

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING- 2021 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN

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The City of Columbus is initiating a public comment period and will hold two public hearings for the 2021 Action Plan and Budget. The 2021 Action Plan outlines goals and projects for U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development grants. Included are the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Home Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program, Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) Program. The City of Columbus is seeking input on how these funds should be utilized for the 2021 Action Plan and Budget.

A summary of the proposed 2021 Action Plan Budget will be available for public review and comment through November 25, 2020 on the City of Columbus Department of Finance and Management- Grants Management Division's webpage at <https://www.columbus.gov/finance/financial-management-group/Grants-Management/>.

**The Columbus City Council will hold the first virtual public hearing at 5 p.m. on Monday, October 26, 2020. The second public hearing will take place beginning at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, November 17, 2020 by video conference.**

Virtual meetings will be accessible at the following links: <https://www.youtube.com/user/cityofcolumbus>  
<https://www.facebook.com/ColumbusGov>

All parties wishing to speak during Council meeting via WebEx must submit an online speaker slip form available on the Council website at: [www.columbus.gov/council/information/Online-Speaker-Slip/](http://www.columbus.gov/council/information/Online-Speaker-Slip/) no later than 3:00 pm on the day of the Council meeting to request attendance at the meeting. The Clerk will provide the WebEx meeting information allowing those parties to attend the meeting electronically. Those submitting testimony must join the WebEx meeting no later than 5:00 pm on the day of the Council meeting.

Any individual, group, or agency wishing to provide input on the 2021 Action Plan and Budget may submit comments to the City of Columbus, Department of Finance and Management, Division of Grants Management, by email to [grantsmgmt@columbus.gov](mailto:grantsmgmt@columbus.gov). All comments received by November 25, 2020 will be considered by the City of Columbus prior to City Council adoption of the 2021 Action Plan and Budget. Written comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.