

Public Notice

The City of Houston (City), through its Housing and Community Development Department (HCDD), is proposing a Substantial Amendment to the reallocate \$4,507,744.00 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds from Public Facilities and Improvements activities to Economic Development activities to assist with the request of East End Maker Hub, Section 108 loan obligations.

In accordance with HCDD's Citizen Participation Plan, the City is required to amend components of its Consolidated Plan/Annual Action Plan for a variety of reasons, including when changing the purpose, scope, location, or beneficiaries of an activity previously described in the Annual Action Plan.

| Community Development Block Grant | | |
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| Activity | Delete/Decrease | Add/Increase |
| The Program Year 2023 Budget is Amended as follows: | | |
| Public Facilities and Improvements | (\$4,507,744.00) | |
| Economic Development | | \$4,507,744.00 |
| Total CDBG Budget Changes: | (\$4,507,744.00) | \$4,507,744.00 |

The public has thirty (30) days to comment on this proposed amendment. The thirty-day period extends from Wednesday, January 10, 2024 through Friday, February 9, 2024. Upon completion of the 30-day public comment period, HCDD will take this amendment to City Council for approval.

For additional information on this amendment, contact Metchm Lohoues-Washington at (832) 394-6180. Written comments can be submitted by email to Anne.Lohoues-Washington@houstontx.gov.

For specific questions or concerns about fair housing or landlord/tenant relations, please contact Yolanda Guess-Jeffries at (832) 394-6200 ext 1. For information about our Complaints and Appeals Process, please access the following: <https://houstontx.gov/housing/complaints.html> and <https://houstontx.gov/housing/appeals.html>. For more information about HCDD and its programs, please access HCDD's website at www.houstontx.gov/housing.