

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The State of Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development is seeking public input into the development of the State of Connecticut 2011-2012 annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development

The 2011-2012 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development is the first annual implementation plan under the recently approved 2010-2015 Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development (ConPlan). The ConPlan is a five-year strategic plan that governs the administration of federal funding appropriated for housing and community development activities that benefit persons of low- and moderate- income. Such federal funding includes the following programs; HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Small Cities/Community Development Block Grant(SC/CDBG), Emergency Shelter Grants (ESG), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA). The HOME and SC/CDBG programs are administered by the Department of Economic and Community Development and the ESG and HOPWA programs are administered by the Department of Social Services. The 2010-2015 ConPlan represents approximately \$145 million in federal funding over the five-year period. A Public Hearing on housing and community development needs in Connecticut communities will be held, as listed below, to solicit input into the development of the 2011-2012 Annual Action Plan. Additionally input on performance under the aforementioned programs is also welcomed. All input received will be used in the development of the 2011-2012 Action Plan.

Hartford

10:00 a.m.

October 18, 2010

Metropolitan District Commission (MDC)

Anthony H. Gallicchio Training Center

125 Maxim Road

Hartford, CT

State residents are invited to attend the public hearing and provide input/comment on housing and community development needs in Connecticut's communities. Written comments may be sent to W. Michael Regan, Community Development Assistant Administrator, Office of Strategy and Policy, Department of Economic & Community Development, 505 Hudson Street, Hartford, CT 06106-7106 or CT.Housing.Plans@ct.gov through the close of business on October 15, 2010. For copies of the 2010-2015 ConPlan and related documents, please refer to the Department of Economic and Community Development's website, www.decd.org under publications/housing plans.

Departments of Social Services and Economic & Community Development programs are administered in a nondiscriminatory manner, consistent with equal employment opportunities, affirmative action, and fair housing requirements. Questions, concerns, complaints or requests for information in alternative formats must be directed to the ADA (504) Coordinator, Antoinette Alphonse at 860-270-8022. Locations for the public hearings are handicapped accessible.

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