfire Review	Shawn Garris
Consolidated Plan Overview Overview of Past Performance	Ron Gizzi
Program Overviews	
Community Services Administrator	Dr. Mehul Dalal
Economic Development Administrator	Michael Piscitelli
CDBG Public Service Activities	Dan Tammara
Economic Development Activities	Clay Williams
CDBG Housing and Public Improvement Activities HOME Housing Activities	Cathy Schroeter
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG)	Allison Champlin
Regulatory Issues	
Lead/Asbestos Abatement Regulations	LCI\Health Department
Environmental Review\Historic Impact	Aicha Woods\Jaime Stein
Davis Bacon/Section 3	Nicole Jefferson
Disability Requirements	Gretchen Knauff
Application Review and Timeline	Ron Gizzi
Questions & Answers	

Online Resources

CDBG	www.hudexchange.info/resource/19/basically-cdbg-training-guidebook-and-slides/
HOME	www.hudexchange.info/programs/home/home-laws-and-regulations/
ESG	www.hudexchange.info/programs/esg/
HOPWA	www.hudexchange.info/programs/hopwa/

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Applications will be submitted through the City's Bonfire system

FY 2022-23

**Consolidated Plan Funding Application
Informational Webinar**

for

CDBG, ESG, HOPWA and HOME Funding

December 7, 2021

City of New Haven
Justin Elicker, Mayor

FY 2020-21 ACCOMPLISHMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Expended during FY 2020-21

- CDBG \$3,165,767
- HOME \$654,783
- ESG \$283,902
- HOPWA \$1,166,586
- **Total \$5,271,038**

CDBG ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Acquisition – 23 properties were acquired for housing.
- Disposition – sold 29 properties with future use of affordable
- Property Management Public – the City maintained a total of 142 foreclosed properties which included vacant structures and vacant lots
- Technical assistance was provided to 300 businesses and created 85 jobs
- Housing Code Enforcement – 2,658 inspections and re-inspections were complete, (Hill, Fair Haven, Dixwell and Newhallville neighborhoods)
- Public Service activities served more than 4,200 people and 344 households. The majority being Youth and Elderly and Homeless clients. The City funded a total of 39 public service programs.
- Housing Rehabilitation- funds assisted with the completion of 133 rental units and 51 owner occupied units.

HOME ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Housing Development - completion of 133 rental units and 51 owner occupied units.
- Elderly Repair and Rehabilitation program -2 units
- Energy Efficiency program - 13 units
- Down-payment and Closing Costs – 23 loans

HOPWA ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 116 households received tenant based rental assistance
- 6 households received short term rent, mortgage and utility assistance
- 4 clients received permanent housing placement services
- 122 households received supportive services
- 38 clients received case management

ESG ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 39 clients were provided shelter services
- 43 clients received homeless prevention services
- 140 clients received rapid rehousing services
- 43 clients received street outreach services

CARES ACT ALLOCATIONS

Allocations

- CDBG-CV \$3,552,724
- ESG-CV \$2,647,229
- HOPWA-CV \$160,839
- **Total \$6,360,792**

CARES ACT ALLOCATIONS BY CATEGORY

CDBG-CV

Basic Needs	\$360,361
Public Health & Safety	\$250,000
Support At-Risk Population	\$100,000
Housing Assistance Program\ Housing Stabilization CASTLE	\$802,393
Economic Resiliency	\$500,000
Program Admin\ Oversight	\$223,639
Non-Congregate Housing	\$1,316,331
Total CDBG-CV	\$3,552,724

CARES ACT ALLOCATIONS BY CATEGORY

ESG-CV

Basic Needs	\$357,974
Shelter Assistance	\$420,093
Rapid Re-Housing\Prevention	\$1,680,371
Program Admin\Oversight	\$188,791
Total ESG-CV	\$2,647,229

HOPWA CV

\$160,839

CARES ACT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Provided over 8,000 meals to 300 households
- 5,000 food boxes to 1,000 seniors
- 32 reentry clients were provided services
- Homeless prevention services
- Rapid rehousing services
- Street outreach services
- HVAC Improvements
- PPE and other cleaning supplies
- COVID Testing

CONSOLIDATED PLANNING PROCESS OVERVIEW

What is the Consolidated Plan?

- Created in 1995, combined HUD's CDBG, ESG, HOME & HOPWA grants
- Requires completion of a five-year plan to help states and local jurisdictions assess their affordable housing and community development needs.
- We are working on the 3rd year of the City's 6th Five-Year Plan
- The current five-year plan began on July 1, 2020, and will end on June 30, 2025
- The Consolidated Plan process serves as the basis for community involvement to identify the City's housing and community development needs and priorities
- An Annual Action Plan is prepared for each year of the five-year Consolidated Plan
- The Annual Action Plan is also used to address the priority needs and specific goals identified by the City
- Annual Action Plan must be submitted to HUD no later than August 16th of each year

REPORTING OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The yearly Consolidated Plan process ends with the completion of the Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER)
- Detailed information about each activity is entered into HUD's online Integrated Disbursement and Information System (IDIS)
- The City reports on expenditures, accomplishments and its progress toward achieving Consolidated Plan goals in the CAPER
- HUD requires preparation of the CAPER after the completion of each program year
- CAPER must be submitted to HUD by September 28th of each year

ENTITLEMENT ALLOCATIONS

FY 2021-22 Allocations

CDBG	\$3,855,434
HOME	\$1,338,986
ESG	\$329,995
HOPWA	\$1,133,193
Total	\$6,651,829

FY 2021-22 APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

- 43 CDBG Public Service Applications
- 29 CDBG Hardware Applications
- 4 CDBG Planning and Admin Applications
- 5 HOME Applications
- 7 HOPWA Applications
- 6 ESG Applications
- **94 Total Applications**

APPLICATION OVERVIEW

There are 6 Separate Applications

- 4 CDBG
- 1 HOPWA
- 1 ESG

Agencies may submit multiple applications, only 1 set of supporting documents is required.

Applications must be through the City's Bonfire Portal

Applications must be received by 5:00 pm on January 11, 2022

When saving your application, please include your organization name, funding source, activity name and category. For example, ABC Services Inc-CDBG-Youth Program-Public Service .

CDBG ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

Housing, Preservation, Rehab, New Construction Application

- Housing Rehabilitation
- New Construction
- Acquisition of Real Property
- Disposition
- Demolition
- Relocation
- Removal of Architectural Barriers for ADA Standards

Public Facilities/Improvement Application

- Acquisition of Real Property
- Public Facility Improvements
- Sidewalks and Curbs
- Permanent Improvements
- Demolition
- Removal of Architectural Barriers for ADA Standards

Note: HUD requires that recipients expend at least 70 percent of their CDBG funds to benefit Low/Moderate Income persons

CDBG ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

CONTINUED

Economic Development Application

- Assistance to private-for-profit entities
- Small business development
- Commercial or industrial improvements
- Job Creation and Retention

Public Service Application

- Youth Programs
- Childcare
- Elderly Services
- Domestic Violence Prevention
- Job Training
- Workforce Development
- Health Care
- Substance Use Counseling and Prevention
- Education
- Transportation
- Housing Counseling
- Homeownership Counseling

ESG AND HOPWA ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

ESG Application

- Street Outreach
- Emergency Shelter
- Homelessness Prevention
- Rapid Re-housing
- Administration

HOPWA Application

- Case Management
- Tenant-Based Rental Assistance
- Permanent Housing Placement
- Supportive Services
- Short-term Rent, Mortgage, & Utility Payments
- Administration

HOME ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

HOME Application*

- New Housing Construction
- Downpayment and Closing Cost Assistance
- Housing Development
- Energy Efficiency Rehabilitation
- Elderly\Disabled Emergency Repair
- Housing Rehabilitation

* Note: HOME requests are not part of this application process. HOME applications will be accepted by LCI throughout the year

INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

- General Conduct of Government
- Equipment Purchase (Generally Ineligible)
- Furnishings and Personal Property
- Operating and Maintenance Expenses
- Staff Salaries with No Direct Benefit
- Support of "Inherently Religious" Activities

OUTCOMES AND OBJECTIVES

Objectives

- Suitable Living Environment
- Decent Housing
- Creating Economic Opportunities

Outcomes

- Availability/Accessibility
- Affordability
- Sustainability

Note: All activities must demonstrate a measurable benefit. City staff will review your programmatic and financial records at least once per year.

NATIONAL OBJECTIVES\ PERFORMANCE MEASURE BENEFIT

Benefit

- Benefiting Low and Moderate Income Persons or Households
- Preventing or Eliminating Slums or Blight
- Urgent Need (serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community)

Performance Measure

- # Jobs Created and Retained
- # Persons/Households/Clients Assisted
- # Housing units Rehabbed or Created
- Area benefit by Low and Moderate Income Census Tract

Note: All activities must meet a National Objective.

PROJECT NARRATIVE SECTION

Project Narrative: Provide a 2-3-page description of the proposed project. Narrative should include all of the following:

- a) **Mission Statement** - Identify the overall mission and program goals of the organization.
- b) **Needs Statement** - Identify and document the deficiencies to be addressed by the proposed project.
- c) **Briefly describe the use of funding requested** - How will the funds be spent in order to achieve the expected benefit?
- d) **Objectives, Outcomes and Indicators** - Identify how the proposed project will resolve the deficiency(s) identified in the needs statement and clearly establish measurable benchmarks and activities for success.
- e) Will the proposed project address one of the **City's funding priorities and Goals and Objectives of the 5-Year Consolidated Plan**? If yes, how?
- f) **Description of Performance Measurement**: - Describe the system or systems that are in place or that will be utilized to determine whether or not the proposed project is achieving the established outcomes. How will you measure your successes or failures? How will you determine the overall success of the proposed project?
- g) **Activities & Methodology** - Specify tasks/activities to be undertaken to accomplish the objectives and explain how the activities will be implemented. Narrative should address only those activities necessary to implement the proposed objectives requested in this application and should establish a clear correlation between your stated objectives and the agency program goals.
- h) **Schedule** - Provide a realistic time frame for each identified activity with estimated completion dates.
- i) **Evaluation Plan** - Outline the procedures that will be used to measure how well the project meets its identified objectives.
- j) **Continuation Plan** - Explain how the proposed project will continue after the requested funding ends. What are the proposed long-term changes or benefits? Will the activity be monitored after completion?

2020-2024 FIVE-YEAR PLAN GOALS

1. Increase Supply of Decent & Affordable Housing
2. Stabilize Neighborhoods
3. Provide a Continuum of Housing with Supports
4. Improve Access to Homeownership
5. Address Needs of Homeless & At-Risk Populations
6. Address Community Health Issues
7. Provide Accessibility Improvements
8. Support Neighborhood Revitalization
9. Provide Public Service Programming
10. Promote Education and Economic Development
11. Provide Administrative Support (*City use only*)

Note: Detailed descriptions of each goal can be found in the application.

REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- Lead and Asbestos
- Davis Bacon and Section 3
- American with Disabilities Act
- Environmental Review
- Historic Property Impact

Your City Program Manager will assist with completion of regulatory requirements

Applications must be submitted through the City's Purchasing Portal, Bonfire.

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Applications must be **submitted by**

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**Tuesday, January 11, 2022
by 5:00 p.m.**

**Late applications will not be accepted by
Management and Budget.**

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE AT:

<https://newhavenct.bonfirehub.com/opportunities/56381>

APPLICATION REVIEW AND APPROVAL TIMELINE

- Application Due Date: January 11th by 5:00pm, submitted through Bonfire Portal. Late applications will not be accepted by Management and Budget.
- January–Application Review for Completeness and Eligibility.
- Application descriptions, beneficiary data and funding requests are compiled.
- February – City Administration prepares funding recommendations for submission to the Board of Alders for review and approval.
- March\April – Aldermanic Committees hold public hearings on the Consolidated Plan and hear testimony from potential funding recipients and deliberate funding recommendations.
- May\June – Alders Approve Consolidated Plan.
- After BOA approval, City staff prepare the Annual Action Plan for submission to HUD.
- June 15th – Submission of Annual Action Plan to HUD.

Note: Schedule subject to change

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

10:36:19 From Silvia Moscariello LCS (she/her) to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Hi A.

10:36:58 From AChamplin to Silvia Moscariello LCS (she/her)(Direct Message) : Hey Silvia! Hope all is well!

10:37:23 From Silvia Moscariello LCS (she/her) to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Same to you. Have a wonderful holiday season.

10:37:40 From AChamplin to Silvia Moscariello LCS (she/her)(Direct Message) : same to you!

10:37:41 From Melissa Ruffin : CAN YOU REPEAT THE URL

10:38:00 From Janet Freimuth : Can you put the url in the chat

10:38:11 From Matthew Cline : newhavenct.bonfirehub.com/portal

10:38:11 From AChamplin : Can everyone please sign in here - name, title, agency

10:38:30 From AChamplin : Questions you can put here and City staff will answer accordingly

10:38:31 From Janet Freimuth : Janet Freimuth, Executive Director, Children in Placement

10:38:33 From Paul : Paul Kosowsky, CEO - Youth Continuum

10:38:34 From Tamesha Robinson : Tamesha Robinson, Executive Director, CERCLE

10:38:36 From EMERGE Connecticut : Jessica Yu, Director of Planning and Partnership, EMERGE Connecticut

10:38:38 From Brenda Keo, New Reach : Brenda Keo, Quality Assurance Specialist, New Reach

10:38:41 From annmccarthy : Ann McCarthy, Director of Resource Development, Boys & Girls Club of New Haven

10:38:41 From T-J Ciocca, New Reach : T-J Ciocca, Grant Writer, New Reach, Inc.

10:38:43 From eileenhealy : Eileen Healy, Ex Director, Independence Northwest

10:38:46 From lmaclean : Lauri MacLean, Development Coordinator, Marrakech Inc.

10:38:47 From Andrew Monson : Andrew Monson and Lewis Beilman, Cornell Scott-Hill Health Center

10:38:48 From Louis Massari : Louis Massari

10:38:53 From DTammaro : Dan Tammaro. Community Service Administration

10:38:55 From Judy Tallman : Judy Tallman, Director of Grants, Fair Haven Community Health Clinic

10:38:55 From Sylvia Velez : Sylvia Velez, Catholic Charities Centro San Jose Director-290 Gran Ave NH

10:38:56 From Boys & Girls Club of New Haven : Barbara Chesler, Boys and Girls Club of NH, ed@bgcnewhaven.org

10:38:59 From Louis Massari : Grant Writer

10:39:00 From pserrecchia : BHcare HOPE Family Justice Center Paola Serrecchia Site Manager

10:39:06 From phyllis cappuccio : Phyllis Cappuccio, Grant Manager, FISH of Greater New Haven

10:39:07 From Jill Meyerhoff : Jill Meyerhoff Executive Director FISH of Greater New Haven

10:39:08 From Tiffany L. Robinson : Tiffany L Robinson - Director of Planning and Business Development - Community Action Agency of New Haven, Inc.

10:39:12 From Steve Werlin, DESK (he/him) : Steve Werlin
Executive Director
Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen

10:39:13 From Melissa Ruffin : Melissa Ruffin, Accounting Manager Mary Wade Home

10:39:15 From ekrause : Eileen Krause - CFO

10:39:17 From Odette Wang : Odette Wang, Grant Writer, LEAP

10:39:17 From Louis Massari : Louis Massari, Grant Writer, Clifford Beers Clinic

10:39:23 From Katie Forsyth : Kathryn Forsyth, Youth and Family Director, CCCYMCA

10:39:23 From Julie Lister : Julie Lister, External Relations Director, Solar Youth

10:39:24 From Deborah Conyers : Deborah Conyers of Grace Chapel Church Total Mankind Ministry

10:39:31 From Emily Oakes : Emily Oakes, Director - Business Office, Clifford Beers

10:39:33 From Michael Savenelli : Michael Savenelli, Children's Community Programs of CT (CCP), Director of
QI and Grants Management

10:39:34 From Shawn Galligan : Shawn Galligan

10:39:37 From Rachel Heerema (she/her) : Rachel Heerema, development consultant, Literacy Volunteers of
Greater New Haven

10:39:37 From Samuel Ross-Lee : Samuel T. Ross-Lee Executive Director Harambee Development Corp.

10:39:46 From Chaka Felder : Chaka Felder, ED- Higher Heights YEP, Inc.

10:39:48 From Tanaysia Jefferson : Tanaysia Jefferson, Community Services Administration, Manager of
Community Development programs

10:39:49 From AChamplin : 203-946-8202 & sgarris@newhavenct.gov - Shawn Garris - Bonfire assistance

10:39:51 From Lisa Hottin : Lisa Hottin - Mary Wade Home, Inc

10:39:53 From Mary Murano : Mary Murano, Career Resources, Inc.

10:40:07 From Deborah Cox - Continuum : Deborah Cox - VP Fund Development & Marketing - Continuum of Care, Inc.

10:40:09 From Jay Korman : Jay Korman Marrakech, Inc. Development Coordinator

10:40:38 From jlawson_caanh : Jenell M Lawson, Deputy Director and VP of Human Resources , Community Action Agency of New Haven, Inc.

10:40:44 From Cortney Ahern : Cortney Renton, CitySeed, Executive Director. Good morning!

10:40:49 From SCDA CT : I'm not seeing his screen

10:41:01 From Virginia Spell-Urban League of Southern CT : Virginia Spell, Director, Urban Equity Development Corp.

