



Town of Coventry

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1ST PUBLIC HEARING AND 15 DAY COMMENT PERIOD NOTICE FOR THE PY '20/21 CDBG ROLLING APPLICATION/SET-ASIDE FUNDING

The Town of Coventry is considering the filing of applications for the Rhode Island Community Development Block Grant Program Year 2020/2021 Affordable Housing Rolling Application Funding. Statewide, approximately \$5,227,625 was made available, with limited funding left, to undertake a range of activities including:

- a) Provision of employment opportunities for low and moderate income persons.
- b) Provision of community infrastructure, facilities and services principally benefiting low and moderate income families and individuals.
- c) Rolling applications, funded with set-aside monies if available, for improved housing opportunities benefiting low and moderate income families and individuals.

A Public Hearing will be held on Thursday, June 01, 2023 at 3:30 p.m. in the conference room located at the Town of Coventry Department of Planning and Development, 1675 Flat River Road, Coventry, RI 02816 for the purpose of obtaining the views of citizens on community development and housing needs; on past program performance and on proposed applications for item c) listed above. At this time, anyone wishing to apply for Affordable Housing funding should be present at the meeting or contact the Program Coordinator in advance of the meeting. Please call Gail Hardink, CDBG Program Coordinator, between the hours of 8:30 and 4:30, Monday-Friday at 401-822-6246 with comments or to request more information.

The Public Hearing will also mark the ending of the 15-business day Comment Period.

The public is welcome to attend. Participation by low–moderate income persons; residents of predominately low-moderate income neighborhoods; minorities; non-English speaking persons; and persons with disabilities is encouraged. If communication assistance is needed or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation, please contact the Town Clerk at (401)822-9173 at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting. The meeting room is handicapped accessible.

Please note: A 2nd Public Hearing is proposed to be held on June 28, 2023 listing the activities in which funding will be requested within the Town of Coventry's PY'20/21 CDBG Affordable Housing Rolling Application. Proper notice and an additional comment period will be given at least 15 business days in advance of the meeting.