

NOTICE OF SECOND PUBLIC HEARING

FY 2018 CDBG ALLOCATION GRANT APPLICATION ALLEN COUNTY

Allen County intends to apply to the Ohio Development Services Agency for funding under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Small Cities, Allocation Grant program, a federally funded program administered by the State. The County is eligible for up to \$236,000 in fiscal year 2018 funding, providing the County meets applicable program requirements and the County's application is approved. On March 6, 2018, the County conducted its first public hearing to inform citizens about the CDBG programs, how they may be used, what activities are eligible, and other important program requirements.

Based on both citizen input and local officials' assessment of the County's needs, the County is considering funding the CDBG activities for FY 2018:

1. Fair Housing Outreach & Education (\$7,000);
2. CDBG Program Administration & Environmental Services (\$40,200);
3. Village of LaFayette – Mail Box Area (\$63,800);
4. City of Delphos – 608 N. Canal Street, Delphos (\$125,000).

The second of two public hearings will be held on **Thursday, May 24, 2018, at 11:00 a.m. in the Allen County Commissioners' Meeting Room, 204 N. Main Street, Lima, Ohio 45801**, to provide citizens an adequate opportunity to review and comment on the County's application, including the proposed activities summarized above, before the County submits the application to the ODSA. Citizens are encouraged to attend this meeting to express their views and comments on the County's proposed CDBG application. Accommodations for disabled or non-English speaking residents will be made available upon advance request, at least one (1) week prior to hearing date, by contacting the Lima Allen County Regional Planning Commission at 419-228-1836, or mschumaker@lacrpc.com.

Allen County Commissioners
Allen County Community Development Coordinator

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