



**AMENDED PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF RICHMOND
2021-2025 CONSOLIDATED PLAN
& 2021-22 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN**

In accordance with HUD citizen participation requirements, a 30-day public comment period for the 2021-2025 Consolidated Plan and the proposed 2021-22 Annual Action Plan (City FY 2022) will begin on April 22, 2021, and will expire on May 31, 2021. By this notice the City of Richmond announces the availability of the 1st year of the five year 2021-2025 Consolidated Plan, also known as the proposed 2021-22 Annual Action Plan, is ready for public review and comment.

Richmond City Council will hold a **virtual public hearing** on Monday, June 14, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. on the City's 2021-2025 Consolidated Plan and proposed 2021-22 Annual Action Plan budget for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership (HOME), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) programs. The HOPWA funds are allocated to the City to administer for the Richmond-Petersburg MSA. **This is a correction of the previous ad published on April 22, 2021, which stated that City Council would hold the public hearing in person in City Council Chambers.**

Citizens and interested persons are invited to give their views regarding the use of CDBG, HOMES, ESG and HOPWA funds for the proposed Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan. The City will arrange for reasonable accommodations for non-English speaking persons or those persons with visual, hearing, or mobility impairments when notified. Anyone wishing to speak at the public hearing please contact the Office of the City Clerk by 10:00 am June 14, 2021 at 804-646-7955.

The Plan will serve as a comprehensive planning document discussing Richmond's community development and housing needs. The needs emphasize the provision of decent affordable housing, a suitable living environment, assisting and preventing homelessness, assisting special needs community, and the expansion of economic opportunities, particularly for low- and moderate-income persons.

Copies of the 2021-2025 Consolidated Plan and proposed 2021-22 Annual Action Plan are available for public review online on the HCD's website located at www.rva.gov. Citizens can also request a hard copy or electronic copy via e-mail or US Mail. To request a copy, contact Emily DeHoog at Emily.DeHoog@richmondgov.com or by mail at the City Department of Housing & Community Development, 1500 E Main Street, Suite 300, Richmond VA 23219-3571. The City of Richmond does not discriminate on the basis of disability status in the admission of, or access

to, or treatment in its federally assisted programs or activities. Virginia Relay Center - TDD Users - 1-800-828-1120.

Citizens and interested persons are invited to give their views regarding the use of CDBG, HOME, ESG and HOPWA funds for the Five-Year Consolidated Plan and proposed Annual Action Plan. The City will arrange for reasonable accommodations for non-English speaking persons or those persons with visual, hearing, or mobility impairments when notified within five (5) business days of the close of the public comment period. Submit written or oral comments and views to: Emily DeHoog, Project Development Manager, Housing and Community Development, 1500 E. Main Street, Suite 300, Richmond, VA 23219-3571 or by e-mail to Emily.Dehoog@richmondgov.com. Comments may also be submitted by voicemail (804) 646-4078.