10:41:01 From The NICE Center : Jamilah Rasheed The New Haven Inner City Enrichment (NICE) Center

10:41:20 From Jennifer Bayer : Jennifer Bayer, Director of Development and Community Relations, The Towers at Tower Lane/Towers Foundation

10:41:21 From Caroline Tanbee Smith : Caroline Tanbee Smith, Co-Director, Collab

10:41:25 From Lori Martin Haven's Harvest she/her hers : Lori Martin ED Haven's Harvest

10:41:56 From SCDA CT : Stephanie Morriar, Sickle Cell Disease Assoc. of America Southern CT/CT

10:42:09 From Erin Harkrader Computer : Erin Harkrader, Director, Senior Meals on Wheels of Greater New Haven at LifeBridge Community Services

10:42:25 From Bruce Lacey : Bruce Lacey, BHcare

10:43:16 From Shellina Toure : Good morning, Shellina Toure, Director of Housing Services, Christian Community Action, Inc.

10:43:46 From AChamplin : Notarized documents will be accepted digitally but please make sure the signature and seal is visible

10:43:49 From redbomber : Devonne Canady, Executive Director of EIR Urban Youth Boxing, Inc.

10:44:11 From Shawn Galligan : Shawn Galligan, Director of Facilities Development, Cornell Scott - Hill Health, sgalligan@cornellscott.org

10:44:42 From Randi Rubin Rodriguez : Randi Rubin Rodriguez

10:44:43 From Jane McNichol : Jane McNichol, IRIS (Integrated Refugee & Immigrant Services)

10:45:25 From Silvia Moscariello LCS (she/her) : Silvia Moscariello, Liberty Community Services, Inc.

10:45:26 From Rachel Heerema (she/her) : will this presentation be recorded and shared with us?

10:45:31 From scottrobbins : Scott Robbins Independence Northwest

10:45:34 From Denice Calabrese : can you repeat the bonfire telephone #

10:45:47 From Abigail Eswarakumar : Abigail Eswarakumar, Assistant Site Director, New Haven Reads, abigail@newhavenreads.org

10:45:55 From AChamplin to Shawn Garris(Direct Message) : what is the bonfire phone number

10:46:26 From T-J Ciocca, New Reach : Last year, some of the Bonfire boxes were not active. I have not checked them all yet (we submit 4 proposals) -- but have already found one box on the ESG application that is not there. This can be frustrating as we have to restart everything when the form is not right.

10:46:58 From AChamplin : this presentation is not being recorded but it will be available online and sent to all attendees after the meeting

10:47:58 From Elizabeth Torres : Elizabeth Torres representing Seabury Cooperative Apartments located at 400 Elm Street, New Haven, CT

10:48:17 From AChamplin : Bonfire phone number - 1-800-354-0810 ext. 2

10:49:06 From scottrobbins : Do you need to do an intent to bid?

10:49:24 From AChamplin to T-J Ciocca, New Reach(Direct Message) : I would reach out to Shawn to review any issues you experience - this is new for this process so there may be some hiccups that we will be happy to help

10:50:08 From T-J Ciocca, New Reach to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Thanks.

10:50:19 From Melissa Holroyd : Melissa Holroyd, Development Director, Fellowship Place Inc.

10:51:04 From Lilia Snyder : Shawn said application will not be accepted unless all supporting documents are downloaded- not all the documents apply to everyone-

10:51:16 From AChamplin to Shawn Garris(Direct Message) : they do not need an intent to bid correct??

10:51:28 From Shawn Garris to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Yes

10:51:44 From AChamplin to Shawn Garris(Direct Message) : yes they do or yes that is correct??

10:52:34 From Shawn Garris to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Yes, respondents should complete the intent to bid section in bonfire.

10:54:21 From AChamplin to Shawn Garris(Direct Message) : I am going to pose this question to you when Mike P. is done so you can answer everyone and not just have it in the chat

10:54:26 From Carmen C : Carmen Castro, Office Manager, â€r kids,Inc., carmenc@rkidsct.org

10:55:06 From annmccarthy : Can you please provide a link to the Civic Space recommendations?

10:56:19 From T-J Ciocca, New Reach to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Do we email an intent?

10:56:20 From James Cramer : James Cramer loaves and fishes executive director

10:56:29 From AChamplin to T-J Ciocca, New Reach(Direct Message) : it's on bonfire

10:56:43 From Joseph Edwards : Joseph Edwards Director of Administration?

10:56:47 From Darrell Brooks : Darrell Brooks - Beulah Land Development Corporation/ Chief Operating Officer.

10:56:56 From Catholic Charities : Alyson Karpiej, Executive Assistant, Catholic Charities

10:57:01 From Henrietta Small : Henrietta Small - Childrenâ€™s Community Programs of CT

10:57:06 From Julie Davis : Julie Davis, Development Manager, IRIS - Integrated Refugee & Immigrant Services

10:57:28 From Shaunette Marquis : Shaunette James-Marquis-Community Outreach Worker-City of New Haven

10:58:05 From Joseph Edwards : Joseph Edwards Director of Administration Grant Writer Beulah Heights Church Social Integration Program

10:59:11 From Sarah Hoffman : Sarah Hoffman Grants Administrator Columbus House

11:00:25 From Kim : where can we find goal of economic dev?

11:01:45 From AChamplin : Kim, they are in the application, I believe in the instruction section

11:02:11 From AChamplin to Kim(Direct Message) : if you have trouble finding them, please feel free to contact me offline

11:07:11 From Paul : Can you please clarify when funding from this application must be spent/

11:07:29 From AChamplin : Paul - it depends on the funding source

11:08:21 From Paul : Thanks Allison. Is this indicated in the applications?

11:09:24 From AChamplin : Yes Paul, timeframes for monies to be spent is in the application

11:09:57 From Virginia Spell-Urban League of Southern CT : When are letters of intent due?

11:09:59 From AChamplin to Paul(Direct Message) : You can email me directly with questions specific to the project you are thinking of

11:10:17 From Paul to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Got it, thank you!

11:10:38 From Tiffany L. Robinson : can you zoom in on the slide please and thank you

11:12:17 From AChamplin to Shawn Garris(Direct Message) : is there a deadline for letters of intent?

11:13:29 From Cathy Graves : Cathy R. Graves, City of New Haven, Economic Development

11:15:52 From AChamplin : Letter of intent's due date is on bonfire

11:16:56 From Janet Freimuth : Janet Freimuth Jlf@childreninplacement.org

11:16:57 From Jennifer Bayer : jennifer@towerlane.org

11:16:58 From Andrew Monson : amonson@cornellscott.org, lbeilman@cornellscott.org

11:17:01 From Paul to AChamplin(Direct Message) : pkosowsky@youthcontinuum.org (no change)

11:17:04 From Catholic Charities : Alyson Karpiej akarpiej@ccaoh.org

11:17:04 From Tamesha Robinson : Tamesha Robinson, CERCLE, tammyr@ctcircle.org

11:17:08 From Imaclean : Lauri MacLean: Imaclean@marrakechinc.org

11:17:12 From Sarah Hoffman : swelinsky@columbushouse.org

11:17:18 From Julie Davis : jdavis@irisct.org Julie Davis Development Manger, IRIS

11:17:20 From Melissa Holroyd : mholroyd@fellowshipplace.org

11:17:21 From Deborah Cox - Continuum : Deborah Cox dcox@continuumct.org

11:17:21 From Brenda Keo, New Reach : reports@newreach.org

11:17:24 From Lisa Hottin : Lisa Hottin, Mary Wade, lhottin@marywade.org

11:17:32 From Michael Savenelli : Michael Savenelli, CCP: msavenelli@ccp-ct.org

11:17:35 From phyllis cappuccio : Phyllis Cappuccio at FISH. email is pcappuccio@fishgnh.org

11:17:36 From Virginia Spell-Urban League of Southern CT : Virginia Spell vspell@ulsc.org

11:17:36 From Bruce Lacey : Bruce Lacey, Grant Writer, BHcare, BLacey@communicare-ct.org

11:17:36 From Dominique Maynard : Dominique Maynard: Dominiquemaynard@outlook.com
11:17:39 From Jay Korman : jkorman@marrakechinc.org
11:17:45 From Deborah Conyers : Deborah Conyers
11:17:47 From Shellina Toure : Stoure@ccahelping.org
11:17:51 From Jill Meyerhoff : Jill Meyerhoff jmeyerhoff@fishgnh.org
11:17:52 From Katie Forsyth : Kathryn Forsyth, kforsyth@cccymca.org
11:18:11 From Deborah Conyers : Deborah Conyers dconyers@totalmankindministry.org
11:18:15 From Denice Calabrese : dcalabrese@theconnectioninc.org
11:18:15 From Judy Tallman : Judy Tallman
11:18:17 From James Cramer : jcramer@loavesandfishesnh.com
11:18:22 From Jane McNichol : Jane McNichol, Grant Writer, IRIS jmcnichol@irisct.org
11:18:23 From kim's iPhone : Kim Weston kimweston22@gmail.com
11:18:36 From Judy Tallman : j.tallman@fhchc.org
11:18:39 From Darrell Brooks : Darrell Brooks - dbrooks@beulahlanddevcorp.org
11:18:39 From SCDA CT to AChamplin(Direct Message) : please add James Rawlings to your email list: jamesrawlingsscdac.sc@gmail.com
11:18:46 From Odette Wang : Odette Wang, Grant Writer, LEAP, owang@leapforkids.org
11:18:48 From T-J Ciocca, New Reach to AChamplin(Direct Message) : T-J Ciocca grants@newreach.org
11:18:52 From Henrietta Small : Henrietta Small - hsmall.wgcc@gmail.com
11:18:57 From Darrell Brooks : What is the link for Bonfire?
11:19:56 From Leslie : Link for Bonfire was included in the email sent to all. It will also be on the handouts and powerpoints sent to all
11:21:26 From Rachel Heerema (she/her) : providing an agenda for the meeting would be helpful
11:21:40 From Lori Martin Haven's Harvest she/her hers : lori@havensharvest.org
11:30:36 From Jaime Stein, New Haven City Plan : Jaime Stein - 203 314 3263
11:30:47 From Jaime Stein, New Haven City Plan : jstein@newhanevct.gov
11:32:26 From Jaime Stein, New Haven City Plan : <https://environmental-review-newhavenct.hub.arcgis.com/>
11:33:20 From AChamplin : attached please find the agenda and contact information for the panelists
11:34:15 From AChamplin to DTammaro(Direct Message) : you're showing on
11:39:06 From AChamplin to SCDA CT(Direct Message) : I will add him
11:40:53 From Bruce Lacey : Please post contact info for Gretchen Knauff
11:41:09 From Gretchen Knauff : Gretchen Knauff - gknauff@newhavenct.gov - 203.946.7651
11:41:54 From SCDA CT to AChamplin(Direct Message) : I also need assistance with the 21-22 application. Do you have any time today or tomorrow?
11:42:09 From SCDA CT to AChamplin(Direct Message) : Stephanie Morriar 203-859-5355
11:43:08 From AChamplin to SCDA CT(Direct Message) : is this in relation to a public service application?
11:43:28 From SCDA CT to AChamplin(Direct Message) : yes
11:44:28 From AChamplin to SCDA CT(Direct Message) : Would it be helpful to speak with Dan Tammaro about the program or is it about the actual application that Ron and I would be more helpful?
11:44:32 From Joseph Edwards : please put up the link to bonfire again to access the application
11:45:08 From SCDA CT to AChamplin(Direct Message) : The actual application. We've already been approved for \$20,000
11:46:07 From James Cramer : Thank you for all of this great info! it is really appreciated. Thanks for making New Haven better.
11:46:50 From AChamplin to SCDA CT(Direct Message) : yes for 2021-2022 - this presentation is for 2022-2023 - I will speak with Ron to see when his availability is
11:46:56 From Denice Calabrese : will the power point be emailed or available on the city's website?
11:47:10 From SCDA CT to AChamplin(Direct Message) : great. thank you
11:47:27 From Deborah Cox - Continuum : thank you :-)
11:47:29 From Rachel Heerema (she/her) : thank you
11:47:29 From AChamplin : <https://newhavenct.bonfirehub.com/opportunities/56381>



Legislation Details

File #: LM-2022-0213 **Version:** 1 **Name:**
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On agenda: **Final action:**

Title: ORDER OF THE BOARD OF ALDERS OF THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN APPROVING THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN'S 2022-2023 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND USE OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG), HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP (HOME), HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONS WITH AIDS (HOPWA), AND EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANTS (ESG) FUNDS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT FOR FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE I OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974 AS AMENDED, (PL 93-383); THE CRANSTON GONZALEZ NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT OF 1990 AS AMENDED(PL 101-625); THE MCKINNEY - VENTO HOMELESS ASSISTANCE ACT OF 2000 AS AMENDED(PL 106-400); THE HOMELESS EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE AND RAPID TRANSITION TO HOUSING (HEARTH) ACT OF 2009; AND THE AIDS HOUSING OPPORTUNITY ACT (PL 102-550); HEREAFTER REFERRED TO AS "HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM ACTS" AND FOR ACTIVITIES TO BE FUNDED BY PROGRAM INCOME AND/OR REPROGRAMMING FUNDS FROM PRIOR GRANT YEARS

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Attachments: 1. Con Plan Order 2022-23 Mayors Proposed, 2. Fiscal Impact - 2022-23, 3. Mayors Transmittal Letter to BOA 2022-23, 4. PRIOR NOTIFICATION FORM 2022-23, 5. 2022-23 CHECKLIST, 6. signed checklist lm-2022-0213

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
7/5/2022	1	Board of Alders	Passed	Pass
6/6/2022	1	Board of Alders	Noted	
5/26/2022	1	Joint Community Development/Human Services Committee	Favorable Report	
5/18/2022	1	Joint Community Development/Human Services Committee	No Action	
4/28/2022	1	Joint Community Development/Human Services Committee	No Action	
4/18/2022	1	Board of Alders	Referred	



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City of New Haven
Notice of Availability for Public Comment
Consolidated Housing and Community Development Annual
Action Plan 2022-2023

The City of New Haven has completed the review process of the program year 2022-2023 Consolidated Plan funding applications for programs seeking funding through the City of New Haven from the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) - Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA). Mayor Justin Elicker invites citizens to comment on his proposed funding recommendations for the 2022-2023 program year. Comments may be emailed to conplanapp@newhavenct.gov or mailed to City of New Haven, Office of Management and Budget, 165 Church Street, New Haven CT. 06510. Comments will be accepted until 5:00 pm Monday, May 23, 2022. All comments will be reviewed and taken into consideration for inclusion in the final submission to HUD. The City has not yet been awarded its final HUD formula allocations. Mayor Elicker's proposed awards are based on anticipated allocations. Awards are not guaranteed until the City receives final approval of the Annual Action Plan from HUD. Copies of previous Consolidated Plans and Annual Action Plans are available for viewing on the City's web page www.newhavenct.gov under Government / Budgets & Financing / Federal Reports. The City of New Haven does not discriminate based on race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion or disability and adheres to federal regulations regarding affirmative action, fair housing and equal opportunities.


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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 25th Day of April, A.D. 2022.

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CITY NOTICE

In accordance with Article IV section 2 (b) and Article V section 1 (b) of the City Charter, 2013 reworded, notice to hereby given of the enactment and approval of the following zoning ordinance:

City of New Haven
Notice of Availability for Public Comment
Comprehensive Housing and Community Development Annual Action Plan 2022-2023

LEGAL NOTICE
NEW HAVEN HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION NOTICE OF DECISION

MADISON ISLAND WETLANDS & WATERCOURSE AGENCY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE: The following self-storage units containing household and other goods will be sold for cash by CashMaster 140 Putnam Avenue, Hamden, CT 06511 to satisfy a lien on May 3rd, 2022 at approx. 1:00PM at www.storageunits.com

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Woodbridge Town Plan and Zoning Commission (TPZC)
Notice is hereby given that the TPZC will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 2, 2022 in the Council Meeting Room of the Town Hall, 11 Montpelier Lane, Woodbridge, beginning at 6:30 pm on amendments proposed by the Woodbridge Zoning Commission to the Zoning Regulations of both Title 21-1 (Allowed Uses by Zone) and 21-2.2 (Section 21-2.2) regarding Road Side Signs.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE: The following self-storage units containing household and other goods will be sold for cash by CashMaster 171 Cedar St, Branford, CT 06405 to satisfy a lien on May 3, 2022 at approx. 2:00 pm at www.storageunits.com

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Lotus Space Storage is a public auction to sell personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below of the location indicated: 188 Boston Four Road Orange, CT 06477

Did you know?

Approximate mileage and excess weight on a vehicle can drastically affect its efficiency according to the US Department of Energy average energy that vehicles need a certain mile to drive varies from 16mpg per gallon to 21 mpg per gallon to 28 mpg per gallon

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AT&T Mobility is currently offering a special new wireless telecommunications services on an existing smartphone located at 114 Orange Avenue, West Haven, Connecticut, CT. The new facility will consist of calculating services at the height of 100 feet, 780 on the 800 feet and 1000 feet.

Terms of East Haven Bid #22-09

The Town of East Haven is accepting sealed bids from qualified bidders for the replacement of the East Haven Overlay on the Greenway, May 2022 at 10:30 a.m. and will be opened on Monday, May 22, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. in the Town of East Haven, 200 Main Street, East Haven, CT 06424

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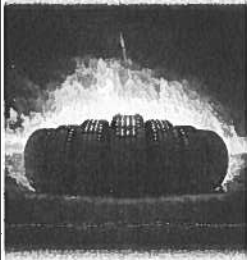
NOTICE OF DECISION

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting held on Tuesday, April 19, 2022, the Orange Town Plan and Zoning Commission acted on the following:

APPLICATION FOR THE CONVERSION OF A SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCE TO A TWO-FAMILY RESIDENCE, FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 624 WINDSOR ROAD TO construct an addition with an in-law apartment.

