

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Westbrook will conduct a Public Hearing by the Westbrook Board of Selectmen on Thursday, May 27, 2021 at 6:00 P.M. The Public Hearing will be held via ZOOM videoconference and conference call to discuss the Fiscal Year 2021 Community Development Block Grant program proposed for the Worthington Manor Housing Facility improvements and to solicit citizen input.

The public can access this Public Hearing via ZOOM as follows:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85629243693?pwd=K3NnZU5zZXdyUVVFQkttcDc4MjJlMUT09>

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Maximum award limits are \$1,500,000.00 for Public Housing Modernization and \$1,000,000.00 for Infrastructure projects in support of Affordable Housing Projects.

Major activity categories are: Acquisition, Housing Rehabilitation, Public Housing Modernization, Community Facilities, Public Services, and Economic Development. Projects funded with CDBG allocations must carry out at least one of three National Objectives: benefit to low- and moderate-income persons, elimination of slums and blight, or meeting urgent community development needs.

The purpose of the Public Hearing is to obtain citizen's views on the Town's community development and housing needs and review and discuss specific project activities in the areas of housing, economic development or community facilities which could be part of the Town's new Application for funding for the year 2021.

The Public Hearing will be to give citizens an opportunity to make their comments known on the program, review past grants and discuss the Program Income Reuse Plan.

The Town of Westbrook anticipates applying for the maximum grant amount of \$1,500,000.00 under the Public Housing Modernization category.

The Town of Westbrook promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low- and moderate-income households regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, marital status, age, lawful source of income, familial status, learning disability or physical/mental disability, or sexual orientation.

If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to Noel Bishop, First Selectman, 866 Boston Post Road, Westbrook Connecticut 06498. You may also direct written

comments via electronic mail message to the nbishop@westbrookct.us or telephone the First Selectman at (860) 399-3040. In addition, information may be obtained at the above address between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm weekdays. The PUBLIC HEARING will also review and discuss the Town's prior Small Cities projects.

“All are encouraged to attend. The ZOOM Public Hearing. Any persons requiring special assistance or non-English speaking persons should contact David Maiden, Building Official and Administration and Town of Westbrook ADA Coordinator at (860-399-2035) at least five days prior to the hearing”

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