## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND AVAILABILITY FOR PUBLIC REVIEW

City of Santa Clara Five Year Consolidated Plan for the Period 2015-2020 and One Year Annual Plan for Program Year 2015-16 and Final Statement of Objectives and Proposed Uses of

**Community Development Block Grant and Home Investment Partnerships Act Entitlement Funds** 

This Notice is to announce that a hearing on the City of Santa Clara's Five Year Consolidated Plan for the Period 2015-2020 and One Year Annual Plan for Program Year 2015-16 Statement of Objectives and Proposed Uses of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Home Investment Partnerships Act (HOME) federal entitlement programs will be held on May 5, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. at the City Council Chambers, 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara, California. This Notice also announces that the two plans are available for examination by citizens, public agencies, and other interested parties at:

- 1) City of Santa Clara, Housing & Community Services Division, located at 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara, CA; Phone -- (408) 615-2490
- 2) City of Santa Clara City Clerk's Office, located at 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara, CA; Phone -- (408) 615-2220.
- 3) City of Santa Clara Central Park Library, located at 2635 Homestead Road, Santa Clara, CA; Phone -- (408) 615-2900.
- 4) City of Santa Clara Mission Library, located at 1098 Lexington Street, Santa Clara, CA; Phone (408) 615-2964.

The City of Santa Clara has prepared a five year Consolidated Plan for the period 2015-2020 and a one year Annual Plan for Program Year 2015-16 for implementation of the CDBG and HOME programs. The purpose of these plans is to set forth the established housing and community development needs of people and neighborhoods considered eligible for assistance due to their low income status, and to describe the activities by which the City will use CDBG and HOME funds to meet those needs.

Written comments from citizens on the Consolidated and Annual plans will be received up to 4:00 P.M. on May 1, 2015. Citizens wishing to attend the Public Hearing have an opportunity to provide written and oral comments and suggestions regarding priorities and uses of the entitlement funds. The final Consolidated Plan and Annual Plan will be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development by May 15, 2015.

The public hearing location is accessible by wheelchair and public transportation. People with impaired speech or hearing, or who need language translation assistance, may call 711, the nationwide Telecommunications Relay Service. Sign language interpretation, translation into languages other than English, and interpretation for persons with visual impairments are available. If you need sign or other interpretation, please call (408) 615-2490 at least one week in advance of the hearing. Reasonable modifications in policies, procedures and/or practices will be made as necessary to provide access for all individuals with a disability or with limited English proficiency.

## FUNDING AVAILABILITY

The forty-first year CDBG entitlement grant is \$858,421. A projected \$25,164 in program income will be available for allocation to CDBG Public Service projects, bringing the estimated total available CDBG funds to \$883,585.

The twenty-third year HOME entitlement grant is \$283,440. A projected \$18,798 in program income will be available for allocation to HOME administration projects, bringing the estimated total available HOME funds to \$302,238.

## SUMMARY OF CONTENTS

- 1. **INTRODUCTION**: Purpose of a Consolidated Plan; description of City administration.
- 2. **CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PROCESS**: City's Citizen Participation Plan, public participation in development of the City's Housing Element, coordination with other jurisdictions and other private and public entities.
- 3. **FUNDING SOURCES AND CITY PROGRAMS**: Description of City housing and community service programs, estimated five-year federal entitlement resources, summary of anticipated non-federal sources.
- 4. **DESCRIPTION OF CITY DEMOGRAPHICS**: Information regarding City's population, number of households, age, gender, race and ethnicity, employment and unemployment.
- 5. **DESCRIPTION OF HOUSING MARKET AND CHARACTERISTICS**: Characteristics of housing stock, housing affordability, special needs populations, public and assisted housing and barriers to affordable housing.
- 6. **DESCRIPTION OF HOMELESS AND NEAR HOMELESS**: Characteristics and number of homeless, homeless policies and actions and needs of persons at-risk of homelessness.
- 7. **DESCRIPTION OF COMMUNITY NEEDS**: Special needs populations, public facilities, infrastructure and economic development.
- 8. **ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES AND SUPPORT ACTIVITIES**: Institutional structure and coordination, structure for implementing plan and actions to comply with federal administrative requirements.
- 9. **STRATEGIC PLAN**: Basis of priorities for investment; long and short term priorities and objectives for meeting needs, strategy for increasing minority homeownership, strategy for ending chronic homelessness, anti-poverty strategy and proposed accomplishments and monitoring standards.
- 10. **ONE YEAR ACTION PLAN**: Anticipated resources; specific activities to be undertaken; program specific requirements.

## ACTIVITIES TO BE FUNDED in FY 2015-16

1.	CDBG: City of Santa Clara/Administration	\$171,684
2.	CDBG: Bill Wilson Center/Family & Grief Counseling/School Outreach	\$ 57,700
3.	CDBG: Catholic Charities/Ombudsman	\$ 6,100
4.	CDBG: Santa Clara Senior Center/Nutrition Site Meals	\$ 22,000
5.	CDBG: YWCA/Services for Battered Women	\$ 7,500
6.	CDBG: Sr Adults Legal Assist/Senior Legal Services	\$ 4,800
7.	CDBG: Live Oak Adult Day Services/Senior Adult Day Care	\$ 4,000
8.	CDBG: Heart of the Valley/Senior Transportation/Volunteer Coordinator	\$ 8,300
9.	CDBG: St. Justin Community Ministry/Food Assistance	\$ 11,100
10.	CDBG: Healthier Kids Foundation/COPE Program	\$ 14,240
11.	CDBG: Next Door Solutions/HomeSafe Santa Clara	\$ 13,187
12.	CDBG: SVILC/Housing Program for Disabled	\$ 5,000
13.	CDBG: City of Santa Clara/Removal of Barriers – Curb Cuts	\$200,000
	CDBG: Neighborhood Conservation & Improvement Program	\$157,974
16.	CDBG: El Camino Economic Development Project	\$200,000
17.	HOME: City of Santa Clara/Administration	\$ 28,344
	HOME: Project Sentinel/Fair Housing Services	\$ 18,798
19.	HOME: Neighborhood Conservation & Improvement Program	\$255,096

Rod Diridon, Jr, City Clerk