NOTICES OF PUBLIC SALE: The following self-storage units containing household and other goods will be sold for cash by CashMaster, 785 Sherman Ave, Hamden, CT 06514 to satisfy a lien on May 16th, 2022 at approx. 1:00PM at www.storageunits.com

Advertorial



Choose the right tire for your vehicle and season

Motorists spend hours behind the wheel and spend lots of money on maintenance to ensure their vehicles are in top working order. But tires are one area of maintenance that often goes unheeded, even by the most diligent automobile owners.

Tires undergo a lot of wear and tear, which only highlights the importance of proper tire maintenance. But many drivers do not give tires a passing thought until there is a problem, such as a flat or excessive wear. Also, some drivers think that all tires are the same, failing to realize that the kind of tires vehicles need depends on various factors. In addition to the size and type of vehicle, drivers should consider the type of driving they do and the driving conditions they routinely encounter before choosing tires for their vehicles.

All-season All-season tires provide all season versatility, good wear and ride comfort. They can be dependable tires and offer light snow traction as well. All-season tires provide adequate protection in many conditions, but do not offer specific benefits in any one area. They're likely to be satisfactory for a vast array of drivers. All-season tires are typically offered in touring and passenger types, touring will provide lower road noise and better handling, while passenger varieties offer a smoother and longer life.

Summer tires Summer tires are designed to offer traction and maneuverability in warm weather. Obital grooves and complex treads maximize traction in hot, humid weather. If you live in an area where the temperature is consistently stevery, summer tires may be a good investment.

Winter tires A safety precaution for many people who live where conditions often include snow, ice and cold weather, winter tires can be lifesavers. These tires are designed using several different types of rubber, and feature tread designs that maximize traction during inclement conditions. Winter tires also come in various subcategories. Studdable winter tires provide the extra security of added studs to enhance traction on ice. Performance winter tires offer better dry road handling, but traction on snow and ice may be compromised.

Performance tires Performance tires offer a sports car feel. These are meant for drivers who want to feel the road and increase low-speed traction. The higher the level of performance, the increased level of handling and stability at high speeds.

Truck tires Trucks, pickups and SUVs also have a variety of tire types. These are off-road varieties, which will offer an aggressive tread design for off-road traction and other obstacles. Light truck tires help provide durability and traction. Specially designed SUV tires may be large, but can still offer comfort-focused applications designed for on-road driving. Drivers looking for better performance from their tires should speak with a tire retailer about the options available to them.

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Did You Know? Improved performance and reliability has increased the life expectancy of many vehicles. As a result, many drivers are keeping their cars and trucks in excess of 10 years. According to an IHS Markit study, the average age of vehicles in the United States is a record 11.6 years, with the average length of ownership at 79.3 months, or nearly seven years. Even after an owner has relinquished his or her new vehicle, that used car or truck can go on to provide many more years of utility for its next owner. Certain models top the charts among the longest kept vehicles, according to iSeeCars, an automotive industry group. These include the Toyota RAV4, Chevrolet Corvette, Mercedes-Benz SLK, Porsche Boxster, and the Toyota Land Cruiser, which is the longest kept vehicle and also is the automaker's longest-running SUV. This vehicle is held onto for an average 10.6 years after being bought new. To hold on to their vehicles as long as possible, drivers should follow maintenance schedules, keep their cars and trucks clean and make repairs promptly. When it comes time to get a new vehicle, upkeep can go a long way toward improving resale value or getting back more on trade-in.

Watershed Caretaker

Patrols & performs general care & upkeep of the Town's potable (drinking) water reservoirs, watershed lands and properties. Responds to emergency calls & performs scheduled overtime patrol work. Hourly rate: \$25.53 - \$30.92 (Contract Currently Under Negotiations). Some knowledge of State of CT public health regulations relating to dams, water supply and watershed maintenance and the ability to operate simplified mechanical equipment is required. Must possess & maintain a valid State of CT Motor Vehicle License. H.S. diploma or GED plus 2 yrs. experience in related fields such as landscaping, grounds maintenance etc. The closing date for applications/resumes is December 13, 2021 or the date we receive the 50th application whichever occurs first. Apply: Department of Human Resources, Town of Wallingford, 45 South Main Street, Wallingford, CT 06492. Forms will be mailed upon request from the Department of Human Resources or may be downloaded from the Department of Human Resources Web Page. Phone: (203) 294-2080 Fax: (203) 294-2084. EOE.

THE GLENDOWER GROUP

Request for Qualifications

Project Architect for the Repositioning of

Elm City Communities Scattered Sites Properties

The Glendower Group is currently seeking Proposals for a project architect for the repositioning of Elm City Communities scattered sites properties. A complete copy of the requirement may be obtained from Glendower's Vendor Collaboration Portal <https://newhavenhousing.cobblestonesystems.com/gateway> beginning on

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Town of Bloomfield

Assistant Assessor - Full Time

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Publication Date: December 4, 2021

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This year the application process will occur online through the City's Bonfire portal. To begin the process the city will be hosting a public informational meeting via Zoom on:

Tuesday, December 7, 2021 at 10:30am

Links to the Zoom meeting specifics, as well as the applications for funding can be found on the City's website at www.newhavenct.gov.

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Technical Assistance will be available to all applicants throughout the application process. If assistance is needed to access the online application or to attend the informational meeting please contact Mr. Ron Cizzi at complanapp@newhavenct.gov

Justin Ellicker, Mayor

Listing: Commercial Driver

Full time Class A driver for petroleum deliveries for nights and weekends. Previous ex-

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AVISO DEL PROCESO DE SOLICITUD DEL PLAN CONSOLIDADO 2022-2023

A LOS CIUDADANOS DE NEW HAVEN:

La Ciudad de New Haven iniciará el proceso de solicitud de financiamiento para su Plan Consolidado 2022-2023 para Programas de Vivienda y Desarrollo Comunitario, utilizando la Subvención en Bloque para el Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG) del Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano (HUD) de los EE. UU., HOME Investment Partnership (HOME), Oportunidades de vivienda para personas con SIDA (HOPWA) y Subvenciones para soluciones de emergencia (ESG).

Este año, el proceso de solicitud se llevará a cabo en línea a través del portal Bonfire de la Ciudad. Para comenzar el proceso, la Ciudad organizará una reunión informativa pública a través de Zoom el:

Martes, 7 de diciembre de 2021 a las 10:30 am

Los enlaces a los detalles de la reunión de Zoom, así como las solicitudes de financiamiento, se pueden encontrar en el sitio web de la Ciudad en www.newhavenct.gov.

La asistencia a la reunión informativa no es obligatoria, pero se recomienda encarecidamente su participación. Los materiales de la reunión y los enlaces a los materiales de solicitud y los criterios de financiamiento se publicarán en el sitio web de la Ciudad en www.newhavenct.gov antes del 9 de diciembre de 2021. Las solicitudes se recibirán el martes 11 de enero de 2022 a las 5:00 pm EST.

Los solicitantes deben ser agencias certificadas 501 (c) 3 que trabajen en New Haven para solicitar fondos, pero todas las personas interesadas pueden asistir a la reunión informativa.

La asistencia técnica estará disponible para todos los solicitantes durante todo el proceso de solicitud. Si necesita ayuda para acceder a la solicitud en línea o para asistir a la reunión informativa, comuníquese con el Sr. Ron Gizzi en conplanapp@newhavenct.gov

Justin Ellicker, alcalde

IMPORTANT UPDATE: OUR PARKS DIVISION MAIN NUMBER 203-946-8027 HAS TEMPORARILY CHANGED TO 203-946-6960



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CITY OF NEW HAVEN
CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN
Adopted: March 1995
Updated: May 2020

INTRODUCTION

In order to receive Entitlement Funds and other funding resources from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) each jurisdiction is required to adopt a Citizen Participation Plan that sets forth its policies and procedures for citizen participation. To respond to Citizen Participation requirements set forth in 24CFR Part 91 (Consolidated Planning Regulations) and 24CFR Subsection 5.154 and 5.158 (Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing Requirements) the City of New Haven has prepared its Citizen Participation Plan to promote and provide for citizen participation and input as part of its Plan development processes.

Entitlement fund programs made available to New Haven on an annual basis include the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program, the HOME program, the Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) program and the Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) program. The Citizen Participation Plan must provide for and encourage citizens and interested stakeholders to participate in the development of its Consolidated Plan, any substantial amendments to the Consolidated Plan, and the Annual Action Plan and allow for review and comment on the Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER). HUD requirements are specifically designed to encourage participation by low- and moderate-income persons and by residents in areas where Community Development funds are proposed to be used.

Each community is expected to take appropriate actions to encourage the participation of all its citizens including minorities and non-English speaking persons, as well as persons with disabilities and other special needs. To reflect the needs of the homeless, near homeless and special needs populations, consolidated plan regulations also require coordination and collaboration between the City as an ESG entitlement community, local Continuum of Care (CoC) or Coordinated Access Network (CAN) participants and other key stakeholders in order to foster a comprehensive, community-wide planning process that ensures the seamless coordination of services and funding.

APPLICABILITY

In 1995, upon notification from HUD that the City's major entitlement funding programs required a consolidated submission, then Mayor John DeStefano, Jr. convened an inter-agency task force to work with all segments of the New Haven community and develop a process by which the City would meet its annual submission deadlines and other programmatic requirements. The task force was comprised of representatives from city departments having an integral role in implementing federally-funded programs including the Office of Housing and Neighborhood Development (now the Livable City Initiative -- LCI), the Office of Business Development, the City Plan Department, the Office of Legislative Services, the Welfare Department (now under the auspices of the Community Services Administration), the Health Department, the Human Resources Administration and the Office of Management and Budget. In addition, representatives of the Housing Authority of New Haven and the Vision for a Greater New Haven were participants in this effort. The process, developed by the task force in 1995, continues to be the core of the City's Citizen Participation Plan. However, the establishment of the Livable City Initiative and its neighborhood-based outreach approach necessitated revisions to the initial plan in 1998 and improved methods for the dissemination of information have been reflected in the updated 2006 and 2008 versions. In 2015, the Citizen Participation Plan was again updated to reflect changes in the homeless and special need outreach and participation component of the housing and community development process and requirements to Affirmatively Further Fair Housing (AFFH). Now, in 2020, the City is faced with new outreach and citizen participation challenges in response to the global pandemic, COVID19, a widespread coronavirus that has resulted in quarantines, social distancing and other measures to stop the spread of this virulent and deadly disease.

HUD regulations require that the City prepare a full Consolidated Plan that updates its housing and community development needs, outlines its goals and priorities and develops a strategic plan at least every five years. The Consolidated Plan document is supplemented on an annual basis with an Annual Action Plan that describes the community development resources available to the City and a proposed use of funds by project and/or activity. The City is also required to plan for and provide a structure for Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing. The City currently has an Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice (AI) that addresses this requirement. HUD

requirements for the preparation of an Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) have been suspended until further notice but will, when required for submission, incorporate citizen participation and public input.

ENCOURAGEMENT OF CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

- **Consultation with Elected Officials:** In order to create an effective method of understanding the needs and priorities of the residents of New Haven, the elected officials (Alders) of each targeted neighborhood will receive background information about the federal regulations governing Consolidated Plan Resources (CDBG, HOME, ESG, HOPWA) and the City's housing and community development goals and objectives. At the start of the Consolidated Plan and/or Annual Action Plan Development process local officials will be provided with an information packet describing the resources available, local goals and priorities, program eligibility and past performance information to assist in community outreach. Elected officials will be encouraged to work with their constituents to develop and represent existing neighborhood and city-wide needs, assist with the establishment of programmatic goals, objectives and strategies and help develop targeted investment criteria. As appropriate throughout the process, elected officials will be asked to facilitate neighborhood meetings as well as help identify community-based agencies, neighborhood institutions and other appropriate groups to participate in city programs.

- **Neighborhood Consultations:** Neighborhood residents are given numerous opportunities to comment on and make suggestions to the City's community development plans and activities. With the creation of the Livable City Initiative (LCI) the City has developed a structured system of neighborhood outreach. Each neighborhood has a designated Neighborhood Specialist from LCI staff. The Neighborhood Specialists serve as the liaison between neighborhood residents and City administration. Neighborhood Specialists work with community residents, police substation personnel and Community Management Teams/Neighborhood Improvement Committees to develop long-range plans and solutions to community needs. As part of the collaborative outreach process Neighborhood Specialists will also be utilized to facilitate the Citizen Participation process at the

neighborhood level.

- **Homeless Consultation:** To meet homeless participation requirements, the City will collaborate with the local Continuum of Care (CoC) network of providers, now operating as a Coordinated Access Network, and the ESG Citizen Review Board in reaching out to and consulting with homeless or formerly homeless individuals when considering and making policies and decisions regarding any facilities or services that receive funding under the Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG) program.

- **Special Needs Consultation:** To ensure the needs of the special needs and disability communities are represented as part of the citizen participation process, the City will collaborate with local Continuum of Care (CoC)/Coordinated Access Network (CAN) providers, the City Office of Disability Services, Community Services Administration representatives, and housing and social service providers throughout the region serving special needs populations.

- **Additional Citizen Input** – The Mayor holds numerous events in City Hall and at schools, senior centers, local restaurants and coffee shops and various other locations giving citizens the opportunity to comment. City staff are also available for meetings in person, virtually or by phone. Agencies that are applying for funding within a particular neighborhood will be requested by the City to present their activities before the appropriate neighborhood Community Management Team. These neighborhood committees forward recommendations and comments to the City in reference to these activities.

- **Consultations with Other Collaborators and Service Providers:** To ensure community development activities represent the needs of the community, the City will schedule informational opportunities for potential funding recipient agencies. At least one (1) informational meeting will be held to inform and educate representatives of potential recipient agencies and seek community input on needs and comments on past performance. Information will be made available which describes expected funding levels, past funding

investments, meeting schedules, and the legislative review process. The application for funding and approval criteria will also be reviewed. Eligible activities and beneficiaries will be detailed. It is not expected that individual citizens will be involved in the development of agency applications. Most individual citizen requests for funding will be originated through agencies or city departments that accept individual requests for assistance, such as LCI. LCI will accept applications for CDBG and HOME funds for homeowner rehabilitation and homebuyer assistance on an on-going basis throughout the program year. In addition, LCI will review applications for assistance for larger projects from not-for-profits through both the advertised process and on a continuing basis while funds are available.

- **Regional Outreach** - In addition to local activities, City representatives participate in regional discussions of housing and community development issues through meetings with the South Central Regional Council of Governments, the Connecticut Council on Municipalities, the Regional Growth Connection, the Connecticut Coalition to End Homelessness, the Greater New Haven Coordinated Access Network (CAN), the Regional Growth Partnership, the Affordable Housing Roundtable and other such entities. Through these venues, discussions of housing, community development, special needs, economic development, employment needs, job training needs and transportation needs of the region are possible.

- **Notices of Availability** - Letters and/or emails announcing the availability of funds and the location(s) of the information meetings will be sent to local agencies that provide public service, housing rehabilitation, community development and economic development assistance and other groups that provide service to citizens who are presumed to be income eligible. A list of over 150 agencies has been identified by City departments as past or potential recipients. A notice of availability of funds, which includes the announcement of the application process, funding availability, and any dates for deadlines and/or informational meetings or technical assistance, is posted on the City website and also

published in the New Haven Register and regional publications of general circulation.

- **Meetings** - Public Meetings and Hearings will be held at times and locations accessible to community residents. In addition to the presentation of background material to initiate discussion, an outline of the Consolidated Plan or Action Plan process will also be available. Neighborhood maps and information on past spending patterns will be available as appropriate. The proposed timeframe for the process including deadlines, meeting dates and the availability of draft documents for comment and review will also be presented. Spanish-speaking translators will be present as appropriate through advance notice. For Accessibility Related accommodations please contact (203) 946-7833 (voice) or (203) 946-8582 (TTY/TTD). through advance notice that such assistance will be needed.
- In times of a declared emergency, virtual meetings will be held with times, dates and access methods widely available to community residents and stakeholders. Virtual meeting times and methods will be publicized on the city website, emailed to the city's Consolidated Planning mailing list of past and potential participants, and communicated to vested community stakeholders (dependent upon the emergency) with contacts provided by the City's Emergency Operations Center (EOC).
- **Availability of Documents** - Copies of draft documents and informational materials will be made available for review on the City website, within designated municipal offices in City Hall, in the Main Branch of the Public Library and at each neighborhood police substation as appropriate for community notification. In times of a declared emergency or social distancing, these documents will only be made available on the City's website or by email request. Meeting notices and other public notices relative to the Consolidated Plan are also posted on the City website, in the local newspaper and at each sub-station by the Neighborhood Specialists.

INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED

In order to ensure access to information, the public will have access to reports, information and records during normal working hours (9am to 5pm) throughout the year. Copies of draft materials will be placed in the Office of the City/Town Clerk, LCI, Office of the Development Administrator, and the Main Branch of the Public Library until a Plan is adopted. In addition, copies will be placed at all Police Substations and the Office of Management and Budget. Copies of draft documents, final plans and reports and supporting documentation are also posted on the City's website for review and comment. In times of a declared emergency or social distancing, these documents will only made be available on the City's website or by email request.

If the information requested should be about items not covered in the current Consolidated Plan every effort will be made to ensure that the request is referred to the proper agency responsible for the item in question.

