



Proposed Substantial Amendment to the 2019-2023 Consolidated Plan, including the 2019 Annual Action Plan

DeKalb County is proposing to amend to the 2019-2023 Consolidated Plan, including the 2019 Annual Action Plan to include an allocation of funding from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) (Public Law 116-136) made available in supplemental Community Development Block Grant (CDBG-CV1) funding in the amount of \$3,094,658. In addition, include an amount of CARES Act Emergency Solutions Grant Program funding (ESG-CV1 and CV2) (\$5,412,468) made available in two allocations: \$1,593,790 in the first allocation and \$3,818,678 in the second allocation to respond to the effects of the current historic public health crisis.

CDBG-CV1 funding will be used for a range of eligible, activities that prevent, prepare for and respond to the Coronavirus pandemic. Eligible activities include building and improvements including public facilities; assistance to businesses, including special economic development assistance; provisions of new or quantifiably increased public services such as housing assistance, food and emergency assistance; planning, capacity building and technical assistance.

ESG-CV 1and ESG-CV2 funds were granted to enable the County to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus among individuals who are homeless or receiving homeless assistance and to support additional homelessness assistance and homelessness prevention activities. The County will use funds to provide eligible services that include the following activities: Rapid Re-housing, Prevention, Outreach, Emergency Shelter, Data Collection, Administration, and all additional, eligible ESG-CV activities (Temporary Emergency Shelter, Training, Handwashing Stations, Landlord Incentives and Volunteer Incentives). DeKalb County has already implemented many of the eligible activities. However, as of this date, none of the activities have received funding from the ESG-CV allocation.

This document can also be viewed on the DeKalb County Community Development website at the following address: <https://www.dekalbcountyga.gov/community-development/public-notice>

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