

City of Elk Grove

Amendment #2 to 2019-20 Action Plan

The following amendment language will be added to the 2019-20 Action Plan to allow the City to access to emergency HUD funding intended to assist in making a timely response to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

AP-05 Executive Summary

1. Introduction

On March 27, 2020, Congress passed the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. The Act identified additional funding for the Community Development Block Grant to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the community impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. HUD's distribution plan for the additional funding included multiple phases that would allow for quick access to funding necessary to address the immediate crisis resulting from the rising pandemic, as well as phases that would support post-pandemic community recovery.

During the first phase, the City of Elk Grove received \$543,435 in Community Development Block Grant CARES Act Stimulus (CDBG-CV) funding. City Council approved amendments to the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Citizen Participation Plan, 2013-2018 Consolidated Plan (extended to June 2020) and 2019-20 Action Plan to allocate these funds on May 13, 2020. The second phase of distribution included \$1 billion of allocations to States and insular areas within 45 days of enactment of the Act. Elk Grove did not receive an allocation for phase two. This Action Plan amendment includes planning for the third phase, in which the City anticipates receiving \$762,071 in CDBG-CV3 funding.

This Action Plan amendment addresses the planning requirements for the additional funds. The Consolidated Plan amendment is available for public comment concurrently with this document.

2. Summary of the objectives and outcomes identified in the Plan

The priorities for the City's COVID-19 response are:

- Maintaining or improving access to public services; and
- Addressing and preventing homelessness.

These objectives were derived from continuing data showing that COVID-19 will exacerbate existing needs. Public services, including nutrition support and housing assistance, particularly for households suffering loss of income, and support for persons experiencing homelessness are key programmatic needs that have been identified in the CARES Act.

4. Summary of Citizen Participation Process and consultation process

The public comment period for this Consolidated Plan amendment is thirteen days, consistent with HUD's waiver and the City's Citizen Participation Plan, to expedite the CARES Act funding to address the immediate needs facing communities impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. The public comment period exceeds the minimum of five days allowed by HUD's waiver.

The draft Consolidated Plan amendment is available for comment from all interested parties from January 1, 2021, through January 13, 2021. A public hearing will be held on January 13, 2021 according to public participation requirements detailed in the Citizen Participation Plan.

5. Summary of public comments

The City will summarize any comments received during the public comment period.

Video of the City Council meetings is available on the City's website and includes full comments from each speaker.

AP-15 Expected Resources

The City anticipates adding additional resources as shown.

Program	CDBG (CDBG-CV3)
Source of funds	Public - federal
Uses of funds	Public services Housing Admin and planning
Annual allocation	\$762,071
Narrative description	The City plans to use funds to continue its response to the COVID-19 pandemic by maintaining or increasing public services targeted to low-income households, and by preventing and addressing homelessness. A portion of the funding will be set aside for administrative expenses.

AP-20 Annual Goals and Objectives

The City anticipates meeting new goals as shown.

Table 6 – Goals Summary

Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
Maintain or improve access to public services	2020	2020	Homeless Non-Homeless	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG-CV3: \$394,110	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 6,150 Persons Assisted
Address or prevent homelessness	2013	2017	Homeless Non-Homeless	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG-CV3: \$329,867	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 170 Persons Assisted Homelessness Prevention: 276 Persons Assisted (92 households)

AP-35 Projects

The CDBG-CV activities to be undertaken are summarized below. All activities identified are expected to be completed no later than June 30, 2022.

Table 8 – Project Information

#	Project Name
25	Administration
26	Chicks in Crisis
27	Elk Grove Food Bank Services – Operations
28	Elk Grove Food Bank Services – Utility Assistance
29	Elk Grove Homeless Assistance Resource Team (HART)
30	Good Shepherd Catholic Church Elk Grove, St. Vincent DePaul Society - Food Pantry
31	Good Shepherd Catholic Church Elk Grove, St. Vincent DePaul Society - Utility Assistance
32	Great Plates Delivered
33	Public Services Supplemental Fund
34	Rental Assistance
35	Sacramento Self-Help Housing – Renters Helpline
36	Senior Center of Elk Grove
37	Uplift Elk Grove

AP-38 Projects Summary

Table 9 – Project Summary

Project Name	Goals Supported	Needs Addressed	Funding
Administration	N/A	N/A	CDBG: 38,104
Chicks in Crisis	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$12,000
Elk Grove Food Bank Services- Operations	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$170,000
Elk Grove Food Bank Services – Utility Assistance	Address or prevent homelessness	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$16,000
Elk Grove HART	Address or prevent homelessness	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$12,000
Good Shepherd Catholic Church Elk Grove, St. Vincent DePaul Society - Food Pantry	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$9,600
Good Shepherd Catholic Church Elk Grove, St. Vincent DePaul Society - Utility Assistance	Address or prevent homelessness	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$24,000
Great Plates Delivered	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$187,500
Public Services Supplemental Fund	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$90,000

Rental Assistance Program	Address or prevent homelessness	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$277,867
Sacramento Self-Help Housing – Renters Helpline	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$10,000
Senior Center of Elk Grove	N/A	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$20,000
Uplift Elk Grove	Maintain or improve access to public services	Build Healthy Communities	CDBG: \$5,000