# **2017 Annual Action Plan**

# City of Yuma and Yuma County HOME Consortium

# City of Yuma

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#### **Note on Formatting**

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires recipients of HOME Investment (HOME), Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funding to submit the Five Year Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan electronically, using an automated tool in a template prescribed by HUD. The following Plan is the downloaded version of that electronic template (with formatting improvements).

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# **Executive Summary**

### **AP-05 Executive Summary - 91.200(c), 91.220(b)**

#### 1. Introduction

As a recipient of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program funds, each year the City of Yuma, Arizona is required to submit an Annual Action Plan (AAP) under Federal Regulations at 24 CFR Part 91. The purpose of the Annual Action Plan is to describe the goals and objectives for the year and outcomes expected to be achieved. Annually, recipients of HUD block grant funds must prepare an Action Plan that details how funds will be spent in the current program year.

The City of Yuma (City) is in the 2nd year of implementation of the City of Yuma 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan. As a CDBG entitlement community, the City will receive \$771,277 in CDBG funds from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for Program Year (PY) 2017. The City expects to receive \$1,000 in Program Income and will reprogram \$130,000 in funds from cancelled projects, projects completed under budget, program income, or repaid funds. These funds will be used to meet the goals and objectives established in the Consolidated Plan. The primary objective for the use of CDBG funds is to improve the living conditions for low- and moderate-income (LMI) people. These funds can only be used within the City of Yuma boundaries.

The newly formed Yuma County HOME Consortium (YCHC) was approved by HUD as a participating jurisdiction to begin receiving HOME Investment Partnership funds from HUD in 2017 and each subsequent year. Previously, these dollars were only available through the State of Arizona in a competitive process. The City of Yuma is the lead entity for the YCHC. The consortium includes Yuma County, City of Somerton, City of San Luis and the Town of Wellton. The consortium will receive \$746,193 in HOME Investment Partnership funds. The primary objective for the use of HOME funds is to create affordable housing for LMI people. These funds can be used throughout Yuma County.

#### 2. Summarize the objectives and outcomes identified in the Plan

This could be a restatement of items or a table listed elsewhere in the plan or a reference to another location. It may also contain any essential items from the housing and homeless needs assessment, the housing market analysis or the strategic plan.

The following goals were developed for the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan, with input from residents and stakeholders on the needs of low income people in Yuma: 1) Create affordable rental housing for very low income people; 2) Rehabilitate homes for LMI households; 3) Create affordable housing in general, including housing for persons who are homeless; 4) Enhance homeownership opportunities and housing counseling; 5) Expand the supply of workers who are trained to fill high-paying jobs; 6) Improve afterschool options for low income children; 7) Improve the quality of low income neighborhoods; 8) Improve transportation options regionally; and 9) Create a more accessible environment for persons with disabilities.

With HOME funding, the YCHC plans to accomplish the following during Program Year 2017-18 (Year 2 of the Consolidated Plan) throughout Yuma County:

- Rehabilitate up to 7 owner-occupied housing units
- Provide homebuyer assistance for 10 households
- Develop up to 3 affordable housing units

Using CDBG, the City of Yuma and its subrecipients plan to accomplish the following within the city:

- Rehabilitate up to 17 homes, including minor or major repairs.
- Provide public services to 153 low-and moderate-income people. This includes abused youth and disabled youth.
- Reach 10,000 people with Fair Housing information, education and counseling.
- Continue Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization, including: code enforcement; neighborhood clean-up campaign; outreach to residents; demolition of vacant, dilapidated residential structures; and infrastructure Improvements.

#### 3. Evaluation of past performance

This is an evaluation of past performance that helped lead the grantee to choose its goals or projects.

At the end of each program year, the City is required to submit a Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Performance Report (CAPER). The CAPER summarizes the accomplishments made that specific year and the progress made towards the goals established in the Consolidated Plan.

The most recent CAPER submitted was for 2015-2016. It shows that a total of 18 owner-occupied and 32 rental housing units were rehabilitated; 2 vacant, dilapidated residential structures were demolished; public services, including foreclosure prevention counseling, GED preparation, financial literacy classes, group counseling for abused youth, and counseling for domestic violence victims were provided to 481 people. Fair housing counseling and outreach was provided to 2,822 people. Improvements were made to one public facility. Code enforcement and neighborhood outreach were provided to low income target areas.

#### 4. Summary of Citizen Participation Process and consultation process

Summary from citizen participation section of plan.

The City of Yuma provided various opportunities for consultation on the Action Plan. Public notices were published in the Yuma Sun in English and in the Bajo el Sol in Spanish, flyers were mailed to approximately 113 organizations and individuals on our mailing list and posted at City Hall and at other public service organizations, and public meetings and hearings were held. A Citizen Advisory Committee reviewed CDBG applications, heard presentations from applicants and provided funding recommendations to be presented to City Council. HOME information was mailed to all known affordable housing providers and published invitation to a HOME Workshop in both newspapers. The YCHC reviewed and evaluated proposals from HOME applicants before making funding determinations. An invitation to final public hearing and request for comments on the draft Action Plan was published in both newspapers.

#### 5. Summary of public comments

This could be a brief narrative summary or reference an attached document from the Citizen Participation section of the Con Plan.

The following two comments were provided at the public hearings concerning needs:

- In January of 2017 a new minimum wage law went into effect, which raised the minimum wage to \$10 per hour. This increase is having an impact on local nonprofit agencies that provide transportation and homecare.
- The local churches are stretched to meet basic needs of the homeless, especially refugees. They are trying to provide things that meet immediate needs such as food and water.

