

NOTICE OF FUNDS AVAILABILITY

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Home Investment Partnerships Act (HOME) FY 2009-2010

The City of Killeen announces the availability of federal funding from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for fiscal year 2009-2010 – beginning October 1, 2009.

Applications for funding will be available beginning **February 27, 2009** at the Community Development Division office, 207A W. Avenue D, Killeen – Applications must be submitted by 5:00 PM on **April 3, 2009**.

Application workshops will be held in the City of Killeen Utility Collections large meeting room, 210 W. Avenue C, Killeen, on February 27, 2009 and March 11, 2009.

Public Hearings will be held in the City of Killeen Council Chambers, Killeen City Hall, 101 N. College Street, Killeen. For additional information, contact the Community Development Division or visit the City website at www.ci.killeen.tx.us.

Home Investment Partnerships Act (HOME) Program funding is available to nonprofit organizations, for-profit entities, Community Housing Development Organizations (CHDOs), Other Owners, Developers, or Sponsors of affordable housing for eligible activities to include: acquisition, construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation of homeownership and rental housing; transitional housing, tenant based rental assistance (TBRA), and predevelopment loans.

All HOME funded activities must serve low and moderate-income households, as determined by HUD.

For additional information on the HOME Program, please call 254.501.7842 or email mbarraza@ci.killeen.tx.us

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding is available to neighborhood-nonprofit organizations, public service agencies, and faith based or religious organizations providing services to low and moderate-income residents in Killeen.

Eligible CDBG Activities must meet one National Objective:

- 1. Benefit low and moderate-income persons;
- 2. Prevent/Eliminate Slum or Blight; or
- 3. Meet community development needs having a particular urgency.

Additionally, funding may be used for:

- ~Preservation and expansion of decent, safe and affordable housing to the low and moderate-income populations;
- ~Economic Development or improvement of public facilities in low and moderate-income neighborhoods;
- ~Provision of public and human services

For additional information on project eligibility or meeting a national program objective, please contact Community Development at 254.501.7847 or email lhin-kle@ci.killeen.tx.us

Funding Schedule for FY 2009 –2010

Feb. 27, 2009 8:00 AM

CDBG/Applications available at CD office

<u>Feb. 27 and Mar. 11, 2009</u> Technical Assistance Workshops 9:00 AM—CDBG

12:00 PM—HOME

Workshops conducted at 210 W. Avenue C.
[Utility Collections large meeting room]

April 3, 2009 5:00 PM
Applications due to CD office

May 7 and 13, 2009 12:00 NOON Community Development Advisory

Committee meets to review applications, Receive presentations from applicants, and to provide recommendations for funding.

June 9 and 23, 2009 6:00 PM

Public Hearings conducted by City Council, review and approves funding allocations

August 14, 2009

HUD review of projects submitted and approved by City Council