PUBLIC NOTICE

City of New Orleans

Office of Community Development

Soliciting Comments on Restore Louisiana Program Funding

The City of New Orleans Office of Housing Policy and Community Development (OCD) would like to request input and feedback on our federal allocation of $33,280,853.85 million dollars **in Resilient Community Infrastructure Program** (RCIP) Funds, as a response to Hurricanes and severe storms in 2020 and 2021. These funds have been allocated to the City of New Orleans through the State of Louisiana Office of Community Development. The purpose of these funds is to create a safer and stronger Louisiana by leading the state’s disaster recovery and long-term community resilience planning efforts with a great sense of urgency through innovation, partnerships, and best practices.

Citizens are urged to attend to engage city leaders in developing projects that will address the following: long term infrastructure goals, business growth, economic recovery, and resilient community planning.

**Public Meeting**

The public meeting will be held at the Main Library, 219 Loyola Avenue on November 11, 2024, at 5 pm. The first meeting was held on July 28,2023. The second meeting was held on May 9, 2024. This notice is also posted on OCD’s website.

If you need additional information, or require special assistance due to Limited English Proficiency, please contact OCD’s Disaster Unit at (504)658-4200.

**Public Comment**

October 31, 2024 begins a thirty (30) day period of public review and comment and will end on November 30, 2024. Written comments can be sent to OCD’s Disaster Unit at 1340 Poydras St. (10th floor) New Orleans, LA by November 30, 2024, COB 5:00pm. Comment cards can also be emailed to [wayne.johnson@nola.gov](mailto:wayne.johnson@nola.gov). For more information, please visit https://nola.gov/community-development/restore-louisiana/

At the end of the comment period, all comments will be reviewed and a City response will be incorporated in a Response to Public Comment. A summary of comments and the City response will be submitted to the State of Louisiana Office of Community Development.

LaToya Cantrell Mayor

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RUN DATES: 10/30; 11/4; 11/11