#### 6. Summary of comments or views not accepted and the reasons for not accepting them

Comments received were accepted and taken into consideration when determining which applications to fund.

#### 7. Summary

The 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan addresses goals and objectives outlined in the Consolidated Plan for the use of CDBG and HOME funds. The City's Citizen Participation Plan was followed for both CDBG and HOME and there were several opportunities for the public to provide input. The CDBG Citizen Advisory Committee and members of the Yuma County HOME Consortium were an integral part of the Citizen Participation process.

### PR-05 Lead & Responsible Agencies - 91.200(b)

#### 1. Agency/entity responsible for preparing/administering the Consolidated Plan

The following are the agencies/entities responsible for preparing the Consolidated Plan and those responsible for administration of each grant program and funding source.

Agency Role	Name	Department/Agency
Lead Agency	Yuma, AZ	
CDBG Administrator	Yuma, AZ	Department of Community Development,
		Neighborhood Services Division
HOME Administrator	Yuma, AZ	Department of Community Development,
		Neighborhood Services Division

**Table 1 – Responsible Agencies** 

#### **Narrative**

The lead agency that prepared the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan was the City of Yuma Department of Community Development, Neighborhood Services Division. The division is responsible for the administration of the City's CDBG Program and the Yuma County HOME Consortium's HOME Investment Partnership Program.

#### **Consolidated Plan Public Contact Information**

For questions regarding the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan, 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan, or questions relating to the CDBG or HOME Programs, contact the program administrator. The administrator for the CDBG and HOME Programs is:

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#### AP-10 Consultation - 91.100, 91.200(b), 91.215(l)

#### 1. Introduction

This section describes the consultation efforts undertaken to: 1) Coordinate the development of the annual plan with the efforts of housing providers, social service providers, health care providers and relevant government agencies; 2) Coordinate the development of the annual plan with Continuum of Care efforts; 3) Elicit public input.

The City of Yuma provides several opportunities to gain input from citizens, stakeholders, non-profit agencies, and governmental agencies as part of the Consolidated and Annual Action Plan process. For the 2017 Action Plan, consultation included public hearings, meetings with Consortium members, publications in the English and Spanish newspapers, flyers mailed and emailed to nonprofits and individuals on the CDBG mailing list and Coalition to End Homelessness email list, and flyers posted at City Hall and the Housing Authority.

Provide a concise summary of the jurisdiction's activities to enhance coordination between public and assisted housing providers and private and governmental health, mental health and service agencies (91.215(I)).

The City of Yuma maintains partnerships with several nonprofit organizations and groups to implement Consolidated Plan goals. Until recently, City staff coordinated the Yuma Coalition to End Homelessness (YCEH). In January 2017, ACHIEVE Human services took over this role, but the City still attends meetings and serves on the Strategic Planning committee.

The highest priority for the YCEH is to reduce the number of families with children experiencing homelessness. Now that the Yuma County HOME Consortium is a participating jurisdiction and receives a HOME allocation, City staff has formed a committee that includes homeless and housing service providers to design a new Tenant Based Rental Assistance Program that will help homeless families with children secure permanent housing.

Describe coordination with the Continuum of Care and efforts to address the needs of homeless persons (particularly chronically homeless individuals and families, families with children, veterans, and unaccompanied youth) and persons at risk of homelessness.

Yuma is a member of Arizona Department of Housing's (ADOH) Balance of State Continuum of Care (BOSCOC) and City staff participates in the BOSCOC's planning processes.

The City of Yuma also provides support to homeless service providers though CDBG and HOME allocations. In the past, the City has funded homeless service providers for a variety of activities, including Crossroads Mission and ACHIEVE Human Services, each of which provide programs focused on eliminating chronic homelessness. The City participates in the YCEH, which now meets monthly and serves on the Strategic Planning Committee. The City also assists with each Point-In-Time count.

Describe consultation with the Continuum(s) of Care that serves the jurisdiction's area in determining how to allocate ESG funds, develop performance standards for and evaluate outcomes of projects and activities assisted by ESG funds, and develop funding, policies and procedures for the operation and administration of HMIS

The City does not receive ESG funds.

#### 2. Agencies, groups, organizations and others who participated in the process and consultations

Please see the following table for agencies, groups, committees, and organizations who participated in the process and consultations.

Table 2 – Agencies, groups, organizations who participated

	Agency/Group/Organization	Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG)
		Housing, Services - Housing, Services-Children,
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services – Elderly Persons,
		Services-Fair Housing, Regional Organization
1	What section of the Plan was addressed by	Housing Needs Assessment, Anti-poverty Strategy
Ī	Consultation?	
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	The agency was consulted through attendance at a
	Organization was consulted. What are the	public hearing and staff dialogue.
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or	public flearing and staff dialogue.
	areas for improved coordination?	
	Agency/Group/Organization	ACHIEVE Human Services
	G 7: T. G	ACHIEVE Human Services Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services-
	Agency/Group/Organization Agency/Group/Organization Type	
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services-
2	Agency/Group/Organization Type  What section of the Plan was addressed by	Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services- Employment
2	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services- Employment Housing Needs Assessment, Homeless Needs –
2	Agency/Group/Organization Type  What section of the Plan was addressed by	Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services- Employment Housing Needs Assessment, Homeless Needs – Chronically Homeless, Homelessness Strategy,
2	Agency/Group/Organization Type  What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services- Employment Housing Needs Assessment, Homeless Needs – Chronically Homeless, Homelessness Strategy,
2	Agency/Group/Organization Type  What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?  Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	Housing, Services – Persons with Disabilities, Services- Employment  Housing Needs Assessment, Homeless Needs – Chronically Homeless, Homelessness Strategy, Non-Homeless Special Needs

