

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CAPITOLA CITY COUNCIL
SUBMITTAL OF STATE CDBG APPLICATION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Capitola will conduct a public hearing on November 21, 2017, at 7 p.m. at City Council Chambers located at 420 Capitola Avenue, Capitola, CA, to discuss the submittal of an application to the 2017 State Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and to solicit citizen input on possible activities to be included in this application.

Eligible activities in the notice of funding availability (NOFA) consist of: Homeownership Assistance and Housing Rehabilitation Programs; Public Facility and Public Improvement Projects (Including Public Improvements in Support of New Housing Construction); Public Service Programs, Planning Studies, Economic Development Business Assistance and Microenterprise Activities. Eligible activities paid for with State CDBG funds must meet one or more of the three national objectives listed in CDBG federal statutes as follows: Benefit to low income households or persons; elimination of slums and blight; or meet urgent community development need.

The City of Capitola is applying for up to \$5 million under this NOFA for the following projects/programs inclusive of general administration and activity delivery:

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| - Public Improvement: Clares Street Project | \$1,930,700 |
| - Homeownership Direct Assistance Program | \$250,000 |
| - Owner Occupied Rehabilitation Program | \$250,000 |

The City does not anticipate receiving any Program Income, thus no additional supplemental activities are being applied for.

The purpose of this public hearing will be to give citizens an opportunity to make their comments known on the proposed application.

If you require special accommodations to participate in the public hearing, please contact the City Hall at (831) 475-7300.

If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the City of Capitola, 420 Capitola Avenue, Capitola, CA 95010, or email citycouncil@ci.capitola.ca.us. In addition, information is available for review at the above address during regular business hours.

The City of Capitola promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low and moderate-income families regardless of age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual preference, marital status or handicap.