

3rd CDBG Public Notice

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**CITY OF GULFPORT
NOTICE OF 2nd PUBLIC HEARING, DRAFT AVAILABILITY
& COMMENT PERIOD
2023 CDBG & HOME ACTION PLAN**

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has announced that the City of Gulfport will receive a 2023 CDBG Entitlement allocation of \$723,144 and HOME Entitlement allocation of \$549,635. It does not anticipate generating program income during Program Year 2023. HUD has approved a deadline extension for the City of Gulfport to revise and resubmit its Program Year 2023 Action Plan, a component of its 2022-2026 Consolidated Plan.

As required by HUD, the City of Gulfport will conduct a second public hearing to give residents opportunity to 1) present oral or written input about housing, community development and supportive housing needs; and 2) participate in development and implementation of the Action Plan.

To comply with HUD's resubmission deadline, the hearing is scheduled on:

**Wednesday, January 10, 2024 at 10 a.m.
in the Gulfport City Hall Council Chambers**

Residents are urged to attend, particularly low, very low, extremely low income and public housing residents, minorities, and those with mobility, visual, and hearing impediments. Those individuals who wish to participate but may be hindered by disabilities or are non-English speaking are urged to call the Community Development Department at 228-868-5705 ext. 6638 at least three (3) weekdays prior to the hearing so reasonable arrangements can be made.

On Thursday, January 11, 2024, a draft of the City of Gulfport's 2023 CDBG and HOME Action Plan will be available for review on the City's website www.gulfport-ms.gov and at the following locations:

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| Gulfport City Hall | 2309 15 th Street |
| Gulfport Community Development | 1410 24 th Avenue |
| Gulfport Public Library | 1708 25 th Street |
| Orange Grove Public Library | 12135 Old Highway 49 |

A written comment period will begin January 11, 2024 and end at 4:00 p.m., Friday, February 9, 2024. To be considered and incorporated into the City of Gulfport's 2023 Action Plan, written comments must be **received** before the end of the comment period.

Comments may be mailed or emailed to:

Gulfport Community Development Department
P.O. Box 1780
Gulfport, MS 39502
communitydevelopment@gulfport-ms.gov