

**Public Hearing Notice and  
Proposed Project Selections for the 2020 CDBG- CV Program  
Indiana County and Indiana County “OBO”  
Burrell Township/ Center Township/ Indiana Borough**

A virtual public hearing will be conducted on Monday, August 24, 2020 at 10:00 AM via ZOOM conference to discuss Indiana County’s and Indiana County “on behalf of” Burrell Township / Center Township / Indiana Borough’s proposed 2020 CDBG-CV plans to utilize the funding and submission of the 2020 CDBG-CV application.

The virtual public hearing is accessible to individuals with disabilities and/or for persons with Limited English Proficiency. If you wish to attend and require special accommodations, please notify the Indiana County Office of Planning and Development Office 72 hours in advance at 724-465-3870 (Telephone) or 724-465-3805 (TDD) or by email at [admin1@ceo.co.indiana.pa.us](mailto:admin1@ceo.co.indiana.pa.us).

The purpose of the public hearing is to discuss the Community Development Block Grant- Coronavirus Program (CDBG-CV) project selections. The hearing will discuss the selection of activities and why any proposed activities were not selected for funding. The selected 2020 CDBG-CV project selections for Indiana County and the CDBG Entitlement Communities are as follows: the Indiana County Food Bank, Meals2You Program, surveillance testing and the purchase of handwashing stations.

The County of Indiana is expected to receive an allocation of \$378,119.00 of 2020 CDBG-CV funds from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. This amount includes the allocations for the entitlement communities. No program income is anticipated during the 2020 program year. At least 70% of the available funding must be used for activities which benefit low and moderate income persons. The proposed activities must benefit at least 51% low-moderate income persons in the service area to qualify as a low-moderate income project. The PA Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED) has announced the application submission deadline of August 31, 2020.

If the County of Indiana or Indiana County “OBO” Burrell Township, Center Township or Indiana Borough would undertake activities that result in the displacement of families or individuals, then the County of Indiana’s policy for minimizing such displacement would be in effect. The County of Indiana and Indiana County “OBO” Burrell Township, Center Township or Indiana Borough is responsible for replacing all low and moderate income housing units that may be demolished or converted as a result of the use of CDBG funds.

All interested citizens are encouraged to attend/participate in the public hearing via Zoom conference as follows: To access via web video, type the link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86405228437> and the meeting ID is 864 0522 8457. To access via telephone dial +1 646 558 8656 and enter meeting ID: 864 0522 8457.

All interested citizen are encouraged to attend and will be offered the opportunity to give oral testimony at the public hearing and/or to present written comments concerning the proposed CDBG activities and 3-Yr Plan, the selection process and any other questions related to the CDBG program. Proposals and comments may be submitted to the Indiana County Office of Planning and Development at 801 Water Street, Indiana, Pennsylvania 15701 or by email to [admin1@ceo.co.indiana.pa.us](mailto:admin1@ceo.co.indiana.pa.us) by August 25, 2020 by 4:00 PM.

