

TOWN OF YARMOUTH

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT AMENDMENT OF PROGRAM PLANS

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**THIS NOTICE HAS A MINIMUM FIVE (5) DAY COMMENT PERIOD
AS ALLOWED BY US HUD TO RAPIDLY PREPARE FOR, PREVENT
AND RESPOND TO THE SPREAD OF COVID-19
ALL COMMENTS ARE DUE BY OCTOBER 9, 2020**

It is intended by this notice to inform the general public that on September 11, 2020 US HUD allotted \$242,315 to the Town of Yarmouth to prepare for, prevent and respond to the spread of the new coronavirus COVID-19, as authorized by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act). The CARES Act made these funds available to the Town through the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The funds are commonly referred to as CDBG-CV. In total, the Town has been allotted \$318,195 of CDBG-CV funds.

The Town proposes to amend its current CDBG plans with a revised CDBG-CV budget, as shown here. The CDBG 2020 budget is also shown here but is not being revised at this time.

PROGRAM	CDBG-CV	CDBG 2020
Administration and Planning	\$63,633	\$25,798
Public Service	223,852	19,348
Job Retention and Creation		83,843
Special Business Assistance	30,710	
Spot Blight Removal		10,000
Public Infrastructure		25,000
Affordable Housing		60,954
TOTAL	\$318,195	\$199,145

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The Town proposes to amend current CDBG plans to include the following priority Public Services: food security, mortgage assistance, rent assistance, utility assistance, childcare, internet access and public health activities; and to include the following priority Economic Opportunities: assistance to Yarmouth small business with payroll costs, commercial rent and mortgage payments, and debt service.

Any questions or comments concerning the above-described activities and amendments should be put in writing sent to Mary Waygan, Affordable Housing/CDBG Program Administrator, Department of Community Development, 1146 Route 28, South Yarmouth, MA 02664 mwaygan@yarmouth.ma.us **All comments are due by October 9, 2020.** Telephone inquiries may be made by calling 774-212-1668 (TDD 508-398-2231).

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