	Agency/Group/Organization	United Way of Yuma County
		United Way of Yuma County Services - Education
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - Education
	What section of the Plan was addressed by	Anti-poverty Strategy
3	Consultation?	
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	The account was accounted the sounds at the sounds account
	Organization was consulted. What are the	The agency was consulted through attendance at a
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or	public hearing and staff dialogue.
	areas for improved coordination?	Community Logal Comises
	Agency/Group/Organization	Community Legal Services
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Service- Fair Housing
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment
4		
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	The agency was consulted through attendance at a
	Organization was consulted. What are the	The agency was consulted through attendance at a
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or	public hearing and staff dialogue.
	areas for improved coordination?  Agency/Group/Organization	Vuma County InterFaith
		Yuma County InterFaith Services – Homeless
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services – nonleiess
5	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Other – Homeless Needs for Refugees
,	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	
	Organization was consulted. What are the	The agency was consulted through attendance at a
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or	public hearing and staff dialogue.
	areas for improved coordination?	
	Agency/Group/Organization	Yuma Coalition to End Homelessness (YCEH)
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services – Homeless, Planning Organization, Regional
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Organization
		Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless, Homeless
	What section of the Plan was addressed by	Needs – Veterans,
6	Consultation?	Homeless Needs – Unaccompanied youth,
		Homelessness Strategy
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	
	Organization was consulted. What are the	Consultation provided during monthly YCEH meetings.
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or	Consultation provided during monthly rectifinedtings.
	areas for improved coordination?	
	Agency/Group/Organization	Yuma County
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other Government – County
	What section of the Plan was addressed by	Housing Need Assessment
7	Consultation?	Public Housing Needs
1	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	Consultation with Yuma County at Yuma County
	Organization was consulted. What are the	HOME Consortium meetings concerning affordable
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or	housing needs throughout Yuma County.
	areas for improved coordination?	mousing needs throughout runia county.

	Agency/Group/Organization	City of San Luis		
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other Government – Local		
8	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment		
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	Consultation with City of San Luis at Yuma		
	Organization was consulted. What are the	County HOME Consortium meetings		
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas	concerning affordable housing needs		
	for improved coordination?	throughout Yuma County.		
	Agency/Group/Organization	City of Somerton		
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other Government – Local		
9	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment		
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	Consultation with City of Somerton at Yuma		
	Organization was consulted. What are the	County HOME Consortium meetings		
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas	concerning affordable housing needs		
	for improved coordination?	throughout Yuma County.		
	Agency/Group/Organization	Town of Wellton		
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other Government – Local		
10	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment		
	Briefly describe how the Agency/Group/	Consultation with Town of Wellton at Yuma		
	Organization was consulted. What are the	County HOME Consortium meetings		
	anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas	concerning affordable housing needs		
	for improved coordination?	throughout Yuma County.		

#### Identify any Agency Types not consulted and provide rationale for not consulting:

All appropriate agency types were contacted and given the opportunity to provide input on the 2017-2018 Action Plan and to participate in the CDBG and HOME Programs.

#### Other local/regional/state/federal planning efforts considered when preparing the Plan

Name of Plan	Lead Organization	How do the goals of your Strategic Plan overlap with the goals of each plan?
Mesa Heights	City of Yuma	The goals outlined in the Mesa Heights NRSA were
Revitalization		included in the 5-year Strategic Plan. Revitalization of
Strategy Area Plan		Mesa Heights is a top priority for use of CDBG funds.
Analysis of	City of Yuma	Yuma seeks to reduce impediments to fair housing choice
Impediments to Fair		for residents by aligning its fair housing efforts with
Housing Choice		recommendations made in the AI.
Balance of State	AZ Dept of Housing,	The City of Yuma aligned its homeless strategies with the
Continuum of Care	Yuma Coalition to	Balance of State's homeless strategies.
Plan	End Homelessness	

Table 3 – Other local / regional / federal planning efforts

#### Narrative

In accordance with City's Citizen Participation Plan, the City solicited public comments on the 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan. Public hearings and meetings were held at various locations to gather input and seek participation from citizens, nonprofit organizations, and public agencies.

The CDBG Citizens Advisory Committee reviewed applications, heard presentations from applicants and provided recommendations to be made to the Yuma City Council. The Yuma County HOME Consortium reviewed Letters of Intent and had discussions with applicants before determining funding allocations.

### AP-12 Participation - 91.401, 91.105, 91.200(c)

1. Summary of citizen participation process/Efforts made to broaden citizen participation

#### Summarize citizen participation process and how it impacted goal-setting

In order to ensure broad participation, residents were given multiple opportunities to comment on the plan during the development and the draft plan was available for a 14-day comment period (allowed by HUD waiver). Efforts were made to provide accommodations and give opportunities to persons with disabilities and persons with Limited English Proficiency to provide input and comments. Spanish-speaking staff was available to for translation at all meetings. Notices were printed in the Yuma Sun in English and in the Bajo el Sol in Spanish, which is a Spanish-only newspaper. Meetings were held at a time of day that would facilitate the participation of members of the public who work. Notices were mailed to 113 nonprofit organizations, residents and stakeholders that have shown interest in the program. Notices were also emailed to all organizations and agencies involved with the Coalition to End Homelessness.

