

CITY OF VICTORVILLE AND THE APPLE VALLEY/VICTORVILLE HOME CONSORTIUM

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR DRAFT SECOND YEAR ACTION PLAN FOR FY 2024-2025 AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held before the City Council of the City of Victorville at its meeting on Tuesday, May 7, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. (or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard) in City Council Chambers, Victorville City Hall, 14343 Civic Drive, Victorville, CA, to receive public comment on the Third Year Action Plan FY 24-25 and the proposed projects for the City's Community Planning and Development (CPD) grant program. The hearing is being conducted pursuant to Section 570.486 Subpart I of the Code of Federal Regulations and in compliance with the requirements of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended.

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) provides grant funding to the City of Victorville (the "City") under the Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") and to the Apple Valley/Victorville HOME Consortium (the "Consortium") under the Home Investment Partnership ("HOME") program. As such, the City and the Consortium are responsible to produce a multi-year planning document known as the Consolidated Plan (the "ConPlan") for the awarded funds under these grants. The ConPlan is a comprehensive analysis of market conditions, housing and community development needs, population demographics and a five-year strategy to address those needs. Additionally, the plan identifies homeless and special needs activities. The City is required to update the ConPlan through an annual Action Plan; FY 24-25 represents the third year of the ConPlan. For Fiscal Year 2024-2025 HUD has allocated \$1,381,396 in CDBG funds and \$605,850 in HOME funds. Prior year CDBG funding in the amount of \$450,000 is also available for reprogramming towards construction projects.

The plan has been available for a public review and 30-day comment period beginning April 1, 2024, through April 30, 2024. All interested citizens and agencies are invited to comment on the City's Annual Action Plan. Written comments may be submitted to the City prior to the public hearing and during the public comment period. Comments from the public hearing and those submitted to the City during the comment period will be addressed in the final version of the plan that will be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The full Annual Action Plan can be viewed on our website at:

https://www.victorvilleca.gov/government/city-departments/development/planning/housing-programs-425

Comments may be sent via email to planning@victorvilleca.gov.

Members of the public may submit comments electronically to cityclerk@victorvilleca.gov by 4 p.m. the day of the meeting to be distributed to City Council. Participants are invited to address the Council on agendized and non-agendized topics at the beginning of the meeting. Public comments will be no longer than three (3) minutes per community member. Should a speaker conclude their comments prior to the expiration of three (3) minutes, the speaker waives the right to speak for any remaining amount of time. For further information about how to address the Council, please refer to the City's website at victorvilleca.gov/government/agendas.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the City Clerk's office at (760) 955-5188 no later than 72 hours prior to the meeting.

In compliance with the City of Victorville's Citizen Participation Plan, a Spanish speaking staff member can be present to provide translation services. If you require translation services to participate in the May 7, 2024 City Council meeting, please contact the Planning Department at (760) 955-5135 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting to ensure that the City will be able to make reasonable accommodations.

Questions concerning this notice can be answered by contacting the Housing Division of the City of Victorville's Planning Department at (760) 243-6312 or by email at planning@victorvilleca.gov.

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