

Notice is hereby given that the Southern Housing Region, comprised of the following counties: Columbia, Dodge, Jefferson, Kenosha, Ozaukee, Racine, Rock, Sauk, Walworth and Washington, will conduct a public hearing at 9:15 a.m. on Thursday, November 7, 2019, at the Southern Housing Region office in Columbia County, 112 East Edgewater St., Portage, WI. regarding: The proposed application for the 2018 - 2019 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Small Cities Housing Program funds. The public is invited to attend to learn about the CDBG program, to help identify additional local housing and community development needs, and to comment on the activities proposed to be included in the CDBG application.

The agenda for the public hearing is:

1. Identification of total potential funds.
2. Eligible CDBG activities:
 - a. Economic Development
 - b. Public Facilities
 - c. Housing
 - (1) Rehabilitation
 - (2) Homebuyer Assistance
 - (3) Special Housing Projects
 - (4) Acquisition
 - (5) Demolition
3. Presentation of identified housing and community development needs.
4. Identification of housing and community development needs by public.
5. Presentation of activities proposed for CDBG application, including potential residential displacement.
6. Citizen input regarding proposed and other CDBG activities.

Residents of the Southern Housing Region are encouraged to attend, especially residents with low to moderate incomes.

The meeting room is handicap accessible. Persons needing additional accessibility accommodations should contact the Columbia County PLF/Housing Office at (608) 742-9645.

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