## **Citizen Participation Outreach**

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
1	Other Direct Mailing	Other  Nonprofit Organizations and other interested stakeholders	Flyers mailed to 113 parties interested in being on the CDBG mailing list and public agencies to post in their facilities. The flyers provided the citizen participation schedule, information on available funding and invitation to participate in the process.	No comments received.	N/A	
2	Newspaper Ad	Non-targeted/ broad community  Non-English Speaking: Spanish	Public Notices announcing the public hearing, Application Workshops and how to provide input and comments.	No comments received.	N/A	

Sort	Mode of	Target of Outreach	Summary of	Summary of	Summary of	URL (If
Order	Outreach		response/attendance	comments received	comments not	applicable)
					accepted and reasons	
3	Public Hearing	Non- targeted/broad community	On 12/12/16 the City held a public hearing to get input on the development of this Action Plan. There were five attendees.	Comments at first public hearing were:  In January of 2017 a new minimum wage law went into effect, which raised	The City accepted all comments received from the public.	
				the minimum wage to \$10 per hour. This increase is having an impact on local nonprofit agencies that provide transportation and homecare.		
				The local churches are stretched to meet basic needs of the homeless, especially refugees. They are trying to provide things that meet immediate needs such as food and water.		

Sort	Mode of	Target of Outreach	Summary of	Summary of	Summary of	URL (If
Order	Outreach		response/attendance	comments received	comments not accepted and reasons	applicable)
4	Newspaper Ad	Non-targeted/	After the City was notified	No comments were	N/A	
		broad community	that the new consortium was	received.		
			approved for 2017-18			
		Non-English	funding, a notice was			
		Speaking- Spanish	published in the Yuma Sun			
			(English) and in the Bajo el Sol			
			(Spanish) on 5/5/17. The ad			
			provided opportunity for			
			comment and was an			
			invitation to a public meeting.			
5	Public Meeting	Non-targeted/	City staff gave an overview	No comments were	N/A	
		broad community	presentation on the Action	received.		
			Plan to include the CDBG and			
			new HOME Program. The			
			meeting was open to the			
			public and televised.			
6	Newspaper Ad	Non-targeted/	Published in the Yuma Sun &	No comments were	N/A	
		broad community	Bajo el Sol (Spanish) on	received.		
			6/30/17. Summary draft AAP,			
		Non-English	invitation to public hearing &			
		Speaking- Spanish	opportunity to give input.			
			Began comment period that			
			ended 7/17/17 (14-day			
			waiver)			
7	Public Hearing	Non-targeted/	A public hearing was held on	No comments were		
		broad community	7/10/17 and provided an	received.		
			opportunity to comment on			
			the draft AAP that included			
			CDBG & HOME. There were			
			no attendees.			

Table 4 – Citizen Participation Outreach

# **Expected Resources**

### AP-15 Expected Resources - 91.420(b), 91.220(c)(1,2)

#### Introduction

In 2017-18 (Year 2 of the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan), the City of Yuma expects to receive level funding from CDBG annual allocations as represented in the table. As a new participating jurisdiction (PJ), the Yuma County HOME Consortium will receive its first allocation in 2017-18 that can be utilized throughout Yuma County.

#### **Anticipated Resources**

Program	Source of	Uses of Funds	Exp	ected Amou	nt Available Yea	Expected	Narrative Description	
	Funds		Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$	Amount Available Remainder of ConPlan \$	
CDBG	Public – federal	Acquisition Admin and Planning Economic Development Housing Public Improvements Public Services	771,277	1,000	130,000	902,277	2,313,831	CDBG funds will be used for housing rehab, code enforcement in target areas, public services, and infrastructure/ facility improvements.
HOME	Public – federal	Acquisition Homebuyer assistance Homeowner rehab New construction for ownership	746,193	0	0	746,193	2,238,579	HOME funds will be used for housing rehabilitation, homebuyer assistance, development of affordable housing.

Table 1 - Expected Resources - Priority Table

Explain how federal funds will leverage those additional resources (private, state and local funds), including a description of how matching requirements will be satisfied

The City of Yuma will leverage a combination of federal, state, local and private funds to address priority needs and specific objectives identified in this Action Plan. The City will provide \$370,812 of General Fund budget to support Neighborhood Services operations. The City will also provide general funds totaling \$94,880 to the Catholic Community Services Safe House for victims of domestic violence, the Crossroads Mission detox program, and Amberly's Place Victims Advocacy Center for program operations.

HOME Match Requirements – For 2017-18, the YCHC received a 100% match reduction. This means that HUD waived 100% of the match requirements this year for the YCHC. Subrecipients are encouraged to provide matching funds, despite the waiver. Any match that is provided for HOME projects in 2017-18 will be "banked" for a future year.

If appropriate, describe publically owned land or property located within the jurisdiction that may be used to address the needs identified in the plan

In PY 2016-2017 the City provided land for a 58-unit Low Income Housing Tax Credit Project in the Mesa Heights Neighborhood. Construction on the project will begin in July 2017 and will be completed by July 2018.

#### **Discussion**

The City continuously explores new grant opportunities, partnerships and private investment to supplement HOME and CDBG funds to address the needs outlined in the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan and to continue revitalization efforts in the Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization area.