TYPES OF INFORMATION TO BE MADE AVAILABLE

- Consolidated Plan overview
- Five Year Consolidated PlanConsolidated Annual Action Plans
- Proposed Amendments to the Consolidated Plan or Annual Action Plans
- Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Reports (CAPER)
- Citizen Participation Plan
- Maps of the City (Census Tracts, Wards, Neighborhoods)
- Schedule for Legislative Review of Consolidated Plan
- Dates of opportunities for public participation and comment
- Previous Spending Patterns
- Resources available for the next fiscal year
- Notifications of new resources made available through HUD
- Eligible activities which benefit low, very low, and extremely low income persons
- Anti-Displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan
- Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing and Fair Housing Documents and Information
- Regulatory Requirements for the HUD Funding Sources (CDBG, HOME, HOPWA ESG)

NOTIFICATION OF CITIZENS

- A Notice describing the availability of federal funding and date(s) for the informational workshop(s) will appear in the New Haven Register in late September or October.
- It is estimated that the Draft Plans or Annual Action Plans will be available between March 1st and April 30th prior to the new fiscal year. A Notice will appear on the City website and in appropriate publications announcing the availability of the Draft Plan for review and comment. Draft Plans will be available for review online at the City's website, the Main Branch of the Public Library, the City/Town Clerk 's Office, Police Substations, Office of the Economic Development Administrator and other accessible locations.
- A Summary of the Draft Plan or Annual Action Plan will be published and made available both online and in the public depositories listed above.
- A schedule of neighborhood meetings and Aldermanic hearings will be published and made available in City Hall and online.
- Spanish translation of public notices will be provided on the City website.
- Spanish translation of documents will be provided upon request.
- Notification of the Consolidated Plan process will also be provided through publication via other online news resources as appropriate.
- At the end of each program year, the City will publish a notice of the availability of its Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for review and comment both online on the City's website and in the New Haven Register.
- The City will publish notices of other plans and assessments for citizen comment and review, as required by HUD, in the same manner it advertises its entitlement program documents.
- The City will advertise meeting dates on the city website, via mail and/or email, and in newspapers of general circulation to invite citizen and stakeholder input at planning and needs assessment meetings required to support housing and community development processes.
- Any plans or assessments, required by HUD for adoption and approval, will be provided to the public for their review and comment prior to adoption.

- In instances when the City receives allocations for supplemental funding through HUD that complements the Consolidated Plan, notification of funding availability, dates for application submission, proposed use of funding, and citizen comment procedures will be publicized on the city's website, emailed to past and potential recipients, and posted in the New Haven Register. Notices will include dates for comment, review and approval.

PUBLICATION OF A DRAFT CONSOLIDATED PLAN OR ANNUAL ACTION PLAN

- The City of New Haven will publish an open letter to the residents of the City inviting participation in the development of a Consolidated Plan or Annual Action Plan and advertising the availability of community development funding.
- The City of New Haven will publish a summary of the Consolidated Plan or Annual Action Plan when available online and in at least one general circulation newspaper. Notice of plan availability will also be posted on the city website. The summary will include:
 - * A description of the plan contents
 - * Amount and type of funding available
 - * The locations where the Consolidated Plan is available for review
 - * An Annual Action Plan and Budget
 - * A schedule of neighborhood meetings and Aldermanic hearings
- The City will make efforts to provide Spanish language equivalents of plan and funding availability notices.
- The City will provide alternate methods of communication upon request for those with special needs.
- Copies of Draft Plans will be posted on the City's website for public review and comment as a means to increase convenience and availability to the public.
- Copies of the draft Five Year Consolidated Plan will be sent to the Regional Council of Governments and neighboring municipalities.

COMMENT PERIOD

Citizens will be encouraged to comment upon the Draft Consolidated Plan and/or Annual Action Plan. They will be asked to submit comments during public hearings and other public meetings, neighborhood meetings and in writing. The comment period will extend for at least thirty (30) days. All comments will be considered and a written response from the appropriate City Department will be issued within fifteen (15) days of receipt as appropriate.

Written comments should be sent to:

Office of Management and Budget
Attn: Consolidated Plan Comments
165 Church Street
New Haven, CT 06510

or email to:

conplanapp@newhavenct.gov, achamplin@newhavenct.gov or rgizzi@newhavenct.gov

- Schedule of public meetings for comments will be published at least one week prior to the beginning of the public comment period.
- Responses in Spanish will be available upon request.
- In instances when the City receives allocations for supplemental funding through HUD that complements the Consolidated Plan, notification of funding availability, dates for application submission, proposed use of funding, and citizen comment procedures will be publicized on the city's website, emailed to past and potential recipients, and posted in the New Haven Register. Notices will include dates for comment, review and approval.
- In times of declared disasters, the City may opt to utilize waivers made available to expedite the citizen participation and application process including the reduction of public comment periods, usage of virtual meetings and changes in application processes.
 - In 2020, in response to the COVID19 pandemic, HUD has in effect several waivers that pertain to citizen participation and the application process. The City will utilize these waivers to effectively and efficiently make funds available to address emergency community needs. These include the utilization of a 5 day comment period, virtual meetings and electronic postings of documents and signatures.
 - The City will employ such measures now, as they address COVID19 concerns, and in the future under any "Emergency Declarations".

PERFORMANCE REPORTS

The annual performance report, as required by HUD shall be made available in the same locations as the Consolidated Plan documents to afford all citizens sufficient opportunity to comment before submission to HUD. Notification of the availability of such report shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation. An Executive Summary and notification of availability will also be posted on the City's website. Citizens will be afforded a period of fifteen (15) days in which to examine and submit comments on the performance report.

The City shall consider any comments or views of citizens received in writing or orally in preparing the performance report and will attach a summary of comments or views to the final performance report.

Upon submission of the final annual performance and evaluation report to HUD, the Office of Management and Budget shall make it available to the public.

ACCESS TO RECORDS

Access to federal regulations, previous applications and correspondence, agreements, amendments to previous grants and applications, minutes or summaries of all public hearings or meetings, Performance Reports, and other federal and local procedures and policies regarding contracting, rehabilitation, environmental reviews, fair housing, equal opportunity, relocation or other related and relevant documentation will be available through the Management and Budget Office of the City during normal working hours. Translation services will be available upon request.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

In order to ensure that the public has an understanding of the schedule and application process, at least one technical assistance workshop/informational meeting will be scheduled prior to the application submission period. Staff of the appropriate city departments will be available at the workshop(s) and for individual consultation up to the application deadline. Staff will be available to review with the applicant the scope of the work to ensure their submission meets eligibility

requirements. Assistance to Spanish speakers and persons with disabilities will be available upon request.

In times of Declared Disaster/Emergency, the City will employ the provision of technical assistance through virtual meetings, email and online posting to keep citizens and community stakeholders knowledgeable of resources and opportunities.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

There will be a minimum of two periods during the program year when public hearings/meetings will allow citizens to comment on housing and community development needs. Priorities for non-housing needs will also be sought. The first will occur at the beginning of the application period. These opportunities will allow citizens to comment upon past and current spending patterns and to testify about community need. This process will guide staff during the preparation of Draft Plans. During the period from mid-February through the month of May, public meeting(s), accessible to potential and actual beneficiaries, will be held to review the Draft Consolidated Plan or Action Plan and to solicit public comment. Spanish translation will be available. In addition, the legislative review process contains additional opportunity for citizen comment. The schedule of meetings will be published in the Notice advertising the availability of the Draft Plan for review and comment. Such notices will be published to give citizens adequate advance notice of the scheduled meeting dates.

In times of Declared Disaster/Emergency, the City will employ the use of virtual meetings, phone conferences, email and online postings to keep citizens and community stakeholders knowledgeable of resources and opportunities available to them.

COMMENTS AND COMPLAINTS

Citizen comments and complaints will be taken at public hearings, neighborhood meetings, and in writing. Additionally, citizens are encouraged to comment during any public hearing or neighborhood meeting. All comments and complaints will be acknowledged and answered in writing by the appropriate City department within 15 working days of receipt. All written comments and complaints should be sent to:

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A summary of all such comments will accompany final Plan submissions to HUD.

PLAN AMENDMENTS

Any substantial change in the activities adopted in the Strategies and Goals or the One Year Action Plan will require an amendment to be submitted to HUD. A substantial change will mean any new allocation or use of funds, major reprogramming of funds (a reprogramming of more than 15% of the grant allocation for a given program year or \$100,000 whichever is greater), or a change in the method of distributing funds not previously contemplated in the original submission. Such changes must be approved by the City's legislative body. In order to advise residents of such changes the City will publish notice of the public hearing wherein changes will be discussed. A copy of the Plan amendment narrative will be posted on the City's website and made available in printed format at City Hall. Citizens will be given thirty (30) days to comment on the proposed amendment in accordance with federal regulations. Every effort will be made to inform those affected by major changes by posting notices in affected neighborhoods and City offices, libraries, the City/Town Clerk's office and other appropriate locations. At least one (1) public hearing will be held during the public comment period at which citizen comment will be solicited. All comments will be considered before final adoption of an amendment. The final amendment will then be available to the public.

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COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION and the AFFIRMATIVELY FURTHERING FAIR HOUSING (AFFH) RULE

Community Participation, consultation, and coordination is also required under the Affirmatively Further Fair Housing (AFFH) rule (24 CFR § 5.158). The requirements for community participation under the AFFH rule are the same as the “Citizen Participation” requirements in HUD’s Community Planning and Development regulations, but are two separate processes.

For the purposes of the AFFH rule, community participation, as required in 24 CFR § 5.158, “means a solicitation of views and recommendations from members of the community and other interested parties, a consideration of the views and recommendations received, and a process for incorporating such views and recommendations into decisions and outcomes.”

The City of New Haven, as a Consolidated Plan program participant, must ensure that plans and assessments prepared in response to the AFFH rule, are informed by meaningful community participation in the process of assembling and analyzing data; identifying fair housing issues and In conducting the community participation process, the City conduct outreach residents, community stakeholders and impacted individuals as well as to populations who have historically experienced exclusion, including racial and ethnic minorities, limited English proficient (LEP) persons, and persons with disabilities.

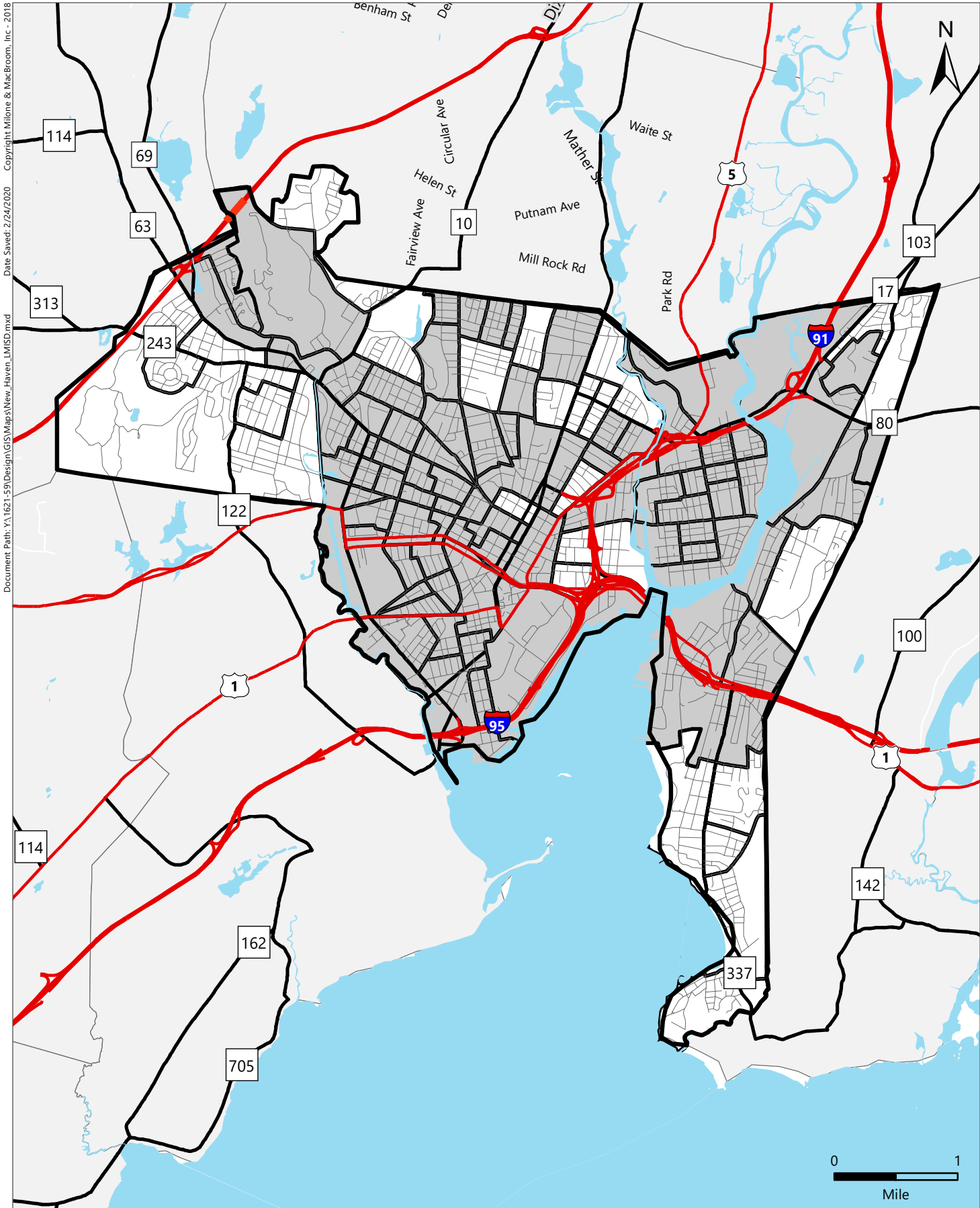
All program participants are required to ensure that community participation is conducted in accordance with fair housing and civil rights laws, including title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the regulations at 24 CFR part 1; section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the regulations at 24 CFR part 8; and the Americans with Disabilities Act and the regulations at 28 CFR parts 35 and 36, as applicable.

For plans and assessments prepared for AFFH purposes, citizen participation; community outreach; notification; public review; comment opportunities; and plan approval and adoption methods will be conducted in the same manner as those established for the City's Consolidated Planning process.

Residential Anti-Displacement

The City of New Haven has adopted a Residential Anti-Displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan in order to minimize the displacement of persons from their homes to the maximum extent possible. The City will replace all occupied and vacant occupiable low and moderate income dwelling units that are demolished or converted as a direct result of the activities assisted with CDBG or other federal funding.

In the event that an occupied dwelling must be acquired and demolished, the City will comply with the provisions of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended, as well as any other relocation regulations imposed by HUD.





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Target Areas



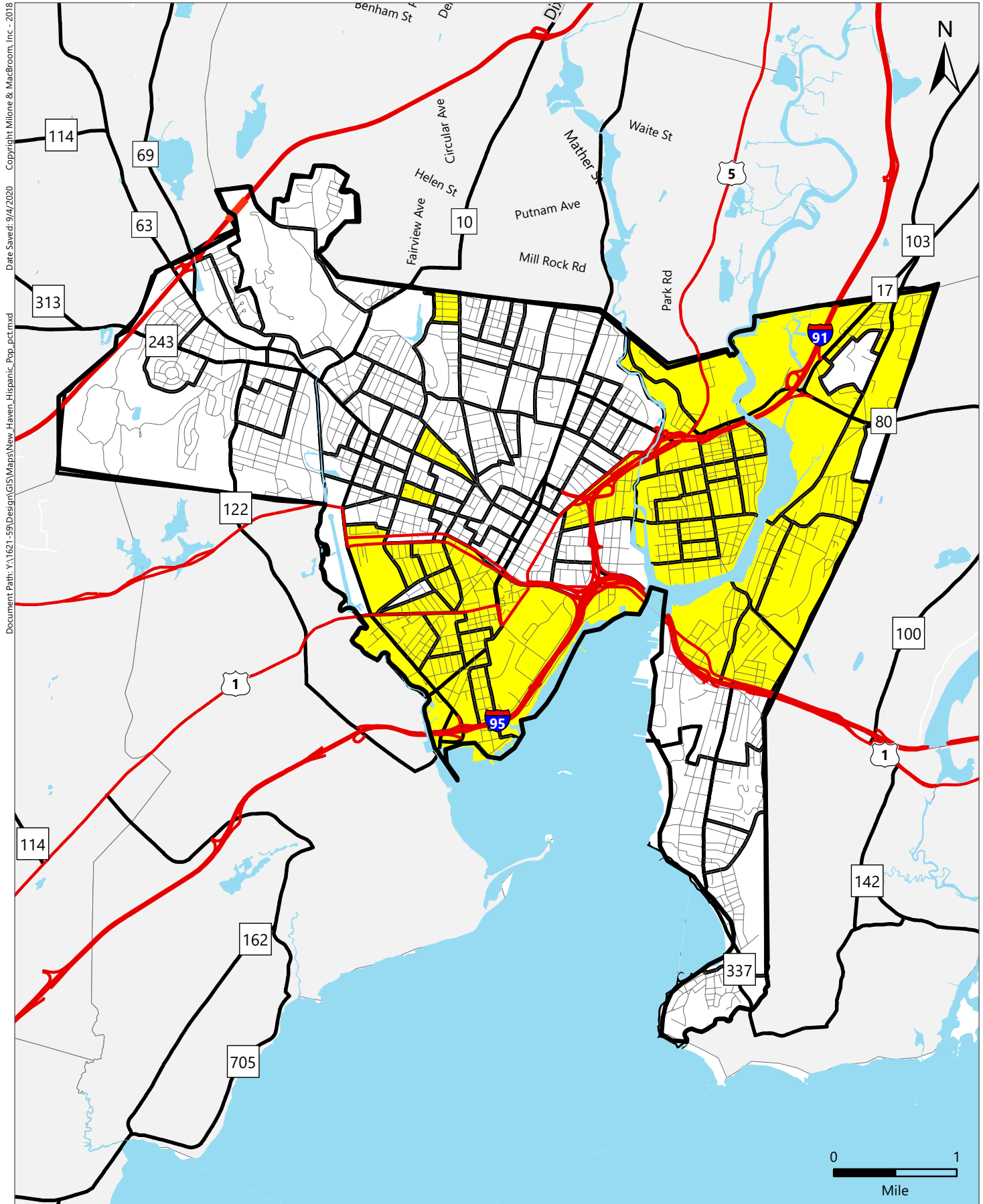
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-  Census Tracts
-  Low and Moderate Income Target Areas

Low to moderate income individual data by block group based on
 the 2011-2015 American Community Survey (ACS)
 associated with the FY 2019 Entitlement CDBG Grantees.




