

CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

NOTICE OF SECOND SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE

2021 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN

FUNDING FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD)

NOTICE OF 30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

PUBLICATION DATE: March 9, 2022

Notice is hereby given that the City of Albuquerque proposes to amend its 2021 Annual Action Plan, the fourth year of the 2018- 2022 Consolidated Plan. This Second Substantial Amendment proposes to allow the City of Albuquerque, Department of Family and Community Services (FCS), to add unutilized Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) grant funds and ESG match funds from prior Program Years 2018, 2019 and 2020 to the Program Year 2021 ESG activities.

The proposed activities include:

Heading Home Westside Emergency Housing Center (WEHC)- \$22,229.36 of Program Year 2018 ESG match funds, \$37,014.41 of Program Year 2020 ESG grant funds, and \$37,014.41 of Program Year 2020 ESG match funds will be added to its Program Year 2021 original contract amount of \$271,870.10. New total amount of the Program Year 2021 activity is \$368,128.88.

Barrett Rapid Rehousing- \$22,229.36 of Program Year 2018 ESG match funds will be added to its Program Year 2021 original contract amount of \$132,501.96. New total amount of the Program Year 2021 activity is \$154,731.92.

Heading Home Albuquerque Opportunity Center (AOC)- \$26,913.31 of Program Year 2019 ESG grant funds and \$37,506.64 of Program Year 2019 ESG match funds will be added to the original contract amount of \$239,971.64. New total amount of the Program Year 2021 activity is \$304,391.59.

Barrett Shelter- \$26,913.31 of Program Year 2019 ESG grant funds and \$16,319.99 of Program Year 2019 ESG match funds will be added to the original contract amount of \$54,671.64. New total amount of the Program Year 2021 activity is \$97,904.94.

A statutory, 30-day public comment period will begin on March 9, 2022 and end on April 8, 2022 at 5:00 PM. All residents, property owners, persons with disabilities, immigrants, seniors, low-income, children and youth, homeless persons, and other stakeholders of the City of Albuquerque are encouraged to submit written comments or questions regarding the proposed Second Substantial Amendment to the 2021 Annual Action Plan to Monica Montoya, Department of Family and Community Services, located at Old City Hall, 400 Marquette NW, 5th Floor, Room 504, Albuquerque, NM 87102, or email at mtmontoya@cabq.gov.

A copy of the 2021 Annual Action Plan, as well as the 2018-2022 Consolidated Plan, is available for public review weekdays between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM at the office of the Department of Family and Community Services, at the above mentioned location, or available anytime on the City of Albuquerque website at: http://www.cabq.gov/family/documents/publications

A reasonable number of free copies are available at the City office located above, as are copies in alternate formats (Braille, large print, etc.) and in Spanish translation, upon request.

Summary:

The City of Albuquerque's 2021 Annual Action Plan, the fouth year of the 2018-2022 Consolidated Plan, requires that this proposed change to the Plan undergo a substantial amendment process. The substantial amendment must include public participation and a comment period of 30 days.

Fiscal Impact:

The unutilized ESG grant funds and ESG match funds from Prior Program Year 2018, 2019 and 2020 will be added to the Program Year 2021 ESG activities. The proposed change to the Annual Action Plan through this amendment allocates these funds.

Background:

The City of Albuquerque is a HUD "entitlement" community. The funds are allocated from HUD directly to the City of Albuquerque and do not pass through the state government.

Public Participation:

All Albuquerque residents, property owners, persons with disabilities, immigrants, seniors, low-income, children and youth, homeless persons, and other stakeholders in Albuquerque are invited to review this proposed Second Substantial Amendment to the 2021 Annual Action Plan and comment on it in writing, until 5:00 PM on April 8, 2022. After receipt of public comments from the 30-day public comment period, the City of Albuquerque will address each comment in writing and will submit all comments and responses in its formal Second Substantial Amendment to HUD.