# **Annual Goals and Objectives**

# AP-20 Annual Goals and Objectives - 91.420, 91.220(c)(3)&(e) Goals Summary Information

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Sort	<b>Goal Name</b>	Start	End	Category	Geographic Area	Needs	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
Order		Year	Year			Addressed		
1	Housing Rehab	2016	2020	Affordable		Housing	CDBG - \$342,000	Homeowner Housing Rehabilitated –
				Housing		Priorities	HOME - \$341,574	24 Households Units
2	Code	2016	2020	Non-Housing	Mesa Heights Carver	Neighborhood	CDBG - \$51,000	Housing code Enforcement/
	Enforcement			Community	Park, Yuma High	& Community		Foreclosed Property Care – 4,640
				Development	Neighborhoods	Development		Household Units
3	Demolition	2016	2020	Non-Housing	Mesa Heights,	Neighborhood	CDBG - \$10,000	Buildings Demolished – 1 Buildings
	Program			Community	Carver Park, Yuma	& Community		
ı				Development	High Neighborhoods	Development		
4	Acquisition	2016	2020	Affordable	Mesa Heights	Neighborhood	CDBG - \$10,000	Homeowner Housing Added -1
	Rehab/ Resale			Housing		& Community		Household Housing Unit
						Development		
5	Public Facility	2016	2020	Non-Housing	Mesa Heights	Neighborhood	CDBG - \$261,022	Public Facility or Infrastructure
	Improvements			Community		& Community		Activities other than LMI Housing
				Development		Development		Benefit – 4,770 Persons Assisted
6	Public Services -	2016	2020	Other		Neighborhood	CDBG - \$54,000	Public Service Activities other than
	Citywide					& Community		Low/Moderate Income Housing
						Development		Benefit 153 Persons Assisted
7	Mesa Heights	2016	2020	Other	Mesa Heights	Neighborhood	CDBG - \$20,000	Public Service Activities other than
I	Public Services					& Community		Low/Moderate Income Housing
						Development		Benefit 4,770 Persons Assisted
8	Housing & Public	2016	2020	Affordable		Housing	HOME - \$330,000	Direct Financial Assistance to
	Facilities			Housing		Priorities		Homebuyers –
								10 Households Assisted
								3 Homeowner Housing Added
9	Planning &	2016	2020	Other		N/A	CDBG - \$154,255	N/A
ĺ	Admin						HOME - \$74,619	
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**Table 2 – Goals Summary** 

#### **Goal Descriptions**

1	Goal Name	Housing Rehab
	Goal	Continue housing rehabilitation for low income households.
	Description	
2	Goal Name	Code Enforcement (including rental inspection)
	Goal	Continue to improve the quality of neighborhoods with low income concentrations by
	Description	providing a Code Enforcement/Rental Inspection Program.
3	<b>Goal Name</b>	Demolition Program
	Goal	Continue to improve the quality of neighborhoods with low income concentrations
	Description	with activities that will improve these neighborhoods, including a program to
		demolish vacant, dilapidated, unsafe buildings.
4	Goal Name	Acquisition Rehab/Resale
	Goal	Increase the supply of affordable housing in general, including housing for persons
	Description	who are homeless.
5	Goal Name	Public Facility Improvements
	Goal	Continue to improve the quality of neighborhoods with low income concentrations
	Description	through neighborhood revitalization.
6	Goal Name	Public Services - Citywide
	Goal	Provide needed services for low income people throughout the City. Enhance
	Description	homeonwerhip opportunities and housing counseling. Improve afterschool options for
		low income children.
7	Goal Name	Mesa Heights Public Services
	Goal	Continue to improve the quality of neighborhoods with low income concentrations.
	Description	
8	Goal Name	Housing & Public Facilities
	Goal	Increase the supply of affordable housing in general, including housing for persons
	Description	who are homeless.
9	Goal Name	Planning & Administration
	Goal	Administer the CDBG and HOME Programs compliant with all regulations.
	Description	

Estimate the number of extremely low-income, low-income, and moderate-income families to whom the jurisdiction will provide affordable housing as defined by HOME 91.215(b)

Housing Rehab: Extremely low (0-30% AMI) – 6 families, Very low (31-50% AMI) – 9 families, and

Moderate income (51-80% AMI) – 7 families

Homebuyer Assistance: Moderate income (51-80% AMI) - 10 families

Affordable Housing Development: Moderate income (51-80% AMI) - 3 families

### AP-35 Projects - 91.420, 91.220(d)

#### Introduction

This section specifically identifies the projects that the City of Yuma and the HOME Consortium will undertake this year with CDBG and HOME funds.

The City's CDBG allocation for Program Year 2017-18 is \$771,277, estimated program income is \$1,000 and reallocated funds is \$130,000 for a total of \$902,277. Any CDBG program income collected will be reported and reallocated to CDBG eligible activities.

The Yuma County HOME Consortium will receive its first allocation in the amount of \$746,193. The required CHDO set-aside is \$111,929, however the YCHC is budgeting \$140,000 towards CHDO set-aside projects. Because it's the first year of being a participating jurisdiction of the HOME Program, no program income is expected.

