

Public Notice

The City of Houston, through its Housing and Community Development Department (HCDD), is proposing to allocate Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG) and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) funds up to the amount designated below, for the following participating agencies in its Public Services Program.

Community Development Block Grant		
Agency Name	Activity	Award Amount
Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston	Homeless Services	\$40,000.00
Covenant House Texas	Homeless Services	\$30,000.00
Harris County - Housing and Community Development	Homeless Services	\$25,000.00
SEARCH Homeless Services	Homeless Services	\$55,000.00
Harris County Domestic Violence Coordinating Council	Homeless Services	\$130,000.00
The Salvation Army Houston	Homeless Services	\$50,000.00
Coalition for the Homeless of Houston/Harris County	Strategic Homeless Planning Services	\$130,000.00
Capital IDEA Houston	Employment Training	\$250,000.00
Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston	Employment Training	\$150,000.00
Avenue Community Development Corporation	Housing Counseling	\$200,000.00
Total		\$1,060,000.00

Emergency Solutions Grants		
Agency Name	Activity	Award Amount
Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston	Homelessness Prevention, Rapid Rehousing	\$225,000.00
Covenant House Texas	Emergency Shelter	\$175,000.00
Harris County - Housing and Community Development	Homelessness Prevention	\$125,000.00
SEARCH Homeless Services	Rapid Rehousing	\$327,538.00
Harris County Domestic Violence Coordinating Council	Emergency Shelter, Homelessness Prevention, Rapid Rehousing	\$821,441.00
The Salvation Army Houston	Homelessness Prevention	\$291,034.66
Coalition for the Homeless of Houston/Harris County	Homeless Management Information System	\$87,330.00
Total		\$2,052,343.66

Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS		
Agency Name	Activity	Award Amount
Coalition for the Homeless of Houston/Harris County	Homeless Management Information System	\$66,005.00
Houston HELP, Inc.	Operations and Supportive Services	\$425,000.00
Houston SRO Housing Corporation	Operations and Supportive Services	\$350,000.00
Access Care of Coastal Texas	Tenant-Based Rental Assistance, Short-Term Rent Mortgage and Utility Assistance, Permanent Housing Placement, Supportive Services	\$1,800,000.00
Total		\$2,641,005.00

The public has thirty (30) days to comment on the proposed item. The thirty-day period extends from Friday, December 27, 2024, through Monday, January 27, 2025. Upon completion of the 30-day public comment period, HCDD will take the items to City Council.

For additional information on these items, contact Estrella Colón at 281-726-5006. Written comments can be submitted by email to Estrella.Colon@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 any 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.