

## CITY OF JURUPA VALLEY FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020 COVID-19 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) - PUBLIC SERVICE GRANT CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF, AND ECONOMIC SECURITY (CARES) ACT (CDBG-CV) NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY / REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS

In response to the Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19), President Trump authorized the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act), Public Law 116-136 on March 27, 2020. As a result, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) awarded the City of Jurupa Valley another round of funding in the amount of \$664,209 in Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus (CDBG-CV) funds. This CDBG-CV award must support activities that prevent, prepare for and respond to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. The City may allocate additional CDBG-CV or other funds as they are available through this solicitation. However, subsequent funding is not guaranteed, and there is no guarantee about the funding level.

## **REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS**

The City of Jurupa Valley (City) is requesting proposals from interested, tax-exempt California nonprofit organizations to administer the City's planned rental assistance program (a public service program). This program is intended to assist City residents with their rental housing expenses that they are unable to pay due to the COVID-19 pandemic, because of loss of job or lessening of wages. In this manner, the City's planned rental assistance program may be able to help negatively affected City residents stay in their homes and not become homeless. The planned program would be in conformance to HUD's requirement that the use of CDBG-CV funds would specifically 'prevent', 'prepare' or 'respond' to the COVID-19 pandemic. Further information is available at the www.jurupavalley.org/CDBG. Printed program information is available at City Hall.

The City's public service, rental assistance program's beneficiaries will be low- and moderate-income residents, as defined by HUD and address the COVID-19 pandemic. Funding for public service programs is limited to a budget allotment established by the City. The City has planned to make \$580,000 (\$530,000 in direct rental assistance and \$50,000 in rental assistance administration) available for the rental assistance CDBG-CV public service (amending the 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan). Funding levels may be increased or decreased by City Staff due to need and/or other considerations.

Interested/qualified organizations are invited to apply for this public service program funding. The CDBG-CV application, along with additional information regarding the CDBG program as administered by the City of Jurupa Valley, is available for download from the City's website <a href="www.JurupaValley.org/CDBG">www.JurupaValley.org/CDBG</a> or upon request at Jurupa Valley City Hall located at 8930 Limonite Avenue, Jurupa Valley, CA 92509, during normal business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Sean McGovern, Senior Management Analyst, at (951) 332-6464 X249 or via email at smcgovern@jurupavalley.org.

All applications are due to the City by Tuesday, February 9, 2021, at 5 PM.