#	Project Name
1	Housing Rehabilitation
2	Code Enforcement/Rental Inspection
3	Demolition Program
4	Acquisition/Rehabilitation
5	Mesa Heights Infrastructure
6	Mesa Heights Outreach
7	Youth Empowerment Program
8	Building Sustainable Homeowners (Housing Counseling)
9	Home Delivered Meals
10	REAL Program for Blind Children
11	CDBG Planning & Administration
12	Fair Housing
13	Housing Rehabilitation Countywide
14	Homebuyer Assistance
15	Affordable Housing Development (CHDO Set-Aside)
16	Affordable Housing for Resale
17	HOME Planning & Administration
18	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Cleanup

**Table 3 – Project Information** 

#### Describe the reasons for allocation priorities and any obstacles to addressing underserved needs

The allocation priorities are outlined in the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan and are being implemented in the 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan. These allocation priorities were developed with input by citizens, local public agencies, and nonprofit organizations based on what their clients are experiencing. The City of Yuma and the YCHC are committed to meeting the underserved needs in the community. The primary obstacle to meeting underserved needs are insufficient funding for housing and non-housing activities. Requests for funding are much more than the amount of funds available. Other obstacles are the high costs of rental housing, increasing mortgage interest rates, and other factors contributing to the lack of safe, decent and affordable housing, especially for very low income people. The City will continue to pursue other resources to meet underserved needs and will support funding applications for resources sought by other agencies.

# **AP-38 Project Summary**

## **Project Summary Information**

Table 3 – Project Summary

1	Project Name	Housing Rehabilitation
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Housing Rehab
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$342,000
	Description	The City of Yuma will administer an Owner-Occupied Housing Rehabilitation Program, including the Priority Home Repair and Home Improvement Loan Programs. National objective - LMH.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	17 low income families
	<b>Location Description</b>	City of Yuma limits, with priority given in the Mesa Heights Neighborhood.
	Planned Activities	Owner-occupied housing rehabilitation, including reconstruction.
2	Project Name	Code Enforcement/Rental Inspection
	Target Area	Yuma High Neighborhood, Mesa Heights, Carver Park Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Code Enforcement (including Rental Inspection)
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$51,000
	Description	The City of Yuma will administer a proactive Code Enforcement/Rental Inspection Program in three target areas. National objective - LMA
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	4,440 households will benefit. All three target neighborhoods have more than 51% LMI people.
	Location Description	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area has over 70% LMI, Carver Park has approximately 75% LMI and Yuma High has approximately 58% LMI.
	Planned Activities	The Program will address code violations throughout target areas and will inspect rental units to ensure compliance with City codes.

3	Project Name	Demolition Program
	Target Area	Yuma High Neighborhood, Mesa Heights, Carver Park Neighborhood
	Goals Supported	Demolition Program
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$10,000
	Description	The City will administer a voluntary demolition program for vacant, extremely dilapidated structures in the Mesa Heights, Carver Park and Yuma High Neighborhoods. National Objective – SBS
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1 unit will be demolished, which will reduce crime and improve safety for all area residents.
	Location Description	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area has over 70% LMI, Carver Park has approximately 75% LMI and Yuma High has approximately 58% LMI.
	Planned Activities	The City will continue to administer a Voluntary Demolition Program. Property owners must apply and may be required to share the cost of the demolition depending on income status.
4	Project Name	Acquisition/Rehabilitation
	Target Area	Mesa Heights
	Goals Supported	Housing & Public Facilities
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$10,000
	Description	The City of Yuma will acquire property to rehabilitate for affordable housing. National Objective - LMH
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1 unit for a low income family.
	Location Description	Mesa Heights NRSA has over 70% low and moderate income people.
	Planned Activities	The City of Yuma will acquire a vacant home, rehabilitate it, and sell it to a LMI family at a cost that is affordable to them.

5	Project Name	Mesa Heights Infrastructure Improvements
	Target Area	Mesa Heights
	Goals Supported	Public Facility Improvements
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$261,022
	Description	The City of Yuma will improve the infrastructure in the Mesa Heights NRSA. National Objective – LMA
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	The population of the Mesa Heights Neighborhood is 4,770, which is the number people that will benefit from the improvements
	Location Description	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area is an older neighborhood with over 70% LMI.
	Planned Activities	The City of Yuma will make improvements to the Joe Henry Optimist Center facility, make pedestrian improvements on Arizona Avenue and begin preliminary planning of sewer infrastructure improvements on Harvard Street as funding allows.
6	Project Name	Mesa Heights Outreach
	Target Area	Mesa Heights
	Goals Supported	Mesa Heights Public Services
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$12,000
	Description	The City will provide outreach to residents of the Mesa Heights Neighborhood. National Objective is LMA.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	The area has 1,582 households that will benefit from these services.
	<b>Location Description</b>	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area is an older neighborhood with over 70% LMI.
	Planned Activities	The City will engage residents and the business community in revitalization efforts and inform residents of services available through monthly and annual neighborhood events. Staff will create a small business association and other planning committees.
7	Project Name	Youth Empowerment Program
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Public Services Citywide

	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$10,000
	Description	Peer support group counseling and advocacy support to victims of child abuse. Natl Obj LMC-presumed
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	100 victims of child abuse that are ages 3 to 17.
	Location Description	2197 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 2
	Planned Activities	Healing Journey will provide peer support group counseling and advocacy support to victims of child abuse that will give them the tools to deal with anger from being abused and show them how to be empowered.
8	Project Name	Building Sustainable Homeowners (Housing Counseling)
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Public Services Citywide
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$20,000
	Description	WACOG will provide a housing counseling program. National objective is LMC.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	20 low income families.
	<b>Location Description</b>	1235 S. Redondo Center Drive, Yuma and other locations within the city.
	Planned Activities	WACOG will provide various forms of housing counseling, including: pre-purchase and post-purchase, foreclosure prevention, and reverse mortgage counseling.
9	Project Name	Home Delivered Meals
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Public Services Citywide
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$9,000
	Description	Funds will support the Meals on Wheels program in Yuma. National Objective – LMC
	Target Date	6/30/2018

