



**City of Casa Grande**  
**Notice of Public Hearings Regarding Use of**  
**Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Funds**



The City of Casa Grande is expected to receive approximately \$319,000 in FY16 federal CDBG funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). CDBG funds must be used to benefit low-income persons and areas, alleviate slum and blight or address urgent need. Two public hearings to gather input on the use of the CDBG funds will be held at the following locations:

**First Public Hearing:**

Date and Time: May 3, 2016, from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.  
Location: Len Colla Recreation Center at 1105 E. 4<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Casa Grande, AZ.

**Second Public Hearing:**

Date and Time: May 4, 2016, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Location: Seeds of Hope Community Center at Albert Cruz Park,  
1491 N. Crane St. Casa Grande, AZ.

The following are the priority needs identified in the 5-year Consolidated Plan as priority, along with the continuation of on-going projects within the Strategic Plan 2015:

- 1) Public Facilities and Improvements (street improvements, sidewalks of W 1<sup>st</sup> Street between Sacaton and Florence Streets);
- 2) Affordable Housing (e.g., owner-occupied housing rehabilitation with priority to elderly, disabled, family with children);
- 3) Community/Supportive Housing Facilities (e.g., parks, health clinics, libraries, senior or youth centers, homeless shelters, food banks);
- 4) Public Services (e.g., child care, health care, public safety services, services for seniors, services for homeless persons, purchasing a van to transport persons with disabilities, emergency assistance for families, equipment and rent to start a new job training program);
- 5) Economic Development (e.g., a loan to a business for job creation, micro-enterprise development, acquisition of land for an existing business expansion);
- 6) Neighborhood Revitalization and Redevelopment (e.g., historic preservation, commercial/industrial rehabilitation, acquisition, disposition, or demolition of real property);
- 7) Fire and Police Protection Facilities (e.g., fire and police station construction, fire trucks, firefighting equipment, improvements to fire/police facilities);
- 8) Planning and Capacity Building (e.g., comprehensive plans, community development plans, neighborhood revitalization strategy)
- 9) Fair Housing (e.g., complaint investigations, counseling, education, removal of barriers)

For more information about the hearing, grievances, or the CDBG program; or to receive assistance in formulating prospective project ideas for presentation at the hearing contact the following:

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