## COUNTY OF DAUPHIN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING 2025 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN FOR THE

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP (HOME) PROGRAM

A public hearing will be held by the Dauphin County Office of Community & Economic Development on Tuesday, February 18, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. to discuss countywide needs in the areas of housing, community development and economic development to be included in the 2025 Dauphin County Annual Action Plan for funding. The Action Plan is used in the CDBG and HOME programs to describe the uses of these federal funds.

The county's allocation for the FY2025 CDBG Program will be approximately \$1,409,000. The HOME Program allocation will be approximately \$446,000. These numbers are based on the 2024 awards and are subject to change.

A second public hearing will be held on Monday, April 14, 2025 at 10:00a.m. to discuss proposed activities to be included in the 2025 Annual Action Plan. All proposed CDBG activities will principally benefit low and moderate-income persons, address slum and blight, or meet an urgent economic development need. The goal of the HOME Program activities is to provide decent, safe, and affordable housing and to alleviate the problems of severe rent burdens, homelessness, and deteriorating housing. The Action Plan will be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Both public hearings will be held in the Dauphin County Community and Economic Development Office, 3211 North Front Street, Suite 301-C, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. The purpose of this notice and public hearing is to provide citizens with the opportunity to learn about the CDBG and HOME eligible activities and to review and comment upon elements of the program and action plan. Additional information can be obtained by contacting George Connor, Executive Director, Dauphin County Department of Community & Economic Development at 717-780-6250 or via email at <a href="mailto:gconnor@dauphincounty.gov">gconnor@dauphincounty.gov</a>. People who need assistance due to hearing, speech, or vision impairment or limited English proficiency should notify Dauphin County Department of Community & Economic Development at 717-780-6256 (TDD users: Pennsylvania Telecommunications Center: 7-1-1)

Citizen participation is considered to be a key ingredient to the success of the program and is encouraged by the county commissioners. Those unable to attend may send written comments to the Dauphin County Department of Community & Economic Development at the above listed address, no later than May 1, 2025.