

## NOTICE OF SECOND PUBLIC HEARING

The **Defiance County Board of Commissioners** intends to apply to the Ohio Department of Development: Office of Community Development (OCD) for federal grant funding. Grant funding is available through the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG), which the OCD administers.

On 1/19/2023, the first out of two mandatory public hearings for the federal CDBG Program, Program Year 2023 were conducted. The purpose of "Public Hearing #1" was to inform citizens and community officials about potential grant funding sources within that grant program for program year 2023.

Public Hearing #2 will be held on **Monday, May 1, 2023 @ 10:30 am** at the **Defiance County Commissioners Office** at 500 Court St, Suite A, Defiance, OH 43512. The purpose of this public hearing is to provide the public with an opportunity to review and comment on the following proposed projects prior to submission for funding from the federal CDBG Program, Program Year 2023:

<u><b>CDBG Program</b></u>	<u><b>Location</b></u>	<u><b>Project</b></u>	<u><b>Project Cost</b></u>	<u><b>CDBG Funding Request Not to Exceed*:</b></u>	<u><b>National Objective</b></u>
Allocation Grant	Village of Hicksville	Water Main Valve Replacement Phase II	\$49,500.00	\$120,000.00	Aid low-to-moderate income population
Allocation Grant	Village of Hicksville	Demolition of Old Water Tower	\$110,000.00	\$120,000.00	Eliminate Slum & Blight on a spot-basis
Critical Infrastructure	Village of Hicksville	Chicago Ave Waterline Replacement	\$500,030.00	\$500,000.00	Aid low-to-moderate income population
Critical Infrastructure	Village of Sherwood	South Harrison Street Reconstruction	\$790,434.00	\$500,000.00	Aid low-to-moderate income population
Residential Public Infrastructure Grant	Evansport CDP	WWTP & Sanitary Sewer System Rehabilitation	\$2,618,928.00	\$750,000.00	Aid low-to-moderate income population
<b>TOTAL COST:</b>			\$4,068,892.00		

\*CDBG funding request limits are determined by the Ohio Department of Development: Office of Community Development. If/when a project is applied for through the federal CDBG Program, the amount of the final grant funding request is determined by the Defiance County Board of Commissioners.

These proposed projects were created based on a combination of public input, needs assessments performed by local officials and private civil engineering firms, and project solicitation performed by the Maumee Valley Planning Organization on behalf of the Defiance County Board of Commissioners.

Community Officials and Project Managers are encouraged to attend this public hearing so that they can elaborate on project details as the Commissioners need them to.

If auxiliary aids are needed – such as an interpreter, braille, taped material, assistive listening device, etc. – please contact the Maumee Valley Planning Organization prior to 4/29/2022 at 419-784-3882 to ensure your needs will be accommodated.

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