

Public Hearing
City of Everett
FY 2019 Mini-Entitlement Program
Community Development Block Grant Application

Notice is hereby given that the City of Everett, acting through the Department of Planning and Development, will hold a public hearing on **Tuesday, February 4, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Speaker George Keverian Room, 3rd floor, Everett City Hall, 484 Broadway, Everett, MA 02149.**

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss multiple aspects of the City's Mini-Entitlement program, including:

- Proposed grant application for FY 2019 to the Massachusetts Mini-Entitlement Program, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding;
- Report on the progress and status of the current Mini-Entitlement grants being managed for FY 2017 and FY 2018; and
- To discuss local community development and housing needs and issues.

The following projects are proposed as part of the FY 2019 Mini-Entitlement Program grant application:

1. **Public Social Services:** include funding to support activities including: food pantry, elder self-sufficiency, literacy and job training, pro-bono legal services, homelessness prevention and sustainable housing and youth services.
2. **Housing:** includes loan assistance to provide affordable elderly housing.
3. **Business Assistance:** activities include technical assistance and support to eligible retail and commercial businesses.

Fifty-two percent (52%) of Everett resident are of low income. The City of Everett plans to target its activities and projects funded by the FY19 CDBG program to two (2) target areas.

Area one- Central/ South East Everett area, and includes Census Tracts 3421; 3425; 3426 and is bound by City of Chelsea line to the East, Route 16 (Revere Beach Parkway) to the South, Broadway to the West and Ferry and Elm Street to the North.

Area two- Central West Everett area and includes Census Tracts 3422; 3423 and 3424 and is bound by the Airforce Road to the South, City of Malden to the West; Ferry Street to the North and Broadway to the East. Maps highlighting the target area will be available at the meeting.

Any person or organization so willing will be afforded an opportunity to be heard. Suggestions for other activities to be included in the grant application may be made at the hearing or before the hearing in writing to the Department of Planning and Development, Room 25, 484 Broadway Everett, MA 02149.

The City encourages a broad spectrum of participation by residents and other interested parties in order to better understand and serve the needs of the community. The hearing location is accessible to persons with physical disabilities. If you require translation services, accommodations for the hearing impaired, or other accommodations, please contact the Department of Planning and Development at least one week prior to the meeting.

For more information, please contact the Department of Planning and Development at Everett City Hall, Room 25, or by contacting Marzie Galazka at marzie.galazka@ci.everett.ma.us or at 617-394-2246.

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