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Concentrations of Hispanic Population



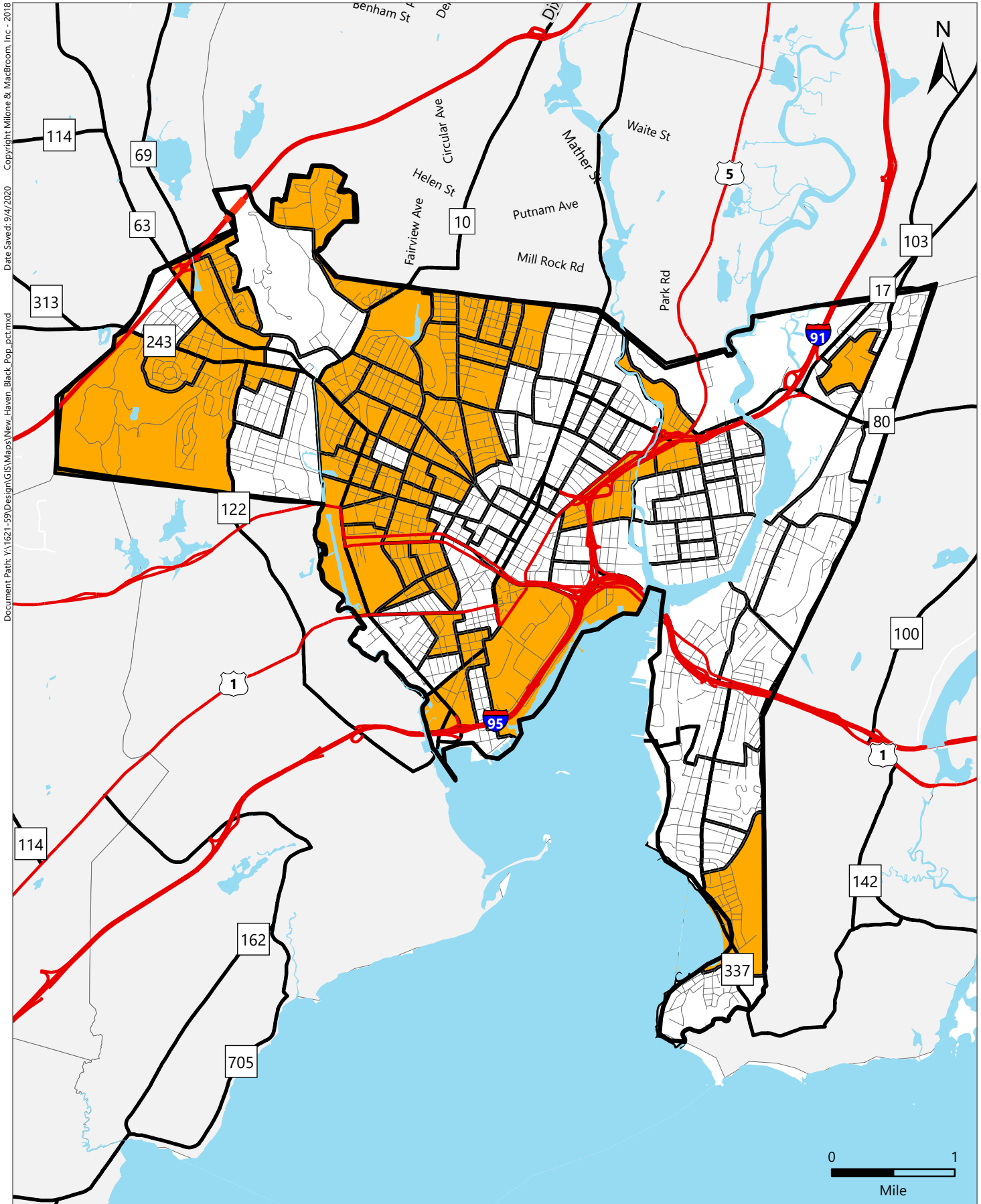
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 Block Groups where the percent of Hispanic Population is Greater than citywide percent of 30.4%

2013-2017 American Community Survey (ACS)



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Concentrations of Black/African American Population



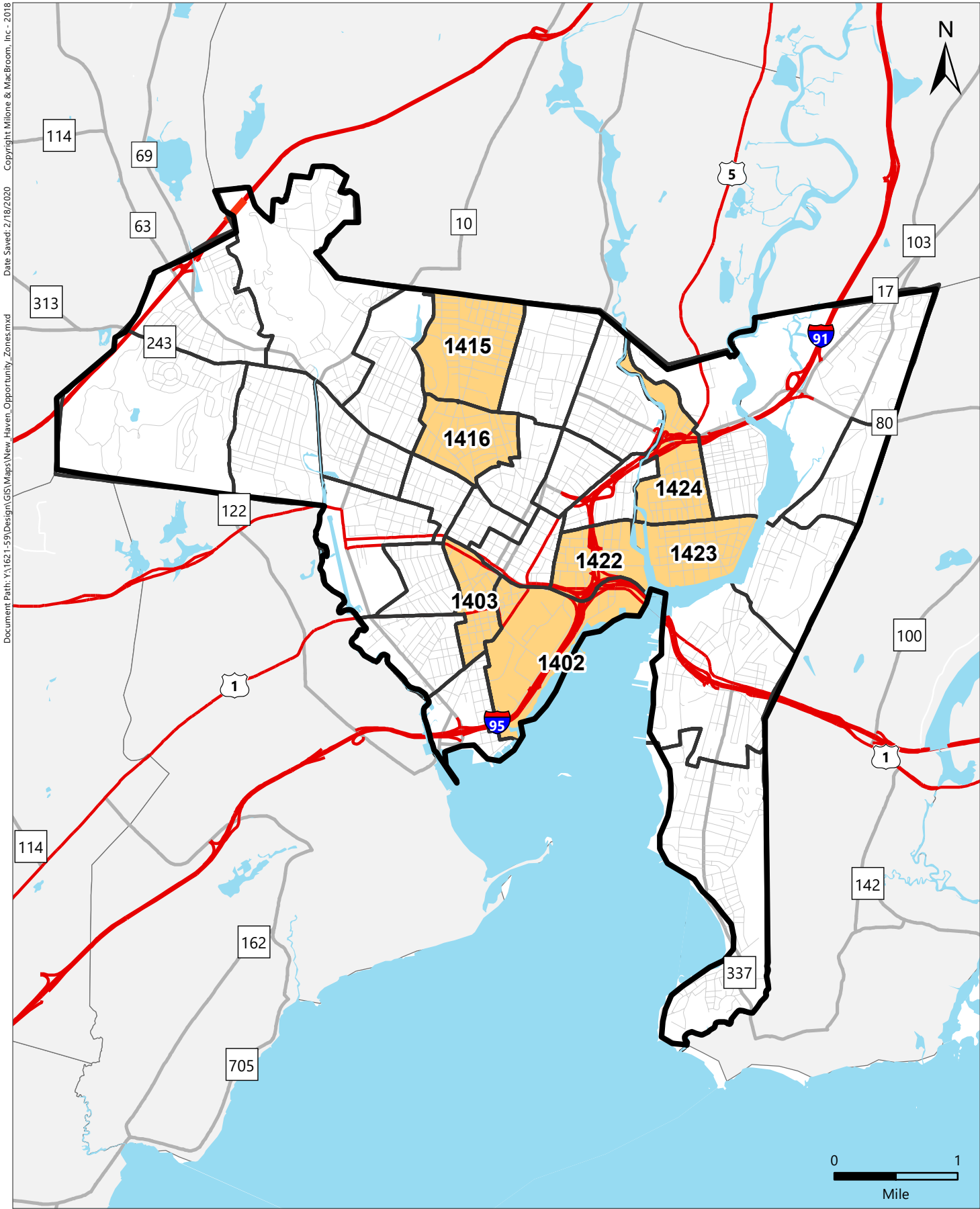
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Block Groups where the percent of Black/African American Population is Greater than citywide percent of 33%

2013-2017 American Community Survey (ACS)



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Opportunity Zones



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Opportunity Zone

Opportunity Zones data based on Economic Innovation Group by census tracts based on 2010 designated boundaries.



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**HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME)
Reference 24 CFR 91.220(I)(2)**

2. A description of the guidelines that will be used for resale or recapture of HOME funds when used for homebuyer activities as required in 92.254, is as follows:

The City may use either the Resale or Recapture provision to ensure compliance with HOME regulations, depending on the particular program or neighborhood goal that the City has identified. These provisions are described in more detail below.

HOME Recapture: The City of New Haven has chosen to use Recapture in the following instances:

- A. When direct financial assistance is used to reduce the purchase price to below market value for the homebuyer or to otherwise subsidize the homebuyer to make purchase affordable as with the down-payment and closing cost assistance program, also known as “direct subsidy”.
- B. When direct financial assistance is provided to homeowner occupants for rehabilitation costs allowable under the energy efficiency rehabilitation program and elderly emergency repair program. The HOME regulations do not require either resale or recapture, however, the City of New Haven has elected to require recapture of its HOME funds in accordance with CFR Section 92.254(5)(ii)(A).
- C. When financial assistance is used as a direct subsidy to the homebuyer in the form of HOME Downpayment and Closing Cost assistance together with additional energy efficiency rehabilitation program assistance.

Under the recapture option, the City will recapture the entire amount of the HOME investment not previously forgiven under the terms of the written agreement from the borrower provided there are net proceeds sufficient to repay the City loan. Under the recapture provisions, HOME affordability restrictions will be removed from the property and the property may be sold without sales restrictions (i.e. at market rate and/or to a non-low-income purchaser). Net proceeds (*defined in 24 CFR 92.254(a)(5)(ii)(A)(3)*) are equal to the sales price, minus non-HOME loan repayments, closing costs, and approved permanent capital improvements. Permanent capital improvements may include hot water heater, furnace, roof, kitchen remodel, bathroom remodel and/or any other permanent improvements excluding cosmetic improvements such as painting, carpet etc. made to the property during the period of ownership. If net proceeds are insufficient to pay off the City’s principal and any interest that may have accrued, the balance of unpaid principal and interest shall be forgiven. All HOME repayments from homebuyers/homeowners will be used for HOME-eligible purposes. The City loan will also become immediately due and payable if the property ceases to be used by the borrower as their primary residence, in accordance with 24 CFR Section 92.254.

The down-payment and closing cost assistance program carries a 5 year affordability period with its HOME investment of up to \$15,000.00 which is forgiven pro-rata over the 5 years. If at any

time the homebuyer resells, refinances (except to obtain a lower interest rate for the remaining principal balance) or transfers title any amount not forgiven shall become immediately due and payable. However, if the homebuyer fails to occupy the property as their primary residence or is in non-compliance under 92.503(b) the entire HOME assistance shall be recaptured. The rehabilitation program (Energy Efficiency Upgrades) carries a 10 year affordability period due to the HOME investment of up to \$30,000.00 which is 100% due and payable during the initial 5 years and forgiven 20% a year for the final 5 years. Like the Down Payment and Closing Cost Program if at any time the homeowner resells, refinances (except to obtain a lower interest rate for the remaining principal balance) or transfers title any amount not forgiven shall become immediately due and payable. However, if the homebuyer fails to occupy the property as their primary residence or is in non-compliance under 92.503(b) the entire HOME assistance shall be recaptured.

Recapture details are outlined in the written agreement and recorded as a lien on the land records along with the mortgage and note. Funds recaptured shall be used to assist other first time buyers and low-income homeowners and deemed Program Income.

Market Conditions for Resale: New Haven is a mature city with a development pattern that has evolved over four centuries. While the central core is well-framed by a grid of nine squares, the balance of the city is an organic collection of, among other features, residential neighborhoods, commercial districts, open spaces, institutions and industrial districts. These qualities are often noted for their diversity and livability, thereby creating a unique and celebrated “sense of place”. In general terms, the city’s housing and land use patterns are denser and more integrated than other municipalities in Connecticut. In addition, mixed-use districts, either by design or by heritage, continue to be among the city’s more prominent land use features. New Haven is a small city in terms of area (18.9 square miles), but is a densely populated urban community of roughly 130,000 people.

New Haven has begun attracting new residents over the past years. This trend has been due in part to revitalized neighborhoods, new residential development in Downtown New Haven and other neighborhoods and the growing appeal of urban living, as well as outside market forces at work in the region. New Haven is projected to continue growing as New Haven is the economic and cultural center of southern Connecticut. In recent years, its business mix has evolved from a heavy focus on industrial manufacturing to a more diverse economy based on educational services, healthcare, bioscience, information technology and advanced manufacturing. The City is particularly encouraged as these areas have continued to grow, despite increasing competition. This stability is partly the result of the City’s strong anchor institutions, Yale University and Yale New Haven Hospital, which continue to attract outside investment.

The market in New Haven has stabilized which allows for a steady rental rates, which have not increased, and home sale prices which also have not changed. Coupled with low interest rates, this makes New Havens housing market viable. New Haven has a very high rental to homeownership ratio with a very low vacancy rate. Small-scale new construction of single and two family homeownership units is the current demand. It is expected that these units would be

a suitable addition to the local housing market based upon the lack of availability of newly constructed housing units as most housing stock in New Haven is over 100 years old. The availability of targeted financing programs is especially important for rapid sale of these units.

HOME Resale: The City shall impose the resale option to ensure the preservation of affordability of the HOME-assisted unit in the event a developer (non-profit/CHDO's/for-profit) is provided HOME-assistance to cover the cost of producing the affordable unit above the fair market value by either underwriting new construction or rehabilitation, This type of assistance is known as "development subsidy", In such instances the homebuyer must sell to another Low-Income Homebuyer (as defined by HUD), with the new home being affordable to the new buyer. The new homebuyer may not pay more than 38 percent of gross income for Principal, Interest, Taxes and Insurance (PITI). In certain circumstances, the City may permit the new homebuyer to assume the City loan and affordability restrictions, i.e., the City will not require the full repayment of the initial HOME subsidy.

- A. Under the resale option, 24 CFR 92.254(a)(5)(i), if the HOME unit does not continue to be the principal residence of the qualified low-income family that purchased the unit for the duration of the period of affordability, the unit must be made available for subsequent purchase only to a reasonable range of low-income buyers defined by the City of New Haven as 60%-80% AMI unless assisted by the Section 8 mortgage program through the New Haven Housing Authority of the City of New Haven. In order to ensure that the owner receives a fair return on investment and the unit is affordable to the range of low-income buyers, the City may provide down payment and closing cost assistance to the subsequent homebuyer.
- B. The original HOME-assisted Homebuyer shall obtain a Fair rate of return on investment as required under the HOME regulations and the City of New Haven defines the fair rate of return as the fair market value based on the most probable price (in terms of money) which a property should bring in a competitive and open market under all conditions requisite to a fair sale price based on three (3) comparable properties that have sold in the last six (6) months to a year that are similar in configuration, age and location, including the homeowner's investment as defined as the down payment at original purchase, plus any permanent capital improvements (i.e. hot water heater, furnace, roof, kitchen remodel, bathroom remodel and/or any other permanent improvements excluding cosmetic improvements (i.e. painting, carpet etc.) made by the owner to the structure since the purchase.
- C. Affordability period: The affordability period will be based on the total amount of HOME funds used to assist each unit in the property in accordance with the ranges shown below:
 - a. Five (5) years where the per unit amount of the HOME Loan provided is less than \$15,000;
 - b. Ten (10) years where the per unit amount of the HOME Loan provided is \$15,000 to \$40,000;
 - c. Fifteen (15) years where the per unit amount of the HOME Loan provided is greater than \$40,000;
 - d. Twenty (20) years with respect to new construction;

however, in the event the HOME Loan was used in connection with a mortgage insured by HUD under Chapter II, Parts 200 - 299 of Title 24, Code of Federal regulations, the Recapture provisions shall be applicable for a period of time equivalent to the term of the HUD-insured mortgage.

Resale restrictions. In accord with 24 CFR 92.254, the Project structure shall be made available for subsequent purchase only to a low-income family or very low income family that shall utilize the property as a principal residence; and

- a) In the event the subsequent purchase price is in excess of the original Owner's investment, including any capital improvement (hereafter "investment"), such Owner shall receive at the sale his investment, together with a fair return on investment-(a fair return shall consist of the excess sale price above closing expenses and investment, divided by the affordability period, the result multiplied by the number of years of occupancy by the Owner); and
- b) Ensure that the Project structure shall remain affordable to a reasonable range of low-income homebuyers pursuant to deed restrictions, covenants running with the land, or other similar mechanism approved by the City, in accord with the requirement stated and set forth under Article 6, Section 6.26, herein, at or before the Closing of this Agreement, and pursuant to 24 CFR 92.254 (a) (5)((i)(A) and (B). In conformity with and to carry forth the requirement stated in 24 CFR 92.501, in the event the affordable housing, or discrete portion thereof, assisted with the federal HUD HOME funds invested in the Project ceases to qualify as affordable housing before the period of affordability expires such funds shall be repaid to the extent and proportional to such part or portion ceasing to so qualify as affordable housing.

