

Public Notice Update

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) recently allocated \$20,532,000 in additional Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery Program (CDBG-DR) funds to the City of Houston for the 2015 flood events. As a result, the City of Houston Housing and Community Development Department (HCDD) will update the Action Plan for Disaster Recovery – 2015 Flood Events (Plan). The updated Plan serves as an application for the **additional federal funds to be used to address flooding impacts from major disasters declared in 2015** and future flood resiliency. Major disasters due to severe storms, tornadoes, straight-line winds, and flooding were declared on May 29, 2015 and November 25, 2015.

Please join HCDD for a public meeting to present and receive comment on the updates to the Action Plan for Disaster Recovery – 2015 Flood Events (Plan). **The meeting will be held Tuesday, September 26, 2017 from 6 – 8 pm, at the Leonel Castillo Community Center, 2101 South Street, Houston 77009.** The venue is accessible for persons with disabilities. For additional information or to request special arrangements (interpreter, sign language, CART for the hearing impaired), contact Mary Itz at mary.itz@houstontx.gov or 832.394.6179.

The public may comment on the revised draft Action Plan for Disaster Recovery – 2015 Flood Events from September 29, 2017 to October 10, 2017. The Plan will be available to review at the following locations:

- Online at www.houstontx.gov/housing
- Main Public Library – 500 McKinney, 77002
- HCDD Office – 601 Sawyer, Suite 400, 77007
(copies may be obtained at this location)

Public comments may be submitted by email to: Mary Itz at Mary.Itz@houstontx.gov; or by mail to: HCDD ATTN: Mary Itz, 601 Sawyer Street, Suite 400, Houston, Texas 77007.

For specific questions or concerns about fair housing or landlord/tenant relations, please contact Royce Sells at 832.394.6240. For more information about HCDD and its programs, please access HCDD's website at www.houstontx.gov/housing.