

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**City of Holyoke, Massachusetts**  
**Community Development Block Grant COVID-19 (CDBG-CV)**  
**Notice of Substantial Amendment of FY2019 Annual Plan**

The City of Holyoke Office for Community Development is designated as the lead agency for the preparation and submission of the City's Annual Action Plan for Community Development Programs, funded by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and is proposing to amend its FY 2019 Annual Action Plan by reprogramming CDBG\_CV funds. The City of Holyoke expects to submit the Substantial Amendment to HUD on or before June 1, 2021.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:**

The public comment period begins on May 5, 2021 and ends on May 14, 2021 at 4:30 pm. The City will accept comments from the public on this proposed Substantial Amendment during this timeframe.

Comments will be accepted in writing to City of Holyoke Office for Community Development, City Hall Annex, Room 400, Holyoke MA 01040 or via email to [zoellera@holyoke.org](mailto:zoellera@holyoke.org), or via telephone by calling 413-322-5610. Due to COVID-19, City Hall is closed to public access.

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

The City of Holyoke Office for Community Development will conduct a joint public hearing and meeting of the Citizens Advisory Council on Wednesday May 12, 2021 at 5:00 pm via GoogleMeet at <https://meet.google.com/ffn-qtov-mfu?hs=122&authuser=0>

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/ffn-qtov-mfu>

Or dial: (US) +1 385-374-0025 PIN: 609 921 615#

More phone numbers: <https://tel.meet/ffn-qtov-mfu?pin=2076676923173>

The purpose of the public hearing is to review proposed substantial plan amendments to the FY2019 Annual Plan by reprogramming approximately \$335,800 FY2019 Community Development Block Grant- COVID (CDBG-CV) funds according to the proposed table below. Additional information is available at [www.holyoke.org](http://www.holyoke.org) or by calling (413) 322-5610 or on Facebook @HolyokeOCD.

Language translation services and accessibility services are available for all meetings upon request at least five business days prior to the meeting date to 413-322-5610.

Date of Notice: May 4, 2021

**Proposed FY2019 CDBG-CV Reprogramming – May 2021**  
**Amounts shown in (xxx) indicate grant reductions.**

Agency	Activity	Sources CDBG-CV	Requested CDBG-CV	OCD	CAC	DGR	City Council	Final Award
Board of Health	Pandemic Response	100,000		(91,975)				
Board of Health	Masks	25,800		(25,800)				
DPW	Pedestrian Improv.	110,000		(110,000)				
OCD	Small Busi. Grants	100,000		(100,000)				
<b>Public Services</b>								
Boys and Girls Club	Cleaning Equipment		4,775	4,775				
Boys and Girls Club	Meal Tray Sealer		15,000	15,000				
Holyoke Chamber of Commerce	Farmers Market		13,000	13,000				
Providence Ministries	Margaret's Pantry		40,000	40,000				
WestMass Eldercare	Meals On Wheels		45,000	45,000				
WomanShelter	DV Shelter		10,000	10,000				
<b>Public Facilities</b>								
Girls Inc.	HVAC Improvements at 480 Hampden Street		75,000	75,000				
Holyoke Boys and Girls Club	Bathroom Renovations at 52 Nick Cosmos Way		50,836	50,836				
Holyoke Health Center	Parking lot pavement at 230 Maple Street		55,000	0				
Holyoke YMCA	HVAC Improvements at 171 Pine Street		75,000	75,000				
Valley Opportunity Council	HVAC Improvements at 300 High Street		35,000	0				
<b>Totals</b>		335,800	418,611	327,775				