Resale Restriction details and requirements are outlined in the written agreement for each project prior to project commencement and the written agreement is recorded on the land records. A deed restriction is placed on the transfer deed as a covenant running with the land which enforces the affordability period as determined by the HOME loan investment as noted in the following Home Deed Restriction.

HOME DEED RESTRICTIONS TO BE INSERTED IN WARRANTY DEED:

The Grantee shall also comply with the terms, conditions, restrictions and covenants as set forth in the Home Investment Partnerships Program (HOME) Agreement executed simultaneously herewith by and between the City of New Haven and the Grantee(s) herein. A copy of which is on file in the City of New Haven, Livable City Initiative, 165 Church Street, New Haven, Connecticut.

The HOME Agreement shall remain in effect during the applicable period for affordability under 24 CFR Part 92 Subpart F Sections 92.252 and 92.254. Said affordability period shall commence on the date this deed is executed and shall terminate fifteen (15) years from the date hereof as to the provisions under the HOME Agreement.

Under the HOME Agreement, any subsequent purchaser must qualify as a low-income household (defined by HUD) pursuant to 24 CFR Part 92.

The Grantee, his/her heirs, successors and assigns and any subsequent purchaser or successor-in-interest shall comply with the terms of the HOME Program and the regulations promulgated thereunder as set forth in 24 CFR Part 92.

If a rental unit exists, the maximum rent limitation for the affordable housing rental unit(s) is the lesser of:

- 1) The fair market rent for existing housing for comparable units in the area as established by HUD under 24 CFR Part 888.111; or
- 2) A rent that does not exceed 30 percent of the adjusted income of a family whose annual income equals 65 percent of the median income for the area, as determined by HUD, with adjustments for the number of bedrooms in the unit.

**CITY OF NEW HAVEN
RESIDENTIAL LOAN
ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**

**POLICIES AND
PROCEDURES**

Dated: 1999 Rev: Mar 2010 Rev. Dec. 2013 Rev. Aug.2018 Rev. Jan 2020 (add LEAD) Rev.
Sept 2020 (remove LEAD)

Contents

1. Policy
2. Procedure

POLICY

- **Funding: HOME, CDBG, and/or CAPITAL**
- **Income Eligibility/Verification: HOME, CDBG, and/or CAPITAL**
 - *Governing Rule: 24 CFR 5.609 “ANNUAL INCOME” is the method the City of New Haven has chosen to verify eligibility for programs.*
 - **FEDERAL – 80% or under
CAPITAL/NSP– 80%-120%**
- **Funding Covenants:** Determined by funding source
Home – 24 CFR 92 – Affordability period determined by per unit assistance
- **Funding Determination:** Upon review of the Application that meets the program criteria with priority to Geographic Leveraged Neighborhoods. For example, where NSP properties, school construction, Housing Authority rehabilitation, City of New Haven rehabilitation/construction, CDC Rehabilitation/Construction (2 properties on same block), Library rehabilitation, Urban Renewal/MDP and/or Private Investor of over a Million Dollars in rehabilitation or construction which is determined.
- **Funding Amounts: To be Determined per program**
- **Property Requirements:**
 1. 1-4 Family
 2. Residential use only
 3. Debt to Value Ratio no more than 95% after rehabilitation (use HOME formula to determine after rehab value)
 4. Located in City of New Haven
 5. Code Compliant (Housing, Health, and Licensing, if applicable)
 6. All mortgages on property must be current
 7. Other Requirements per program requested
- **Owner Requirements:**
 1. Borrower must not owe City of New Haven real and/or personal property taxes or Motor Vehicle Tickets. All indebtednesses to City of New Haven must be current.
 2. Verified Income Eligibility as referenced above.
 3. If City Employee, ethics opinion must be obtained from Corporation Counsel to be submitted with Application. (LCI employee no exception)
 4. Homeowners Insurance (current)
 5. Affordability – 30% of income on payment
 6. Debt and Income – Front end down to 30% and back end ratio to 48%
- **Rehabilitation Standards:**
 1. Federal, State and Local laws, including, but not limited to housing code, building code, health code, lead based paint and asbestos removal or any hazardous materials.
 2. Lead Housing Safe Rule: determined investment and program and funding source.
 3. Housing Quality Standards to be met.

- **Procurement:**
 1. 24 CFR 85.36
 2. Ordinance 12 ¼ - Small Business
 3. City of New Haven Procurement Policy
 4. March 23, 2005 – Self Performance Regulation (40% contracted work)
 5. April 18, 2011 – Informal Bidding Process Livable City Initiative Residential Loan Programs

- **Subordination of Loan** – Upon written request from the Borrower the City of New Haven will review and determine if it is in the best interest of the City and if allowable under Federal Regulations governing the funding put into the project. Subordination Requests must be approved by the Deputy Director of Administrative Services, Livable City Initiative.

- **Assumption of Loan – Determination upon written request.**

- **Loan Underwriting Committee** – Review each Application to determine eligibility under the Program Policy. The Loan Advisory Committee will operate in accordance with the Loan Underwriting Committee Guidelines.

- **Responsible Entity:** The loans will be provided under the supervision of the Executive Director of the Livable City Initiative thru the direct supervision of the Deputy Director of the Housing Preservation and Development Division. The division will be responsible for the intake, eligibility, specifications and completion of each of the loans. The Program Manager with the assistance of the Project Managers (rehabilitation) will be responsible from intake thru to completion and close out.

- **Acquisition Loans:** The Borrower must be able to secure first mortgage financing in accordance with the Purchase Mortgage Lending Policy governing first mortgages and must be income eligible in accordance with the Program Summary requirements.

- **Rehabilitation Loans (EERAP/Elderly):** The Owner must obtain a minimum of 3 written sealed bids drawn from the Specifications provided by the third-party inspector. The Project Manager will assist the Owner with this process in accordance with 24 CFR 85.36 and be present at the time the contractors view the property. The City of New Haven LCI maintains a solicitation list of small business local contractors and the Owner may solicit any other contractor to participate in the bidding process.
 - **Rehabilitation Specifications:** Determined by third party inspection services company will inspect the subject premises and produce the Specifications based on HQS and Lead Standards with a cost estimate. The third-party inspection services company will be contracted with the City of New Haven. The City of New Haven has the right to refuse any improvement deemed unjust or not warranted under the program.

Eligible Improvements: Determination by third party inspector and approved by the Program Manager in accordance with the Program Summary and any other improvement deemed to enhance the health and safety of the structure.

Ineligible Improvements: “Luxury Items” as defined by 24 CFR Part 92 (i.e. pools, skylights, sheds, carports, gazebos, barns, fencing, landscaping etc.), Cosmetic Improvements (wallpaper and ceramic tile etc.) and any other improvement the City of New Haven deems ineligible.

The lowest bid will be used to determine the allowance, however, if the Owner does not want the lowest bidder they have the right to choose whichever contractor but the City will only fund in accordance with the lowest bid. Each Contractor is required to provide a rehabilitation schedule for completion of each task.

Rehabilitation Payments: There will be three (3) payments in this process with the initial payment up to 1/3rd, second payment 20% and final payment 50% of the allowance. Initial Payment will be provided after closing of the loan if an invoice is provided for start up costs to purchase materials. Second Payment will be half way thru the Specifications/Rehabilitation Schedule and the third-party inspection company confirms in writing that the draw is valid and the work is completed as indicated. Final Payment is upon completion of all the contracted work in accordance with the Specifications and verified by the third-party inspector.

Lien Waivers: The Contractor will provide a lien waiver signed and executed upon receipt of each payment. A final waiver to be provided at final payment.

Checks: Made payable to the Borrower and the Contractor.

Packet: Provide to Borrower denoting the Scope of Work, restrictions associated with the Program due to their eligibility and funding sources, description of bidding process to obtain contractor.

- **Emergency Housing Assistance: Coronavirus Assistance and Security Tenant Landlord Emergency Program (“CASTLE”):** will assist tenants and homeowners in New Haven who have experienced income loss due to Covid-19 and are experiencing housing insecurity. The program will assist in mitigating the risk of eviction and/or foreclosure and create housing stability

Eligible: COVID Back Rent: Rent owed after March 2020.

- CASTLE will fund up to \$3,000 of Covid Back Rent
- Landlord will write off the balance of any Covid Back Rent after Castle payment
- Landlords will waive all late fees and interest payments.
- Landlords will deem tenant current in rent, and the rent records will show a zero balance on all Pre-Covid Back Rent and Covid Back Rent.
- Landlord will agree NOT to commence eviction proceeding for Pre-COVID/COVID rent.

Ineligible: Pre-COVID Back Rent must be completely written off by the landlord and cannot be collected or used as a cause for eviction.

Payments: Direct to Landlord

DOWNPAYMENT LOAN UNDERWRITING PROCEDURES

The following will be the procedures required to be performed to ensure compliance with the Policy:

1. A Complete Application is submitted by the Borrower to the Livable City Initiative, Program Manager (PM) of Administrative Services Division where it will be date stamped and entered in the Project Database.
2. The PM will review the Application in its entirety to verify that all the application and accompanying documentation is present and complete. If it is missing documentation, the application along with the accompanying documents will be returned to the applicant via pick up or regular mail with a letter identifying the missing information required for resubmittal. The PM will keep a copy of the letter and front page of application for tracking purposes.
3. PM will review the income documentation provided in application and process the Income Ratio Form and Income Worksheet which will require the PM's signature. If income eligible move to Step 4. 24 CFR 5.609 "Annual Income"
4. PM will send Initial Letter (Form Letter) via regular mail to Applicant to introduce themselves, preliminary eligibility status and let them know that an inspector will be contacting them to inspect the premises to perform a housing code.
5. PM will order Environmental Checklist and, Housing Code Inspection, License Inspection (4 units and above) and Third Party Inspection for Specifications.
6. PM receives the Specifications it will be sent to Health Department with a Visual Assessment or Disturbed Surfaces only depending on funding source and program.
7. PM will prepare the Loan Summary Sheet and Ballot and provide via e-mail to each Loan Advisory Committee member. The Loan Advisory Committee Guidelines are to be strictly followed as to the operating of the Committee. If approved move to Step 7. If denied, a letter via regular mail to Applicant with explanation of denial denoting Appeal process. LUC Form.
8. PM will prepare and forward Note and Deed Information Sheet, Legal Checklist along with all required documents on that checklist to Corporation Counsel for closing documents to be prepared and executed.
9. Counsel send copies of recorded documents to PM and filed.
10. Close-out documentation required and entered in Database.
11. PM to close out the project at time of completion.

**REHABILITATION LOAN UNDERWRITING
PROCEDURES
(EERAP and ELDERLY ONLY)**

The following will be the procedures required to be performed to ensure compliance with the Policy:

1. Complete Application is submitted by the Borrower to the Livable City Initiative, Program Manager (PM) of Administrative Services Division where it will be date stamped and entered in the Project Database.
2. The PM will review the Application in its entirety to verify that all the application and accompanying income and documentation is present and complete. If it is missing documentation, the application along with the accompanying documents will be returned to the applicant via pick up or regular mail with a letter identifying the missing information required for re-submittal. The PM will keep a copy of the letter and front page of application for tracking purposes.
3. PM will set up an appointment with the Applicant to review the program requirements, process, and restrictions and provide the Protect Family Brochure w/ signature acknowledgement (specifications, inspections, scope of work and bidding process. After this appointment, PM will have the Applicant sign a Program Understanding and Acceptance Form which will summarize of all the terms and conditions along with the Scope of Work associated with each individual project.
4. PM will review/verify the income documentation provided in application and process the Income Ratio Form and Income Worksheet which will require the PM's signature. If income eligible move to Step 4. 24 CFR 5.609 "Annual Income"
5. PM will order Environmental Checklist, Licensing Verification (4 units or more) and, UPCS Inspection Form (Housing Code) and Third-Party Inspection for Specifications.
6. PM receives the Specifications it will be sent to Health Department with a Request for Risk Assessment or Disturbed Surfaces only depending on funding source and program.
7. PM will review specifications provided by third party inspector and the Risk Assessment by the Health Department.
8. Request Third Party Inspector to revise Specifications to include Risk Assessment Hazards.
9. PM will set up an appointment with the Applicant for Open House Mandatory Walk through of the project structure. PM will send an e-mail blast to local small business contractor from LCI Solicitation list for bidding purposes and encourage Owner to call other contractors.
12. Borrower will obtain a minimum of three (3) written bids using the Scope of Work. **The City will use the lowest bid to determine Allowance in accordance with 24 CFR 85.36**, however, the Borrower can use anyone of the contractors that bid and

assume the financial responsibility between the difference of the lowest bid and the selected bidder by Applicant. The bidder is determined by lowest, responsible and qualified must meet the criteria in the SBI ordinance regulation dated April 18, 2011.

13. PM will review the bids with the Applicant and obtain written a signed Applicant Consent Form from Applicant to use selected bidder.

14. PM will prepare the Loan Summary Sheet and Ballot and provide via e-mail to each Loan Advisory Committee member. The Loan Underwriting Committee Guidelines are to be strictly followed as to the operating of the Committee. If approved move to Step 15. If denied, a letter via regular mail to Applicant with explanation of denial denoting Appeal process.

15. Upon review of the specifications, the application and the income the PM will present a Note and Deed Info Form to the Deputy Director of Housing Preservation and Development for approval.

16. PM send legal Assignment Request form with all the pertinent documentation on the Legal Closing Checklist to corporation counsel to finalize the mortgage, note and agreement.

17. PM to set up appointment with Applicant upon closing to discuss construction schedule, scope of work, and payment schedule. Now a contract between Applicant and bidder should be defined and executed (contract must include Arbitration Language).

18. Contractor submits invoice for materials as first draw up to 30% of contract amount.

19. PM will order third party inspection for the second draw (50% completion) prior to any draw being submitted for payment. The PM will obtain a lien waiver for the Initial Draw prior to releasing check to Contractor. All draw checks need to executed by the Applicant and the Contractor.

19. PM will be required to make site visits to the property daily and to submit a written Memo to file of their findings.

20. PM will order third party Final inspection (100%) and attend the Final inspection. Any deficiencies noted shall be addressed by the Contractor prior to final payment release.

23. Contractor to provide PM Final Lien Waiver at time of final check release.

24. Close-out documentation such as Lead clearance tests, lien waivers, warranty information, building official, Health Department, and/or Fire Marshall approvals will be obtained prior to final payment release.

25. PM to update LCI Project Database daily and close out the project at time of completion.

Rehab Loan Procedure Revised: April 11, 2011 Rev Dec 2013 (to include reference 24 CFR 85.36); Underwriting Revised: August 2018 CPD 18-09; Revised Rehab to specify EERAP and Elderly Jan 2020

CASTLE UNDERWRITING PROCEDURES

The following will be the procedures required to be performed to ensure compliance with the Policy:

1. State DOH data share spreadsheet.
2. **INITIAL CONTACT WITH TENANT AND LANDLORD**
 - PHONE OR EMAIL – explain program and its requirements
 - Ask income questions/back rent/landlord aware
 - Pre-Covid Back Rent?
 - Covid Related Rent issues and proof?
2. If Pre-Covid Rent, Landlord and Tenant must work out an agreement per guidelines to enter program.
3. **SEND APPLICATION WITH CHECKLIST TO TENANT / LANDLORD** via mail or email or pickup
4. **TENANT/LANDLORD SETS APPT WITH PM**
 - **REVIEW** Application and all documents on checklist with Tenant. The PM will review the Application in its entirety to verify that all the application and accompanying documentation as required by Checklist is present and complete. Depending on the missing documentation will dictate the next steps.
 - **IF PRE-COVID** rent is due; Agreement must be in file.
5. **PM logs enters into Program Database tracking sheet.**
6. **PM** will review the income documentation provided in application and process the Income Ratio Form and Income Worksheet which will require the PM's signature. If income eligible move to Step 4. 24 CFR 5.609 "Annual Income"
7. PM will review the Tenant Lease vs Invoice/Rent Statement for rent owed and dates. Prepare the Rental Calculation Worksheet to determine assistance.
8. PM will initiate any and all required Requests and inspections as directed by funding. PM will order Housing Code Inspection, License Inspection
- 9.. PM will prepare the CASTLE Summary Sheet provide via e-mail to Project Manager for review of completeness and accuracy. The file is then provided to Deputy of Administrative Services to review for compliance and eligibility. If approved move to Step 11. If denied, a letter via regular mail to Applicant with explanation of denial with referral.
11. PM request CAPO with Info Sheet to Finance and Vender Set up Form.
12. PM receipt of CAPO will prepare and forward Information Sheet, Legal Checklist along with all required documents to Corporation Counsel for Assistance Agreement be prepared
13. PM receives Assistance Check and provides to Counsel for the execution of Agreement with Tenant and Landlord.
14. Counsel provides PM copy of fully executed Agreement of file.
15. Close Out demographic documentation, file organization and database.
16. Monitoring – Outreach annual



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Down Payment/Closing Cost Assistance Loan Program

What is it?

Financial assistance for first-time homebuyers for down payment and closing costs. The amount of assistance provided to any low-income family cannot exceed the greatest of six percent (6%) of the purchase price of a single family (1-4) housing unit or \$10,000**. The City will provide a **zero (0%) interest forgivable loan** that is forgiven at the rate of 20% per year, as of each anniversary of the loan's execution date. At the end of the five-year loan period the loan is fully forgiven. The applicant may sell or transfer the property at any time during the monitoring time period; provided the balance of the loan is repaid to the City of New Haven or the property is sold /transferred to an individual who is willing to assume the balance and the terms and conditions of the loan. The deferred loan can be used for: down payment, closing cost or the combination of both down payment and closing cost.

