## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HERARING CITY OF COCOA

## **SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO ANNUAL ACTION PLAN (2019-2020)**

Notice of Availability Subject to Approval and Public Hearing on the proposed substantial amendment to the FY2019/2020 Action Plan to allow for \$133,363 from the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus (CDBG-CV 3) funds. On March 27, 2020 the United States Congress passed The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (H.R. 748). The bill provided \$5 billion for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) to rapidly respond to COVID-19 impacts like economic and housing hardships, to include the expansion of services at food banks, senior services, and services to victims of domestic violence.

**Notice is hereby given** that the City of Cocoa has prepared a Substantial Amendment to Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Action Plan. The Substantial Amendment will allocate CDBG-CV 3 program funding for specific programs and projects. These programs and projects are required to primarily benefit low- and moderate-income residents for a given year.

The publication of this notice is the beginning of the public review period required under Federal Regulations at 24 CFR 91.105 and Federal Regulations waivers due to the COVID-19 crisis. The public review and written comment period begin on July 1, 2021 and runs through July 13, 2021. Copies of the Substantial Amendment to the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Annual Action will be available for public review at the following location: City of Cocoa website: <a href="https://www.cocoafl.org/143/Housing-Neighborhood-Services">https://www.cocoafl.org/143/Housing-Neighborhood-Services</a>

## PROPOSED FINAL STATEMENT OF CDBG PROJECTS FOR FY 2019/2020 PUBLIC SERVICES:

Community Services Council (Stable Home Program) \$66,600.00
Family Promise of Brevard (Rental & Mortgage Assistance) \$40,090.40
CDBG Administration and Operational Funds 20% of Allocation TOTAL CDBG FUNDS: \$133,363.00

**Notice is hereby further given** that the Substantial Amendment to the Action Plan for 2019-2020 will be presented to the City Council of Cocoa for approval on the following date:

DATE: July 13, 2021 TIME: 6:00 P.M.

LOCATION: City Hall Council Chambers, 65 Stone Street, Cocoa, FL 32922

(with public comments being received by email at <a href="meeting@cocoafl.org">meeting@cocoafl.org</a>, thirty (30) minutes prior to the public hearing or by mail due to social distancing).

The purpose of the public hearings and community meetings is to receive comments and take final action on the proposed Substantial Amendment

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodations to participate in these meetings should notify Ibis Berardi, Housing Program Manager at <a href="mailto:iberardi@cocoafl.org">iberardi@cocoafl.org</a> or call (321) 433-8520 no later than 48 hours prior to the meeting.