	Estimate the number and type	8 elderly people.
	of families that will benefit from	
	the proposed activities	
	Location Description	Citywide
	Planned Activities	Catholic Community Services will add 8 more people to their home delivered meal service for the elderly.
10	Project Name	REAL Program for Blind Children
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Public Services Citywide
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$15,000
	Description	Training will be provided to improve life skills to live confidently as a blind person. National Objective - LMC
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	25 blind children aged 5 through 18 and their families
	<b>Location Description</b>	3795 W. 22 <sup>nd</sup> Lane, Suite B, Yuma, AZ
	Planned Activities	Southern AZ Association for the Visually Impaired (SAAVI) will provide the Reaching Empowerment through
		Achievement & Learning Program (REAL). This program will educate children on how to advocate as a blind
		student and participate in the community with improved life skills.
11	Project Name	CDBG Program Administration
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Planning and Administration
	Needs Addressed	
	Funding	CDBG: \$138,255
	Description	2017-2018 Program Administration of CDBG and HOME activities
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Not applicable.
	<b>Location Description</b>	County wide
	Planned Activities	Administration of the 2017-18 CDBG Program (including Fair Housing Activities in Project #12)

12	Project Name	Fair Housing
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Planning & Administration
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$16,000
	Description	Administer a Fair Housing program within the city of Yuma. National Objective – N/A Pln/Adm
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Approximately 10,000 people will be provided information on Fair Housing.
	Location Description	Citywide
	Planned Activities	WACOG and the City of Yuma will provide outreach, education, presentations and Fair Housing Counseling at various venues throughout the City of Yuma.
13	Project Name	Housing Rehabilitation (Countywide)
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Housing Rehab
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	HOME: \$341,574
	Description	Owner-occupied Rehabilitation Program throughout Yuma County.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	7 low income families.
	Location Description	Countywide.
	Planned Activities	The City of Yuma will rehabilitate or reconstruct 4 owner-occupied homes within the city of Yuma and Campesinos Sin Fronteras will rehabilitate or reconstruct 3 within Yuma County.

14	Project Name	Homebuyer Assistance
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Housing & Public Facilities
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	HOME: \$120,000
	Description	Direct Homebuyer Assistance including but not limited to down payment assistance, closing costs, principal
		reduction, and gap financing to low-income families.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	10 low income families
	Location Description	Countywide
Planned Activities Comite de Bien Estar will provide direct down payment and/or closing cost assistance		Comite de Bien Estar will provide direct down payment and/or closing cost assistance to 10 families.
15	Project Name	Affordable Housing Development (CHDO Set-Aside)
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Acquisition Rehab/Resale
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	HOME: \$140,000
	Description	CHDO(s) will develop at least 2 affordable homes that will be sold to low-and moderate-income families.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	2 low income families
	Location Description	Countywide
	Planned Activities	A CHDO will develop either two new or acquire and rehabilitate 2 homes to be sold to LMI families at affordable prices.

16	Project Name	Affordable Housing for Resale
	Target Area	Mesa Heights
	Goals Supported	Housing & Public Facilities
	Needs Addressed	Housing Priorities
	Funding	HOME: \$70,000
	Description	Housing America Corporation will develop 1 affordable home that will be sold to a low-and moderate income family.
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	1 moderate income family.
	Location Description	Countywide
	Planned Activities	Housing America Corporation will develop at least one new or acquire and rehabilitate one home to be sold to a LMI family at an affordable price.
17	Project Name	HOME Planning & Administration
	Target Area	
	Goals Supported	Planning and Administration
	Needs Addressed	
	Funding	HOME: \$74,619
	Description	Administer 2017-18 HOME Program and activities
	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	Not applicable.
	Location Description	Countywide
	Planned Activities	The City of Yuma, as the Lead Agency will administer the 2017-18 HOME program on behalf of the YCHC that includes the City of Yuma, Yuma County, City of Somerton, City of San Luis, and Town of Wellton.

18	Project Name	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Cleanup
	Target Area	Mesa Heights
	Goals Supported	Mesa Heights Public Services
	Needs Addressed	Neighborhood & Community Development Priorities
	Funding	CDBG: \$8,000
	Description	Cleanup of Mesa Heights Neighborhood to improve safety, appearance and perception of the area.
ļ	Target Date	6/30/2018
	Estimate the number and type of families that will benefit from the proposed activities	The area has 1,582 households that will benefit from these services.
	Location Description	Mesa Heights Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area is an older neighborhood with over 70% LMI.
	Planned Activities	The City will use funding to clean up the alleyways, provide dumpsters for the removal of large junk and debris, and assist with the removal of abandoned vehicles.

#### AP-50 Geographic Distribution - 91.420, 91.220(f)

Description of the geographic areas of the entitlement (including areas of low-income and minority concentration) where assistance will be directed

CDBG Resources – The service area for CDBG funding is within the city of Yuma limits. The Mesa Heights Neighborhood is a HUD-designated Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area (NRSA). Therefore it is a priority area for the use of CDBG funds. The Mesa Heights Neighborhood has a 70% low-and moderate-income population. Although the Mesa Heights Neighborhood is priority, activities are still taking place in the Carver Park Neighborhood with a 75% LMI population and Yuma High Neighborhood that has a 58% LMI population.

HOME Resources - The service area for the Yuma County HOME Consortium 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan is all of Yuma County, and includes the HOME Consortium members of City of Yuma, Yuma County, City of Somerton, City of San Luis, and the Town of Wellton.

Yuma County HOME Consortium resources are allocated based on funding proposals and geographic distribution is a contributing factor when making funding decisions. Decisions are also based on priority needs, the readiness of a project to proceed and the capacity of an organization to successfully complete HOME projects.

