

# PUBLIC COMMENTS REQUEST & PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

## HIDLAGO COUNTY URBAN COUNTY PROGRAM SUBSTANCIAL BUDGET & PROGRAM AMENDMENT

In compliance with the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) requirements, Hidalgo County will conduct a Public Hearing to solicit input from interested parties on the their proposed substantial budget & program amendment to its Urban County Program Fiscal Years: 28, 29, 30, 31, & 32 (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019)

In accordance with Section 418.016 of the Texas Government Code, Governor Abbot has suspended various provisions that require government officials and members of the public to be physically present at a specified meeting location. As a result, all or some government officials may participate via videoconference. Additionally, members of the public are encouraged to watch the meetings online at : <https://www.hidalgocounty.us/1939/Commissioners-Court-LIVE> .

This notice is intended to provide general information to the public on the proposed substantial amendment. A substantial amendment is required when there is an addition and/or elimination of an activity previously described in an entity's Consolidated or Action Plan, change in beneficiary type and/or a decrease of 20% or more in the number of low and moderate income beneficiaries.

The County is hereby soliciting comments during a thirty (30) day comment period from July 23, 2020 to August 21, 2020. Interested parties are encouraged to make their views known on the Substantial Amendment for CDBG Funds by calling or visiting the Urban County Program office, located at 1916 Tesoro Street, Pharr, Texas 78577, (956) 787-8127, Monday thru Friday from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM and from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. A more detailed listing of activities and explanation of the proposed substantial budget & program amendment to its Urban County Program for Fiscal Years: 28, 29, 30, 31, & 32 (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019) will be made available to any interested party.

The Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, August 25, 2020 which starts at 2:00 P.M. at the Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court located at 100 E. Cano Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Edinburg, Texas 78540.

To participate in public comment, please call: (956) 292-7630 and you will be given further instructions and be provided with a toll free number at that time. Please call between the hours of 9:30 A.M. and 10:00 A.M. to participate in the Urban County Program Public Hearing regarding the Substantial Amendment for Fiscal Years: 28, 29, 30, 31, & 32 (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019)

The Project lines items being amended are as follow/

<b>2020 - Substantial Amendment Breakdown</b>							
Existing Budget	Activity	Beneficiary Type	Quantity	Proposed Budget	Activity & Project Description	Beneficiary Type	Quantity
<b>2015</b>							
\$ 15,911.17	Precinct No. 3 Street Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 15,911.17	ADD the 2020 Street Improvements listing: Jewel Rd., Janie St., Cantu Rd., Los Ebanos Rd., Trospen Rd., and Mile 6 1/2 Rd.	PEOPLE	18775

## 2016

\$ 77,812.04	Elsa Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 77,812.04	CREATE Fire Station Equipment-include the 2019 Reconstruction of Fire Station.	PEOPLE	1930
\$ 17,644.48	Palmview Street Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 17,644.48	ADD the 2020 Street listing: Mata Blvd, Ramona Blvd., Ruben St., & La Estrella St.	PEOPLE	1780
\$ 14,564.53	Precinct No. 3 Street Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 14,564.53	ADD the 2020 Street Improvements listing: Jewel Rd., Janie St., Cantu Rd., Los Ebanos Rd., Trosper Rd., and Mile 6 1/2 Rd.	PEOPLE	18775

## 2017

\$ 149,842.84	Elsa Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 149,842.84	CREATE Fire Station Equipment-include the 2019 Reconstruction of Fire Station.	PEOPLE	1930
\$ 3,590.59	Granjeno Parks, Rec. Fac. Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 3,590.59	CREATE 2017 Public Facility Imp. Including the Reconstruction of the Public Facility.	PEOPLE	330
\$ 87,820.45	Hidalgo Parks, Recreational Fac. Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 87,820.45	CREATE 2017 Flood Drainage Improvements and add the 2018-2019 Project Description: Project consists of flood drainage improvements to include the upgrade and expansion of the storm sewer system and will also include the reconstruction of streets .	PEOPLE	3125
\$ 33,579.85	Palmview Street Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 33,579.85	ADD the 2020 Street listing: Mata Blvd, Ramona Blvd., Ruben St., & La Estrella St.	PEOPLE	1780
\$ 1,842.83	Penitas Street Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 1,842.83	ADD the Streets 2020 listing: Vela Drive, West Rodriguez Street, Puerta Blanca Drive, Maria Drive, West G. Gonzalez Circle, N. G. Gonzalez Circle, S. G. Gonzalez Circle, Zarate Street, Solis Street, and Garza Street.	PEOPLE	7775