**** If the homebuyer is:** Municipal Employee for the City of New Haven, Teachers, Firefighter, Military or Police Officer or a buyer of a City of New Haven owner/developed property the homebuyer shall be provided an additional \$2,500 toward down-payment assistance.

What property qualifies?

The 1-4 four family property being purchased must be in New Haven, and must comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, and serve as the buyer's primary residence. Investment properties are not eligible. Home Inspection is required within the sales contract required time frame. Property must meet HOME affordable homeownership limits for the area provided by HUD, determine 95 percent of the median area price. **Property has equity to secure the loan with no more than 100% debt to value ratio.**

Who can qualify for a loan?

The buyer's household income¹ must not exceed 120% of median family income for the New Haven/Meriden MSA, as adjusted for family size. The buyer must also be current on real and property taxes and must have already attained first mortgage financing commitment for the purchase of the home. In addition, the buyer must contribute a minimum of 2% of the purchase price of the property from his/her own or other non-City resources (Gifts/grants/loan programs). House expenses cannot exceed 30% of the buyers total household income (mortgage, taxes and insurance) to remain affordable per the HUD definition.

What restrictions come with loan allocation?

The owner must occupy the home for the full term of the loan as his/her primary residence. First-time homebuyers must successfully complete a homebuyer-training seminar approved by the City.

Depending on the funding source it could be Home regulations as stated in 24 CFR 92, CDBG as stated in 24 CFR 570.202 and/or Flex State Funding CGS Chapter 127C Section 8-37 pp. With Home and Flex funding affordability period shall apply depending on the amount and funding source of the loan. Funding is limited and when the source is expended a wait list will be generated. City of New Haven Staff will determine the applicable funding source. **ratio**

Where can I get more information about the Down Payment/Closing Cost Assistance loan program? Deborah Golia, Program Manager at (203) 946-8389 and/or renewhavenct.com



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EMERGENCY ELDERLY/DISABLED REPAIR PROGRAM

What is it?

Provides a 0% interest loan of up to \$15,000 to elderly and/or disabled homeowners. The loan is forgiven at the rate of 20% per year over 5 years. The homeowner's household income may not exceed 80% of the area's median family income, adjusted for family size. The loan can only be used for EMERGENCY improvements such as: roof replacement, electrical repairs, plumbing repairs and furnace/heating issues. The sources of loan funds are federal.

What property qualifies?

The 1-4 four family properties deemed to contain an emergency health and/or safety issue for occupant and must be in New Haven, and must comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, and serve as the applicant's primary residence. Investment properties are not eligible.

Who can qualify for a loan?

- Elderly and/or Disabled (as defined by HUD) Owner occupant of property located in the City of New Haven
- **Owner must have homeowners insurance**
- Household income* must not exceed 80% of median family income for the New Haven/Meriden MSA, as adjusted for family size.
- Homeowner must occupy the premises.

What restrictions come with loan allocation?

The owner must occupy the home for the full term of the loan as his/her primary residence.

Where can I get more information about the loan program?

City of New Haven, Livable City Initiative, 165 Church Street, 3rd Floor, New Haven, (203) 946-7090 or www.cityofnewhaven.org.

Terms and conditions of loans are subject to change without notice:

A. Requirements of the property:

1. Size: Property can have one, two, three, or four units (unit being assisted must be occupied by elderly and/or disabled property owner).
2. Property must comply with Federal, State and Local laws, including, but not limited to, building, housing and health codes and, in particular, laws regarding the abatement of lead-based paint, and asbestos, and other hazardous materials.
3. Property must be in the City of New Haven.
4. Property must meet HOME affordable homeownership limits for the area provided by HUD, determine 95 percent of the median area price.

B. Requirements of the borrower:

1. Occupancy: Property will serve as primary residence.
 2. Taxes: must be current on real and personal property taxes. A delinquent tax payment plan is
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- not acceptable, full payment of taxes owed is required.
3. Household income: must not exceed 80% percent of median family income for the New Haven/Meriden MSA, and adjusted for family size. See most recent HUD adjusted income limits, attached.
 4. **Owner must be elderly and/or disabled as defined by HUD.**

C. Restrictions on loan amount and terms of repayment:

1. Interest on the loan 0%. The loan is forgiven at the rate of 20% per year of ownership, vesting as of each anniversary of the loan's execution date. The balance of the loan (original loan less amount forgiven) must be paid from the proceeds of any sale or refinancing that occurs within 5 years of the loan's execution date.
2. The actual loan amount provided will be limited to the City of New Haven's determination of what amount the applicant needs to repair the property.

For additional information, please contact City of New Haven, Livable City Initiative, (203) 946-7090



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ENERGY EFFICIENCY REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (EERAP)

What is it?

Financial assistance for costs related to housing energy efficiency and rehabilitation for the purpose of providing safe, decent and energy efficient living conditions.

What property qualifies?

The 1-4 four-unit property solely for residential use and is located in the City of New Haven.

Who can qualify and apply for a loan?

- Owner of property located in the City of New Haven
- **Owner must have homeowners insurance**
- Household income* must not exceed 120% of median family income for the New Haven/Meriden MSA, as adjusted for family size.
- **Owner has equity to secure the Assistance Loan.**
- All Applications will be considered, however, funding priority will be provided to those properties located in a geographically leveraged area (i.e. private and public investment and/or multiple applications from same street to provide impact)
- Homeowner must occupy the premises.

What restrictions come with loan allocation?

Depending on the funding source it could be Home regulations as stated in 24 CFR 92 and/or CDBG as stated in 24 CFR 570.202. With Home funding affordability period shall apply depending on the amount of the loan. LEAD funding maybe leveraged with the HOME eerap funds depending on the needs of the property. Funding is limited, however, the City of New Haven is seeking additional funding. City of New Haven staff will determine applicable funding source.

What are Eligible Activities?

- Existing Housing Code Violations
- Roof
- Sealing cracks with weather-strip and caulk.
- Insulating attics and walls.
- Repairing windows and doors.
- Replacing windows (if deemed non functioning or broken).
- Repair furnace, Retrofit furnace and In some cases, replacement of the furnace.
- Façade (vinyl siding, porch repair, stoop repair, stoop/porch stair repair, wrought iron/wood railings, front door or storm door, shutters, awnings over front steps (closely related façade improvements as decide by LCI program staff).
- Preventive maintenance
- Other improvements deemed to enhance the health and safety of the structure (as determined by LCI program staff).

What are Ineligible Activities?

- Luxury Items (pools, skylights, sheds, carports, gazebos, barns, fencing, landscaping and etc.)
- Cosmetic Improvements (cabinets, counter tops, paint as it relates to change in color, wallpaper and ceramic tile or other ineligible uses determined by LCI program staff.)
- Any other improvements that the City of New Haven deems ineligible.

What are the terms of the loan?

Up to Maximum Allowance of \$30,000.00 deferred loan with a term of 10 years if in the first 5 years the property is sold, transferred or refinanced 100% of the allowance is due and payable. On the 6th anniversary date of the loan and each anniversary thereafter 20% of the allowance will be forgiven until the term expiration, however, if the Owner sells, transfers title or refinances the balance at that time of the allowance is due and payable.

Where can I get more information about the Energy Efficiency and Rehabilitation Assistance Program?

Livable City Initiative, 165 Church Street, New Haven, CT 06510 (203) 946-7090 or www.cityofnewhaven.com

General Information

A. Requirements of the property:

1. Size: Property may have one, two, three, or four units.
2. Property must comply with Federal, State and Local laws, including, but not limited to, building, housing and health codes and, in particular, laws regarding the abatement of lead-based paint, and asbestos, and other hazardous materials.
3. Lead Abatement Standards
4. Housing Quality Standards
5. Property must be in the City of New Haven.
6. Property must be in compliance with the Residential License Program, if applicable.
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B. Requirements of the Owner of the property:

1. Taxes: Buyer must be current on real and personal property taxes. A delinquent tax payment plan is not acceptable, full payment of taxes owed is required.
2. Owner must be income eligible depending on available funding sources per HUD adjusted income limits for that year.
3. Current on Mortgage, RWA and WPCA
4. Homeowners Insurance

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Coronavirus Assistance and Security Tenant Landlord Emergency Program (CASTLE)

The City of New Haven Coronavirus Assistance and Security Tenant Landlord Emergency Program (“**CASTLE**”), will assist tenants and homeowners in New Haven who have experienced income loss due to Covid-19 and are experiencing housing insecurity.

CASTLE can assist as a standalone program or in conjunction with any of the State of Connecticut’s housing assistance programs, enabling tenant’s and homeowners to maximize their assistance. The program will assist in mitigating the risk of eviction and/or foreclosure and create housing stability.

Eligibility Requirements

For Tenants/Homeowners:

- A resident of New Haven.
- Income does not exceed 80% of Area Median Income (AMI).
- Verified income disruption due to Covid-19.
- Property is primary residence of tenant.
- Property is Homeowner occupied and primary residence
- Tenant not under court ordered eviction prior to March 11, 2020

For Landlords:

- Property is not delinquent on taxes or is on a payment plan and is part of the residential rental licensing program if required to enroll.
- Not receiving any other State or Federal subsidy towards mortgage assistance.

Assistance Terms

Pre-COVID Back Rent/Mortgage: Rent/Mortgage payments owed before March 2020 is considered *Pre-COVID back rent/mortgage*.

- **Pre-COVID Back Rent** must be **completely written off by the landlord and cannot be collected or used as a cause for eviction.**
- **COVID Back Rent:** Rent owed after March 2020.
 - CASTLE will fund up to \$3,000 of Covid Back Rent
 - Landlord will write off the balance of any Covid Back Rent after Castle payment
 - Landlords will waive all late fees and interest payments.
 - Landlords will deem tenant current in rent, and the rent records will show a zero balance on all Pre-Covid Back Rent and Covid Back Rent.
 - Landlord will agree NOT to commence eviction proceeding for Pre-COVID/COVID rent.
- **Pre-COVID/COVID Mortgage Payments** homeowner must be working with Lender and HUD Certified Counselor
 - **COVID Mortgage** for homeowner with mortgage payments owed after March 2020
 - HUD Certified Housing Counselor required to assist with mitigation with lender
 - CASTLE will fund up to \$4,000 of COVID Mortgage to assist with mortgage modification or forbearance



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WHEREAS, HUD requires the submission of a planning document incorporating housing and non-housing community development strategies in a consolidated plan to be prepared in accordance with the process prescribed in 24CFR Part 91; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has submitted to the Board of Alders the proposed Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, year two of the BOA approved Five-Year Consolidated Plan covering Program Years 2020 through 2024, which includes a description of the community participation process, a needs analysis, objectives and priorities for the five year strategy period; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-383), as amended, (P.L. 93-383); the Cranston Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, as amended (P.L. 101-625); The McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act of 2000, as amended(P.L. 106-400); the Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing (HEARTH) Act of 2009; and the Aids Housing Opportunity Act (AHOA); and as further amended and authorized by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (PL 102-550, approved October 28,

1992); hereafter referred to as "Housing and Community Development Programs" the Department of Housing and Urban Development is authorized to provide financial assistance to cities for undertaking and carrying out community development activities on an annual basis; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of an Act concerning Community Development, Public Act No. 75-443, Connecticut Municipalities are authorized to undertake community development programs in accordance with the provisions of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and Public Act No. 75-443; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the federal regulations requiring Consolidated Submission for Community Planning and Development Programs (24 CFR 91), the Mayor has requested the preparation and has submitted to this Board the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds for submission to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for the purpose of obtaining financial assistance to undertake and carry out community development activities; and

WHEREAS, the said Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds contains activities to be funded by program income and/or reprogrammed funds from prior years' Community Development Block Grant activities; and

WHEREAS, prior to submission to HUD of such proposed Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds, the Mayor and other public officials have heard citizen views on housing and community development needs; and

WHEREAS, there also has been presented to the Board, a Citizen Participation Plan; a description of consultation and outreach efforts; and information and data regarding the activities the City will undertake and carry out during the coming year with the financial assistance received from the Department of Housing and Urban Development under its Housing and Community Development Programs; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor, as part of the submission of the Annual Consolidated Action Plan and Five Year Plan, must sign specific certifications and that such certifications include a statement regarding Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing and an Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice; and

WHEREAS, the City prepared its initial Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice in 1996 and is preparing a new update in 2021 to reflect activities undertaken to further fair housing and to reflect new data compiled as part of the development of the Five Year Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development 2020 to 2024; and

WHEREAS, the 2020-2024 Five Year Consolidated Plan and 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds has been on file at the office of the City/Town Clerk, 200 Orange Street, for at least thirty days for the purpose of public inspection; and copies of the Five Year Consolidated Plan and Annual Consolidated Action Plan Statement of Activities and Use of Funds have been made available to the public; and

WHEREAS, in April May and June of 2021, this Board acting through the Joint Committee on Community Development and Health and Human Services will hold public hearings pursuant to notices published in accordance with Public Act No. 75-443 at which times the views of the public with respect to the needs, strategies, objectives and community development activities proposed in the Five Year Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan Statement of Activities and Use of Funds were communicated to this Board; and

WHEREAS, this Board has received written comments on the Annual Funds from the New Haven City Plan Commission, the New Haven Housing Authority, the LCI Loan Advisory Committee, the New Haven Development Commission or, has allowed such agencies thirty (30) days to review such plans; and

WHEREAS, this Board has also received or has provided the opportunity for written communications from various City officials and members of the general public regarding Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Board take appropriate official action respecting the City's Five Year Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds which forms part of the application to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for financial assistance under its Housing and Community Development Programs; and

WHEREAS, the City could be notified by HUD that the dollar amount of the City's entitlements may be reduced or increased by Congress after the budget process has already commenced. This will require the City to make adjustments to its Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds. Such funding adjustments shall require proportional

percentage reductions or increases to each activity and program affected by the adjusted HUD funding appropriations. Appropriation increases shall not exceed the original funding request of the individual activity.

WHEREAS, this Board is cognizant of the conditions imposed upon the Mayor and the City with respect to undertaking and carrying out community development activities under the provisions of the Housing and Community Development Program regulations and Public Act No. 75-443; and

WHEREAS, due to possible delays by the federal government regarding grant funding applications, retroactive agreements may be required in order to cover services for the entire current grant year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED by the Board of Alders of the City of New Haven as follows:

1. It is hereby found and determined that:

- (a) The 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds has been developed so as to give maximum feasible priority to activities which will benefit low or moderate income families and persons, aid in the prevention or elimination of slum or blight, or that the activities contemplated in the plan in whole or in part are designed to meet other community development needs having a particular urgency which cannot otherwise be met.
- (b) There has been (i) adequate information provided to citizens concerning the amount of funds available for activities proposed under the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan and the range of activities which may be undertaken and other important program requirements, (ii) adequate opportunity for citizens to participate in the development of the plan, and (iii) adequate public hearings held by this Board to obtain the views of citizens on community development and housing needs.
- (c) The 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan Program will be conducted and administered in compliance with the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and 1968, P.L. 88-52 and P.L. 90-284, as from time to time amended, the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988, P.L. 100-430, section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and Sections 31-26, 33-34, 53-35, 53-35a of the General Statutes.
- (d) The Mayor has consented to make the certifications required under subsection (b) of Section 104 of said Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, Section 106 of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act; Subtitle D of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act; Section 415 of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act of 2000; and Section 854 of the AIDS Housing Opportunity Act.
- (e) In implementing the 2021-2022 Annual Plan Program the City shall comply with the provisions of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, P.L. 91-646, as from time to time amended.
- (f) All laborers and mechanics employed by the contractor or subcontractor on construction or rehabilitation work, except as provided under Section 110 of said Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and Part III of Chapter 557 and Part I of Chapter 558 of the general statutes, shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on similar construction within the locality, as determined by the United States Secretary of Labor under the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act, as from time to time amended; 40 U.S.C., Sections 276a to 276a-5, inclusive, or by the labor commissioner under Section 31-53 of the federal statutes, and all such persons shall receive overtime compensation in accordance with the provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, 40 U.S.C., Section 327 to 332, inclusive and Section 31-60 of the general statutes, or where no such federal financial assistance is to be provided, then compliance with Part III of Chapter 557 and Part I of Chapter 558 of the general statutes shall be required.
- (g) In implementing the 2021-2022 Annual Plan Program the City shall comply with Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 and the implementing regulations at 24 CFR Part 135. Section 3, as amended, requires that economic opportunities generated by certain HUD financial assistance for housing and community development programs shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low and very low income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing, and to businesses that provide economic opportunities to low and very low income persons.
- (h) In implementing the 2021-2022 Annual Plan Program the City shall comply with notification, inspection, testing and abatement procedures concerning lead-based paint as required by 24 CFR 570.608.
- (i) In implementing the 2021-2022 Annual Plan Program the City shall comply with provisions of Executive Order 12372, Intergovernmental Review of Federal Programs.

2. That the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan has had an opportunity for citizen comment as outlined in the City's Citizen Participation Plan.

3. That the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan complies with the requirements of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and other applicable provisions of the law and regulations, subject to the securing of further local approvals which may be required.

