

Special City Council Meeting 5:00 p.m., Wednesday November 8, 2023 City Council Chambers 23600 Liberty Street Farmington, MI 48335

SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

- 1. ROLL CALL
- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 3. APPROVAL OF REGULAR AGENDA
- 4. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - A. Consideration to schedule a public hearing on November 27, 2023 for public comment on the proposed Program Year 2024 Community Development Block Grant application
- 5. OTHER BUSINESS
- 6. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 7. CITY COUNCIL COMMENTS
- 8. ADJOURNMENT

The City will follow its normal procedures for accommodation of persons with disabilities. Those individuals needing accommodations for effective participation in this meeting should contact the City Clerk (248) 474-5500, ext. 2218 at least two working days in advance of the meeting. An attempt will be made to make reasonable accommodations.

Farmington City Council Staff Report

Council Meeting

Date: November 8, 2023

Reference Number

4A

Submitted by: David Murphy, City Manager

<u>Description</u> Consideration to Schedule Program Year 2024 Community Development Block Grant Application Public Hearing

Requested Action Move to schedule a public hearing on November 27, 2023 for public comment on the proposed Program Year 2024 Community Development Block Grant application.

Background

The City's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding for 2024 is projected by Oakland County to be \$26,502. As part of the application process, the city must hold a public hearing. Our completed application, accompanied by a resolution of Council approval, must be submitted to Oakland County by December 1, 2023.

As Council knows, CDBG funding eligibility is restricted to projects or programs that meet specific objectives determined by the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Of these objectives, Farmington is limited to CDBG funding for projects where "the primary beneficiaries are low or moderate income people."

Council may recall from previous years' CDBG applications that senior programs/projects receive special eligibility consideration. The administration's preliminary recommendation, outlined below, proposes a CDBG program that is not administratively burdensome, and continues current city funding level for the senior center and senior services.

CDBG funds are federal funds administered by the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The administration's preliminary recommendation is that Council considers establishing the following development objectives: (1) senior center (\$22,527) and (2) public services, senior services (\$3,975).

Materials Attached

CDBG Public Notice PY2024

Agenda Review					
Department Head	Finance/Treasurer	City Attorney		City Manager	

CITY OF FARMINGTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Farmington will hold a public hearing on the use of Community Development Block Grant Funds. The Hearing will be held on Monday, November 27, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. EDT in the Council Chambers, Farmington City Hall, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan 48335 to hear public comments on the CDBG Program Year 2024 application in the approximate amount of \$26,502 to fund eligible projects. All interested citizens are requested to attend the Hearing. Comments will also be received in writing or in person at the City Clerk's Office, Farmington City Hall, until 4:30 p.m. on Monday, November 27, 2023. Arrangements to reasonably accommodate special needs, including handicap accessibility or interpreter, will be made upon receiving 72-hour notice. Contact David Murphy, City Manager, Farmington City Hall at 248-474-5500, x 5122 or by e-mail at DMurphy@farmgov.com for special services.

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