\$ 20,815.00	Precinct No. 1 W/S Imp. (La Villa) (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 20,815.00	ADD TO Street Imp & include 2019 & 2020 listing: Old River Road, Ponciano Road, Mile 1E, PFC Pedro Martinez Rd., and Earling Road.	PEOPLE	13780
\$ 128,707.06	Precinct No. 3 Street Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 128,707.06	ADD the 2020 Street Improvements listing: Jewel Rd., Janie St., Cantu Rd., Los Ebanos Rd., Trospen Rd., and Mile 6 1/2 Rd.	PEOPLE	18775

**2018**

\$ 42,583.98	Alamo Street Improvements SURPLUS	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 42,583.98	ADD THE 2019 Street Improvements listing: Crockett Street.	PEOPLE	3780
\$ 82,228.80	Edcouch Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 82,228.80	ADD New Streets to existing Project: Crenshaw Street (FM 1015 to Mc Daniel Street) & Cochran St. (Pacific Avenue going north to Dead-end)	PEOPLE	2665
\$ 92,033.85	La Joya Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 92,033.85	CREATE 2018 W/S Imp. And add the 2020 project description: Project consists of the rehabilitation of the elevated water storage tank to include but not limited to the exterior and interior an upgrade of 24" steel vent, 90" bolted Manway, Galvanized safety climb, ladder protective walk through chains and related appurtenances, etc.	PEOPLE	3875
\$ 215,973.26	Penitas Parks, Rec. Fac. Imp. (DELETE)	PEOPLE	4120	\$ 215,973.26	ADD the Streets 2020 listing: Vela Drive, West Rodriguez Street, Puerta Blanca Drive, Maria Drive, West G. Gonzalez Circle, N. G. Gonzalez Circle, S. G. Gonzalez Circle, Zarate Street, Solis Street, and Garza Street.	PEOPLE	7775
\$ 82,160.11	Progreso Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 82,160.11	ADD 2020 Street listing: Gonzalez Street.	PEOPLE	5530
\$ 5,730.43	San Juan Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 5,730.43	ADD 2019 & 2020 Street Imp. Listing: Loma Bonita St., Loma Azul St., Loma Alta.	PEOPLE	5075

\$ 114,533.62	Weslaco W/S Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 114,533.62	ADD 2019 W/S Imp. Project description: Project consists of the upgrading of water lines specifically for fire hydrants and related appurtenances.	PEOPLE	735
\$ 166,245.26	Precinct No. 2 Parks, Rec. Fac. Imp. (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 166,245.26	CREATE ST Imp. Add the 2020 Project description: The Construction of Las Milpas Rd.	PEOPLE	3840
\$ 49,295.05	Precinct No. 3 Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 49,295.05	ADD the 2020 Street Improvements listing: Jewel Rd., Janie St., Cantu Rd., Los Ebanos Rd., Troser Rd., and Mile 6 1/2 Rd.	PEOPLE	18775
\$ 69,772.84	Precinct No. 4 Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 69,772.84	ADD the 2020 Street listing: Jasmin, Mile 17 1/2 , Davis Road, San Antonio Road and Monmack Road.	PEOPLE	14955

## 2019

\$ 75,154.00	Edcouch Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 75,154.00	ADD New Streets to existing Project: Crenshaw Street (FM 1015 to Mc Daniel Street) & Cochran St. (Pacific Avenue going north to Deadend)	PEOPLE	2665
\$ 254,604.00	Granjeno Public Service (General)	PEOPLE	330	\$ 150,000.00	CREATE 2019 Public Facility Imp. Including the 2019 Reconstruction of the Public Facility.	PEOPLE	330
\$ 247,152.68	La Joya Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 247,152.68	CREATE 2018-2019 W/S Imp. 2020 project description: Project consists of the rehabilitation of the elevated storage tank to include but not limited to the exterior and interior an upgrade of 24" steel vent, 90" bolted Manway, Galvanized safety climb, ladder protective walk through chains and related appurtenances, etc.	PEOPLE	3875