4. That the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds as approved by this Board, complies with the requirements of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, (PL 93-383); the Cranston Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 as amended (P.L. 101-25); the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act of 2000 as amended (P.L. 106-400); the Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing (HEARTH) Act of 2009; and the Aids Housing Opportunity Act (AHOA); and as further amended and authorized by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (PL 102-550); Public Act No. 75-443 and other applicable provisions of the law and regulations subject to the securing of further local approvals, such as urban renewal plan amendments, which may be required.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds having been incorporated in this Order by reference, is hereby approved and the Mayor is authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to undertake and carry out the community development activities described in said plan; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Mayor is authorized and directed to take whatever steps necessary to secure the approval of the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds and the City's application for financial assistance to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development and make such other applications as are necessary to secure community development funds required by this City, including advances, discretionary and transition funds as authorized under the Housing and Community Development Programs.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Mayor is authorized to enter into contractual agreements and/or amendments irrespective of fiscal year expenditure restrictions and other ordinance restrictions in order to insure performance of approved community development activities; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that the Mayor has express approval to enter into an agreement with a start date that relates back to the commencement of the current grant year regardless of when approval is obtained is hereby approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Mayor is authorized and directed to certify or give assurances, on behalf of the City, to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development as to the matters determined and found by this Board; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that in the event financial assistance is made available by the State of Connecticut under the provisions of Public Act No. 74-443 or related legislation to support the community development activities contemplated under the 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan, Statement of Activities and Use of Funds approved by this Board, that the Mayor is authorized to take whatever steps as are necessary to secure such financial assistance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that CDBG public service contracts which have not been executed by December 1, 2021 will be reprogrammed into program year 2021-2022 public service activities. These reprogramming funds will be allocated only to organizations that submitted applications for CDBG public service funding in 2021-2022. The reprogramming allocations will be recommended by the Mayor and approved by the Board of Alders.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to the Consolidated Plan application requirements, prior to the authorization for and/or release of funding, all agencies and organizations receiving Consolidated Plan funds through the City must be current on all municipal taxes; provide proof of fiscal accountability including the filing of all federal tax forms 990 or 990EZ and the completion of the annual audits as required; and clear of all significant audit findings. These requirements must be met no later than the start of the program year, July 1. If an agency is unable to fulfill these requirements, funding shall be reprogrammed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for projects requiring longer than a 12-month implementation period, any balances remaining at the end of the program year for such specific activities in the prior program year shall be combined with the current program year activity when the project is deemed viable by the City and is being funded for the same purpose in the current year.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that The Small Business Service Center and the Small Contractors' Development Program will provide the Joint Community Development and Human Services Committee with quarterly reports containing the following information:

- * Type of business services provided.
- * Number of businesses served and the name of the businesses.
- * Number of businesses created and the name of the businesses.
- * Number of jobs retained, the need for retention and the reason for the potential reduction, title of the position(s) and income levels of the position(s).
- * Number of jobs created and the skill level, income level and whether training will be provided by the business.
- * Total number of positions created and retained for New Haven residents.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all CDBG Consolidated Plan Projects that have not expended any funding and have remained idle for a period of 13 months from the effective date of the award will be subject to reprogramming

CERTIFICATIONS

In accordance with the applicable statutes and the regulations governing the consolidated plan regulations, the jurisdiction certifies that:

Affirmatively Further Fair Housing --The jurisdiction will affirmatively further fair housing.

Uniform Relocation Act and Anti-displacement and Relocation Plan -- It will comply with the acquisition and relocation requirements of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended, (42 U.S.C. 4601-4655) and implementing regulations at 49 CFR Part 24. It has in effect and is following a residential anti-displacement and relocation assistance plan required under 24 CFR Part 42 in connection with any activity assisted with funding under the Community Development Block Grant or HOME programs.

Anti-Lobbying --To the best of the jurisdiction's knowledge and belief:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of it, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement;
2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, it will complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions; and
3. It will require that the language of paragraph 1 and 2 of this anti-lobbying certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Authority of Jurisdiction --The consolidated plan is authorized under State and local law (as applicable) and the jurisdiction possesses the legal authority to carry out the programs for which it is seeking funding, in accordance with applicable HUD regulations.

Consistency with plan --The housing activities to be undertaken with Community Development Block Grant, HOME, Emergency Solutions Grant, and Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS funds are consistent with the strategic plan in the jurisdiction's consolidated plan.

Section 3 -- It will comply with section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u) and implementing regulations at 24 CFR Part 75.



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Specific Community Development Block Grant Certifications

The Entitlement Community certifies that:

Citizen Participation -- It is in full compliance and following a detailed citizen participation plan that satisfies the requirements of 24 CFR 91.105.

Community Development Plan -- Its consolidated plan identifies community development and housing needs and specifies both short-term and long-term community development objectives that have been developed in accordance with the primary objective of the CDBG program (i.e., the development of viable urban communities, by providing decent housing and expanding economic opportunities, primarily for persons of low and moderate income) and requirements of 24 CFR Parts 91 and 570.

Following a Plan -- It is following a current consolidated plan that has been approved by HUD.

Use of Funds -- It has complied with the following criteria:

1. Maximum Feasible Priority. With respect to activities expected to be assisted with CDBG funds, it has developed its Action Plan so as to give maximum feasible priority to activities which benefit low- and moderate-income families or aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight. The Action Plan may also include CDBG-assisted activities which the grantee certifies are designed to meet other community development needs having particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community, and other financial resources are not available (see Optional CDBG Certification).

2. Overall Benefit. The aggregate use of CDBG funds, including Section 108 guaranteed loans, during program year(s) 2022, 2023, 2024 [a period specified by the grantee of one, two, or three specific consecutive program years], shall principally benefit persons of low and moderate income in a manner that ensures that at least 70 percent of the amount is expended for activities that benefit such persons during the designated period.

3. Special Assessments. It will not attempt to recover any capital costs of public improvements assisted with CDBG funds, including Section 108 loan guaranteed funds, by assessing any amount against properties owned and occupied by persons of low and moderate income, including any fee charged or assessment made as a condition of obtaining access to such public improvements.

However, if CDBG funds are used to pay the proportion of a fee or assessment that relates to the capital costs of public improvements (assisted in part with CDBG funds) financed from other revenue sources, an assessment or charge may be made against the property with respect to the public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds.

In addition, in the case of properties owned and occupied by moderate-income (not low-income) families, an assessment or charge may be made against the property for public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds if the jurisdiction certifies that it lacks CDBG funds to cover the assessment.

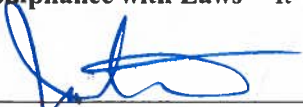
Excessive Force -- It has adopted and is enforcing:

1. A policy prohibiting the use of excessive force by law enforcement agencies within its jurisdiction against any individuals engaged in non-violent civil rights demonstrations; and
2. A policy of enforcing applicable State and local laws against physically barring entrance to or exit from a facility or location which is the subject of such non-violent civil rights demonstrations within its jurisdiction.

Compliance with Anti-discrimination laws -- The grant will be conducted and administered in conformity with title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d) and the Fair Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 3601-3619) and implementing regulations.

Lead-Based Paint -- Its activities concerning lead-based paint will comply with the requirements of 24 CFR Part 35, Subparts A, B, J, K and R.

Compliance with Laws -- It will comply with applicable laws.



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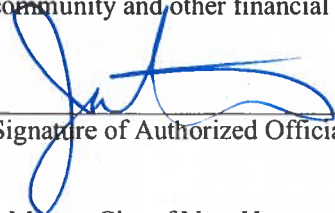
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OPTIONAL Community Development Block Grant Certification

Submit the following certification only when one or more of the activities in the action plan are designed to meet other community development needs having particular urgency as specified in 24 CFR 570.208(c):

The grantee hereby certifies that the Annual Plan includes one or more specifically identified CDBG-assisted activities which are designed to meet other community development needs having particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community and other financial resources are not available to meet such needs.



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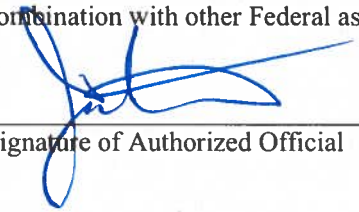
Specific HOME Certifications

The HOME participating jurisdiction certifies that:

Tenant Based Rental Assistance -- If it plans to provide tenant-based rental assistance, the tenant-based rental assistance is an essential element of its consolidated plan.

Eligible Activities and Costs -- It is using and will use HOME funds for eligible activities and costs, as described in 24 CFR §§92.205 through 92.209 and that it is not using and will not use HOME funds for prohibited activities, as described in §92.214.

Subsidy layering -- Before committing any funds to a project, it will evaluate the project in accordance with the guidelines that it adopts for this purpose and will not invest any more HOME funds in combination with other Federal assistance than is necessary to provide affordable housing;



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Emergency Solutions Grants Certifications

The Emergency Solutions Grants Program recipient certifies that:

Major rehabilitation/conversion/renovation – If an emergency shelter's rehabilitation costs exceed 75 percent of the value of the building before rehabilitation, the recipient will maintain the building as a shelter for homeless individuals and families for a minimum of 10 years after the date the building is first occupied by a homeless individual or family after the completed rehabilitation.

If the cost to convert a building into an emergency shelter exceeds 75 percent of the value of the building after conversion, the recipient will maintain the building as a shelter for homeless individuals and families for a minimum of 10 years after the date the building is first occupied by a homeless individual or family after the completed conversion.

In all other cases where ESG funds are used for renovation, the recipient will maintain the building as a shelter for homeless individuals and families for a minimum of 3 years after the date the building is first occupied by a homeless individual or family after the completed renovation.

Essential Services and Operating Costs – In the case of assistance involving shelter operations or essential services related to street outreach or emergency shelter, the recipient will provide services or shelter to homeless individuals and families for the period during which the ESG assistance is provided, without regard to a particular site or structure, so long the recipient serves the same type of persons (e.g., families with children, unaccompanied youth, disabled individuals, or victims of domestic violence) or persons in the same geographic area.

Renovation – Any renovation carried out with ESG assistance shall be sufficient to ensure that the building involved is safe and sanitary.

Supportive Services – The recipient will assist homeless individuals in obtaining permanent housing, appropriate supportive services (including medical and mental health treatment, victim services, counseling, supervision, and other services essential for achieving independent living), and other Federal, State, local, and private assistance available for these individuals.

Matching Funds – The recipient will obtain matching amounts required under 24 CFR 576.201.

Confidentiality – The recipient has established and is implementing procedures to ensure the confidentiality of records pertaining to any individual provided family violence prevention or treatment services under any project assisted under the ESG program, including protection against the release of the address or location of any family violence shelter project, except with the written authorization of the person responsible for the operation of that shelter.

Homeless Persons Involvement – To the maximum extent practicable, the recipient will involve, through employment, volunteer services, or otherwise, homeless individuals and families in constructing, renovating, maintaining, and operating facilities assisted under the ESG program, in providing services assisted under the ESG program, and in providing services for occupants of facilities assisted under the program.

Consolidated Plan – All activities the recipient undertakes with assistance under ESG are consistent with its consolidated plan.

Discharge Policy – The recipient will establish and implement, to the maximum extent practicable and where appropriate, policies and protocols for the discharge of persons from publicly funded institutions or systems of care (such as health care facilities, mental health facilities, foster care or other youth facilities, or correction programs and institutions) in order to prevent this discharge from immediately resulting in homelessness for these persons.



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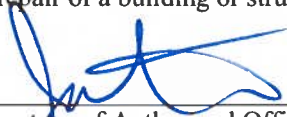
Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS Certifications

The HOPWA grantee certifies that:

Activities -- Activities funded under the program will meet urgent needs that are not being met by available public and private sources.

Building -- Any building or structure assisted under that program shall be operated for the purpose specified in the consolidated plan:

1. For a period of not less than 10 years in the case of assistance involving new construction, substantial rehabilitation, or acquisition of a facility,
2. For a period of not less than 3 years in the case of assistance involving non-substantial rehabilitation or repair of a building or structure.



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APPENDIX TO CERTIFICATIONS

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING LOBBYING CERTIFICATION:

Lobbying Certification

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Application for Federal Assistance SF-424

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8. APPLICANT INFORMATION:

* a. Legal Name: <input type="text" value="City of New Haven"/>	
* b. Employer/Taxpayer Identification Number (EIN/TIN): <input type="text" value="06-6001876"/>	* c. UEI: <input type="text" value="K8WBCLJ9DVD8"/>

d. Address:

* Street1:	<input type="text" value="165 Church Street"/>
Street2:	<input type="text"/>
* City:	<input type="text" value="New Haven"/>
County/Parish:	<input type="text"/>
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Province:	<input type="text"/>
* Country:	<input type="text" value="USA: UNITED STATES"/>
* Zip / Postal Code:	<input type="text" value="06510-2010"/>

e. Organizational Unit:

Department Name: <input type="text"/>	Division Name: <input type="text"/>
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f. Name and contact information of person to be contacted on matters involving this application:

Prefix: <input type="text" value="Mr"/>	* First Name: <input type="text" value="Michael"/>
Middle Name: <input type="text"/>	
* Last Name: <input type="text" value="Piscitelli"/>	
Suffix: <input type="text"/>	
Title: <input type="text" value="Economic Development Administrator"/>	

Organizational Affiliation: <input type="text"/>
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* Telephone Number: <input type="text" value="203-946-2366"/>	Fax Number: <input type="text" value="203-946-2391"/>
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* Email: <input type="text" value="mpiscitelli@newhavenct.gov"/>

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*** 9. Type of Applicant 1: Select Applicant Type:**

C: City or Township Government

Type of Applicant 2: Select Applicant Type:

Type of Applicant 3: Select Applicant Type:

* Other (specify):

*** 10. Name of Federal Agency:**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

11. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number:

14.218

CFDA Title:

Community Development Block Grant

*** 12. Funding Opportunity Number:**

* Title:

13. Competition Identification Number:

Title:

14. Areas Affected by Project (Cities, Counties, States, etc.):

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*** 15. Descriptive Title of Applicant's Project:**

CDBG Program Year 2022 Acquisition, Disposition, Public Improvements, Public Services, Code Enforcement, Rehabilitation, Economic Development, Special Activity by CDC's, Planning & Administration.

Attach supporting documents as specified in agency instructions.

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16. Congressional Districts Of:

* a. Applicant

* b. Program/Project

Attach an additional list of Program/Project Congressional Districts if needed.

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17. Proposed Project:

* a. Start Date:

* b. End Date:

18. Estimated Funding (\$):

* a. Federal	<input type="text" value="3,624,400.00"/>
* b. Applicant	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
* c. State	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
* d. Local	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
* e. Other	<input type="text" value="679,801.00"/>
* f. Program Income	<input type="text" value="50,000.00"/>
* g. TOTAL	<input type="text" value="4,354,201.00"/>

*** 19. Is Application Subject to Review By State Under Executive Order 12372 Process?**

a. This application was made available to the State under the Executive Order 12372 Process for review on

b. Program is subject to E.O. 12372 but has not been selected by the State for review.

c. Program is not covered by E.O. 12372.

*** 20. Is the Applicant Delinquent On Any Federal Debt? (If "Yes," provide explanation in attachment.)**

Yes No

If "Yes", provide explanation and attach

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21. *By signing this application, I certify (1) to the statements contained in the list of certifications and (2) that the statements herein are true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also provide the required assurances** and agree to comply with any resulting terms if I accept an award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil, or administrative penalties. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001)**

** I AGREE

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Authorized Representative:

Prefix: * First Name:

Middle Name:

* Last Name:

Suffix:

* Title:

* Telephone Number: Fax Number:

* Email:

* Signature of Authorized Representative: 

* Date Signed:

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f. Name and contact information of person to be contacted on matters involving this application:			
Prefix: Dr.		* First Name: Mehul	
Middle Name:		_____	
* Last Name: Dalal		_____	
Suffix:		_____	
Title: Community Services Administrator			
Organizational Affiliation: _____			
* Telephone Number: 203-946-7907		Fax Number: _____	
* Email: mdalal@newhavenct.gov			

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Program Year 2022 for additional shelter beds, improve the quality of existing shelter services, provide homeless prevention, rapid re-housing services, street outreach and program administration.

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e. Organizational Unit:		
Department Name:	Division Name:	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
f. Name and contact information of person to be contacted on matters involving this application:		
Prefix: Mr.	* First Name: Michael	
Middle Name:	<input type="text"/>	
* Last Name: Piscitelli	<input type="text"/>	
Suffix:	<input type="text"/>	
Title: Economic Development Administrator		
Organizational Affiliation:		
<input type="text"/>		
* Telephone Number: 203-946-2366	Fax Number: 203-946-2391	
* Email: mpiscitelli@newhavenct.gov		

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11. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number:

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CFDA Title:

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State Use Only:		
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* b. Employer/Taxpayer Identification Number (EIN/TIN): 06-6001876	* c. UEI: K8WBCLJ9DVD8	
d. Address:		
* Street1: 165 Church Street	_____	
Street2:	_____	
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Prefix: Dr.	* First Name: Mehul	_____
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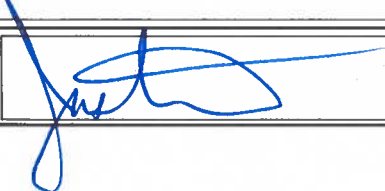
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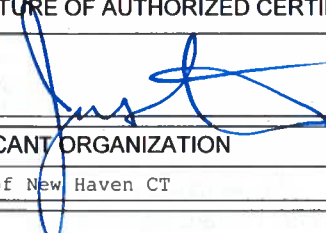
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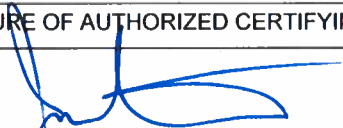
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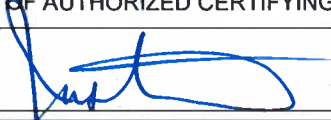
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As the duly authorized representative of the applicant, I certify that the applicant:

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