

**CITY OF LA VERNE  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT  
PROGRAM FOR THE 2020-2021 FISCAL YEAR**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of La Verne City Council shall hold a public hearing on Monday, April 6, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. in the council chambers of the La Verne City Hall, 3660 "D" Street, La Verne to consider the City's Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG) budget.

The City anticipates that the estimated funding for the 2020-2021 fiscal year is approximately \$151,628. These funds can be used for programs to help local communities revitalize their neighborhoods through public/social service programs, housing rehab, public improvements, and economic development. However, in order to use CDBG funds for any of these eligible activities, it must be shown that the activity will: 1) directly benefit low and or moderate income persons; 2) help to eliminate slum and blight conditions; or 3) address an urgent need.

Not more than 15 percent can be allocated for public services. The City of La Verne is currently using CDBG funds for the Senior Hot Lunch program and ADA Sidewalk repairs. The City proposes to continue funding the Senior Hot Lunch program in the amount of \$25,000 and fund a new ADA Sidewalk Repairs Project for the "Eighth Street to First Street, White Avenue to Wheeler Avenue and north of Foothill Boulevard to south of Baseline, Williams Avenue to Emerald Street and Wheeler Avenue to Williams Avenue and First Street to Baseline Road" in the amount of \$116,000, for fiscal year 2020-2021. The City is also exploring other useful programs including a Housing Rehabilitation Program, funded by the unallocated balance of the grant (about \$100,000), that could benefit its' income qualified residents. Another option is to place a portion of the unallocated balance into a revolving grant fund, to ensure that money will not be taken away and can be used the following year. These requests will be considered at the public hearing.

All interested parties are invited to attend the public hearing. Further information on the CDBG program may be obtained at the La Verne Community Development Department. If you have any questions contact the Community Development Department at 909-596-8706.

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Principal Planner/CDBG Administrator

<p><b>Posting Statement:</b> On March 5, 2020 a true and correct copy of this Notice was posted on the bulletin board at La Verne City Hall, 3660 D Street, La Verne, CA, at the La Verne County Library and posted on the City's website @cityoflaverne.org.</p>
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