\$ 5,000.00	La Joya Other Public Service (DELETE)	PEOPLE	100	\$ 5,000.00	CREATE 2018-2019 W/S Imp. 2020 project description: Project consists of the rehabilitation of the elevated storage tank to include but not limited to the exterior and interior an upgrade of 24" steel vent, 90" bolted Manway, Galvanized safety climb, ladder protective walk through chains and related appurtenances, etc.	PEOPLE	3875
\$ 257,152.70	Penitas Parks, Rec. Fac. Imp. (DELETE)	PEOPLE	4120	\$ 257,152.70	ADD the Streets 2020 listing: Vela Drive, West Rodriguez Street, Puerta Blanca Drive, Maria Drive, West G. Gonzalez Circle, N. G. Gonzalez Circle, S. G. Gonzalez Circle, Zarate Street, Solis Street, and Garza Street.	PEOPLE	7775
\$ 232,604.00	Progreso Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	4185	\$ 232,604.00	ADD 2020 Street listing: Gonzalez Street.	PEOPLE	5530
\$ 70,000.00	Precinct No. 1 Parks, Rec. Fac. Imp. (DELETE)	PEOPLE	4500	\$ 70,000.00	ADD to Street Imp & include 2019 & 2020 listing: Old River Road, Ponciano Road, Mile 1E, PFC Pefro Martinez Rd., and Earling Road.	PEOPLE	13780
\$ 295,454.82	Precinct No. 2 Parks, Rec. Fac. Imp. (DELETE)	PEOPLE	830	\$ 295,454.82	CREATE ST Imp. Add the 2020 Project description: The Construction of Las Milpas Rd.	PEOPLE	3840
\$ 83,021.98	Precinct No. 3 Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 83,021.98	ADD the 2020 Street Improvements listing: Jewel Rd., Janie St., Cantu Rd., Los Ebanos Rd., Trospen Rd., and Mile 6 1/2 Rd.	PEOPLE	18775
\$ 18,030.00	Precinct No. 3 Street Improvements (Palmhurst)	PEOPLE	10535	\$ 18,030.00	ADD the 2020 Street Improvements listing: Jewel Rd., Janie St., Cantu Rd., Los Ebanos Rd., Trospen Rd., and Mile 6 1/2 Rd.	PEOPLE	18775
\$ 173,563.10	Precinct No. 4 Street Improvements (SURPLUS)	PEOPLE	COMPLETED	\$ 173,563.10	ADD the 2020 Street listing: Jasmin, Mile 17 1/2 , Davis Road, San Antonio Road and Monmack Road.	PEOPLE	14955

The proposed Substantial Amendment for the Hidalgo County Urban County Program **Fiscal Years: 28, 29, 30, 31, & 32 (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019)** funds will be available for viewing at the Hidalgo County Urban County Program Office, Precinct No. 1, Precinct No. 2, Precinct No. 3, Precinct No. 4 offices and the following cities: City of Alamo, City of Elsa, City of Granjeno, City of Hidalgo, City of La Joya, City of Palmview, City of Penitas, City of Progreso, City of San Juan, and the City of Weslaco. The

proposed substantial amendments can also be viewed at the Hidalgo County Urban County Program webpage at <https://www.hidalgocounty.us/1454/Public-Notices>.

It is the objective of Hidalgo County to comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 and the ADA Amendment Act of 2008, the Fair Housing Act, and the Architectural Barriers Act in all respects. Persons with disabilities/handicapped, Non-English speaking, or limited English proficiency (LEP) who may require an interpreter shall be provided upon request by calling (956) 787-8127 at least three (3) days in advance. Persons who are deaf, hard-of-hearing, deaf-blind or speech-disabled may use Relay Texas at (800) 735-2989 to call the Hidalgo County Urban County Program (UCP) and request arrangements in order to participate in the citizen participation process. Hidalgo County Urban County Program does not discriminate on the basis of disability status in the admission of, or access to, or treatment in its federally assisted programs or activities.

The County of Hidalgo encourages citizen participation in the public comment process. If you are unable to attend the hearing, written comments will be accepted up to the date of the hearing. For more information, please contact the Hidalgo County Urban County Program office at (956) 787-8127. Written comments may be forwarded to:

**Hidalgo County-Urban County Program**  
**Patricio R. Avila, Director**  
**1916 Tesoro Street,**  
**Pharr, Texas 78577**

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