

CITY OF NEWPORT NEWS
Public Notice and Comment Period

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Newport News in alignment with its Citizen Participation Policy is publishing this notice of a 30-day review and comment period commencing on March 24, 2025 and ending at 5:00 pm on April 22, 2025.

Comments and input on the reallocation of certain Community Development Block Grant funds from program years 2020, 2021, 2022, and 2023 are solicited. The sum of funds that the City seeks to reallocate is \$121,500.00 to meet current City objectives, to include removing slum and blight.

\$121,500 of CDBG Funds are needed for the following activities:

\$ 46,000	Demolition of 3914 Jefferson Avenue carwash
\$ 14,500	Demolition of 654 Ivy Avenue
<u>\$ 61,000</u>	<u>Codes demolitions</u>
\$121,500	Needed for 2025 activities

Funds to be reprogrammed from prior approved activities are:

\$ 10,000	Southeast Family Project Building Architect Fees
\$ 9,104	The Star Center (PY 2021)
\$ 63,323	Residential Repair (PY 2022)
\$ 38,882	Residential Repair (PY 2023)
<u>\$ 191</u>	<u>House of Refuge Worship Center (PY 2022)</u>
\$121,500	To be reprogrammed

Copies of the amendment to the Plan or reprogramming of funds have been prepared and are available for review and comment beginning on Monday, March 24, 2025, through 5:00 pm on Tuesday, April 22, 2025. An electronic version of the substantial amendment may be viewed at <http://nnrha.net>. Copies are also available at the following locations:

City of Newport News

Department of Development, 3rd Floor
2400 Washington Avenue
Newport News, VA 23607

Newport News Redevelopment and Housing Authority

227 27th Street – 3rd Floor
Newport News, VA 23607

The public is invited to ask questions or make comment on the Substantial Amendment described herein. Any person may submit written comments on the proposed use of the funds to Tricia Wilson, Business Development Specialist, Department of Development, City of Newport News, 2400 Washington Avenue, Newport News, VA 23607 or wilsontf@nnva.gov.

Persons requiring technical assistance to view the substantial amendment should contact Teresa Sobotta (757) 928-3693 between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday.