PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF NEWPORT
2019 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

The City of Newport is preparing a Community Development Block Grant application to undertake the following activities:

1. Public Facility: Provide funding for capital improvements to the Florence Gray Center located at 1 York St.
   Amount: $300,000
2. Public Facility: Provide funding for window replacement at the Boys and Girls Club located at 95 Church St.
   Amount: $80,000
3. Public Facility: Provide funding for Merton Rd for repairs and improvements.
   Amount: $500,000
4. Public Facility: Provide funding for upgrades to the playground on Kingston Ave.
   Amount: $75,000
5. Public Services: Provide funding to support the McKinney Shelter’s provision of services to it’s homeless client residents.
   Amount: $180,000
6. Public Services: Provide funding to support EBCAPs dental program offered to residents of Newport County.
   Amount: $35,000
7. Public Services: Provide funding for the Community Housing Resource Board/Housing Hotline of Newport County to continue to provide emergency housing of homeless persons in motels when no other options are available. The CHRB also provides housing counseling, referral services, and education and outreach to affirmatively further Fair Housing in Newport County.
   Amount: $80,000
8. City Administration
   Amount: $187,500

A Public Hearing before the City Council will be held June 24th 2020 at 6:30pm for the purpose of obtaining citizens' views of the proposed activities. THE MEETING WILL BE HELD REMOTELY IN COMPLIANCE WITH GOVERNOR RAIMONDO’S EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-25-1. Please visit https://www.cityofnewport.com/en-us/i-want-to/view/city-council-agendas-(1) for instructions on how to participate. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired and non-English speaking persons should call TDD number 401-421-7016 seventy-two (72) hours in advance.

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