

NOTICE OF VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING AND COMMUNITY INPUT PERIOD

The State of Connecticut Department of Housing
Is seeking public input into the development of the State of Connecticut 2023-2024
Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development

A thirty (30) day community input period will begin on *Friday, April 21, 2023* and end on *Monday, May 22, 2023*. The Department of Housing is seeking community input on the Draft 2023-2024 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development. This plan is the fourth annual implementation plan under the 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development (ConPlan). The ConPlan is a five-year strategic plan that governs the administration of federal funding appropriated for housing and community development activities that benefit persons of low- and moderate- income. Such federal funding includes the new Recovery Housing Program (RHP), the National Housing Trust Fund (NHTF), the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Small Cities/Community Development Block Grant (SC/CDBG), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA). The 2020-2024 ConPlan represents approximately \$145 million in federal funding over the five-year period.

The Department of Housing will conduct a VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING on Tuesday, May 2, 2023 beginning at 10:00 AM and ending when all attendees have had an opportunity to provide input and comment. Housing authorities, municipalities, non-profits, advocates and the general public are invited to attend this public meeting and provide input/comment on the Draft State of Connecticut 2023-2024 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development. If you or your organization is interested in participating in the VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING, please send an e-mail to CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov with “*Virtual Public Meeting – 2023-2024 Annual Action Plan*” in the “Subject” line. An E-mail link will be sent to all registered participants using the Microsoft TEAMS application.

DOH will also accept electronic input/comment on the administration of these funds through 5:00 pm on *Monday, May 22, 2023* at CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov. All input and comments received will be taken into consideration in the drafting of the plan. For copies of the 2020-2024 ConPlan and prior year Action Plans, please refer to the Department of Housing’s website, <http://www.ct.gov/doh> under POLICY & RESEARCH, or you may request a copy via email at the above address.

Department of Housing programs are administered in a nondiscriminatory manner, consistent with equal employment opportunities, affirmative action, and fair housing requirements. Questions, concerns, complaints or requests for information in alternative formats must be directed to the Department of Administrative Services - Small Agency Resource Team 860-270-8022.