PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF ENCINITAS

NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

<u>Department of Housing and Urban Development</u> Community Development Block Grant Program

Beginning <u>January 8, 2024</u>, the City of Encinitas is soliciting proposals for projects, activities, and programs under the federal **Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG)** for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2024-25 (July 1, 2024–June 30, 2025).

The CDBG program is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The City of Encinitas is an entitlement community and receives CDBG directly from HUD to address local community development needs.

The City of Encinitas anticipates an estimated annual allocation of **\$297,673** for FY 2024-25 with estimated available funds in the following categories:

٠	Public Services	\$ 44,650
٠	Program Administration	\$ 39,534
٠	Fair Housing Services	\$ 20,000
٠	Facility Improvements, Residential Rehabilitation,	\$193,489
	and CIP Projects	

Applications are available beginning on **Monday, January 8, 2024** on the City of Encinitas website at:

https://www.encinitasca.gov/government/departments/developmentservices/policy-planning-housing/housing/housing-resources.

Completed application packages, including required attachments, must be submitted **prior to** <u>5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, February 7, 2024</u>. Applications may be submitted electronically to Cindy Schubert at <u>cschubert@encinitasca.gov</u>. Paper copies may be mailed to the City of Encinitas, Development Services Department, Attn: CDBG Program, at 505 South Vulcan Avenue, Encinitas, CA 92024.

Potential applicants with questions about the CDBG program funding should contact Cindy Schubert by email <u>cschubert@encinitasca.gov</u>, before 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 5, 2024. Additionally, please refer to the City's Community Development Block Grant webpage (weblink above) to find prior year plans, policies and procedures, and other related information.

An optional technical assistance webinar will be held on Monday, January 8, 2024, at 3:00 p.m. The workshop will be held remotely, and pre-registration is required. Please contact Cindy Schubert at <u>cschubert@encinitasca.gov</u> or (760) 633-2726 to register or with questions.

Grant proposals will be evaluated and presented to the City Council for consideration at separately noticed public hearings. These public hearings are anticipated to be held in March and April of 2024.