

CITY OF PROVIDENCE

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF REQUEST FOR FUNDING PROPOSALS
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT
HOME
EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANT
And
HOPWA**

PROGRAM YEAR JULY 1, 2005 - JUNE 30, 2006

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Instructions

CDBG/ESG/HOPWA Program Project Application Package

Comprehensive Planning Strategy (2000-2005)

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ANNUAL ACTION PLAN

The City of Providence will submit a single, consolidated application or Action Plan for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Home Program, Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG), and HOPWA around May 15, 2005. This single application will include descriptions of planned activities and locations (where known) of such projects and activities.

HOW MUCH FUNDING IS AVAILABLE

ESTIMATED GRANT AMOUNTS FOR 2005-2006

- COMMUNITY BLOCK GRANTS \$ 6,751,000
- HOME \$ 2,780,000
- EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANT \$ 250,426
- HOPWA \$ 800,000

HOW CAN THESE FUNDS BE USED?

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANTS

Agencies are invited to submit applications for funding of projects which assist low/moderate income families and individuals, eliminate slum and blight or meet another need in the City in the areas of: Housing, Economic Development, Rehabilitation, Acquisition or Construction of Community/Public Facilities, Public Services or Historic Preservation. . **All applications must conform to the City's Five-Year Comprehensive Planning Strategy to be considered. Applications are due on January 13, 2005. Late applications will not be considered.**

HOME PROGRAM

The City will apply for funding under the HOME PROGRAM. Home program applications will be available in January, May and August 1, 2005. These funds can be used to fund housing assistance through the acquisition, rehabilitation, and new construction of housing and tenant-based assistance. Availability of applications will be advertised and applications direct mailed to existing CHDOS. **All applications must conform to the City's Five -Year Comprehensive Planning Strategy to be considered.**

EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANT

Funds made available to the City must support programs, which directly service homeless individuals and families. All agencies are urged to apply for funding of programs. **All applications must conform to the City's Five-Year Comprehensive Planning Strategy to be considered. Applications are due on January 13, 2005. Late applications will not be considered.**

HOPWA

Funds are available to assist individuals, families, and children with AIDS through housing available or support services. The catchment area for this program is all of Rhode Island excluding Newport County, but including Southeastern Massachusetts. The City of Fall River will solicit applications for the Massachusetts catchment area. **All applications must conform to the City's Five-Year Comprehensive Planning Strategy to be considered. Applications are due on January 13, 2005. Late applications will not be considered.**

HOW ARE PROPOSALS SUBMITTED?

1. CDBG, ESG, HOPWA Projects/Programs and Public Service projects

Please call for an application package from the:

**DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
400 WESTMINSTER STREET
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903
TELEPHONE (401) 351-4300 Ext. 406**

All applications must conform to the City's full CPS to be eligible. All applications will be scored against the criteria contained in the application process and the goals stated in the CPS and further identified in the application package. A copy of the CPS is available at the main branch of the Providence Public Library or can be purchased for \$18.00 from the Department of Planning and Development. The CPS is also available, along with the application package, on the City's web site - www.providenceri.com.

2. Non-profit Housing Administration

If your agency is seeking funding for administrative costs of housing development/rehabilitation programs, please call to request an application package from:

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All funding allocations in this category are determined by the production formula adopted in 1999.

Please send proposals **POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN THURSDAY, January 13, 2005** to

**DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
C/O STEPHEN VADNAIS, DIRECTOR FOR COMPLIANCE AND
MONITORING
DEVELOPMENT DIVISION, 4TH FLOOR
400 WESTMINSTER STREET
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903**

Late proposals will not be considered.

If you have any questions about this advertisement, please call Stephen Vadnais of the Department of Planning and Development at 351-4300 ext. 414– TDD 401-751-0203 for additional information.



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