#### **Geographic Distribution**

Target Area	Percentage of Funds
Mesa Heights Neighborhood	62%
Carver Park Neighborhood	7%
Yuma High Neighborhood	7%

**Table 5 - Geographic Distribution** 

#### Rationale for the priorities for allocating investments geographically

The City of Yuma is focusing efforts in areas that have high percentages of low-and-moderate income people. For several years, the City focused efforts in the Carver Park and Yuma High Neighborhoods. The Mesa Heights Neighborhood was designated by the City and approved by HUD as a Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area. The area has a 70% LMI population, an older housing stock, a need for infrastructure improvements, and 60% of the homes are rentals. Over the next four to five years, this area will remain the priority.

#### Discussion

Please see discussion above.

# **Affordable Housing**

### AP-55 Affordable Housing - 91.420, 91.220(g)

#### Introduction

This section outlines the one-year Annual Action Plan Affordable Housing goals for 2017-2018, year two of the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan. The tables below outline the numbers of households supported and the number of affordable housing units that will be provided by program type. This table is inclusive of HOME, CDBG, and the City and County's Public Housing Agencies' affordable housing goals.

Please see the AP-35 Projects section to view a detailed description of the projects.

One Year Goals for the Number of Housel	holds to be Supported
Homeless	66
Non-Homeless	1,971
Special-Needs	0
Total	2,037

Table 6 - One Year Goals for Affordable Housing by Support Requirement

One Year Goals for the Number of Households Supported Through	
Rental Assistance	1,999
The Production of New Units	10
Rehab of Existing Units	24
Acquisition of Existing Units	4
Total	2,037

Table 7 - One Year Goals for Affordable Housing by Support Type

#### **Discussion**

The City and the YCHC will undertake the following affordable housing activities:

- Housing Rehabilitation for low-and moderate-income (LMI) homeowners
- Down Payment Assistance and/or closing costs for LMI homebuyers
- Acquisition and Rehabilitation for Home Ownership

The Housing Authority of the City of Yuma and the Yuma County Housing Department will continue to provide public housing and Housing Choice Vouchers for low income renters.

#### **AP-60 Public Housing - 91.420, 91.220(h)**

#### Introduction

This section summarizes the activities of the Housing Authority of the City of Yuma (HACY) and the Yuma County Housing Department that will support the Action Plan programs during Program Year 2017.

#### Actions planned during the next year to address the needs to public housing

During Program Year 2017, HACY and the Yuma County Housing Department will continue to provide affordable rental housing to low income families in the city of Yuma and Yuma County, continue Self Sufficiency programs and continue to build strong relationships with landlords who accept Section 8 vouchers--all cornerstones of a successful PHA.

HACY manages 235 Public Housing rental units throughout the city. All the PH units will convert to the Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) Program, effective this Fiscal Year. In addition, HACY is administering 1,204 Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers of which 66 are Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing Program (VASH) vouchers for homeless veterans that also receive case management and clinical services provided by the VA.

The Yuma County Housing Department manages 159 public housing units in non-incorporated Yuma County, Somerton, and San Luis. They also administer 401 Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers.

# Actions to encourage public housing residents to become more involved in management and participate in homeownership

HACY offers its clients a Family Self Sufficiency program to assist them with education, employment and training, as well as homeownership. There are currently 298 families enrolled in this program. On average, through the program, 8 residents become homeowners each year.

The Yuma County Housing Department also offers a Family Self Sufficiency Program and currently has 254 families enrolled. On average, 10 residents graduate and 6 of them become homeowners each year.

# If the PHA is designated as troubled, describe the manner in which financial assistance will be provided or other assistance

Not applicable. Neither HACY nor the Yuma County Housing Department are designated as a "troubled" PHA. Both are designated as "high performing."

#### **Discussion**

Transportation is the weakest link in accessing opportunity. Residents of low income neighborhoods can take public transportation to the community colleges, but it is time consuming. Single mothers have some of the greatest challenges in obtaining training and education because of child care needs. HACY will continue to explore solutions to transportation challenges and ensure that affordable housing is available in many areas of the city.

#### AP-65 Homeless and Other Special Needs Activities - 91.420, 91.220(i)

#### Introduction

The City of Yuma is an active participant in the local Continuum of Care (CoC), operating in alignment with the Arizona Balance of State Continuum of Care (BOSCoC) established to implement strategies to end homelessness. Although the City does not receive ESG funds, it invests financial and staff resources to address the following housing priorities stated in the City of Yuma's 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan and Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice:

- Housing for persons transitioning out of homelessness
- Homeless persons experiencing chronic homelessness; homeless families
- Special needs populations including: persons with substance abuse and alcohol challenges; victims of domestic violence; persons with mental illness; and veterans.

Describe the jurisdictions one-year goals and actions for reducing and ending homelessness including: Reaching out to homeless persons (especially unsheltered persons) and assessing their individual needs

The City will assist the Yuma Coalition to End Homelessness (YCEH), the local CoC with outreach activities. Currently, there are three local agencies assisting unsheltered individuals by providing basic needs and information on community resources. The City in collaboration with the YCEH leader execute strategies stated in the Arizona BOSCoC's Strategic Action Plan, to include the coordination of the annual Point-In-Time (PIT) Count, an unduplicated count of sheltered and unsheltered homeless individuals and families in the community. YCEH Actions include: recruit and train volunteers, establish protocols for distribution and collection of surveys, and implement deployment plan to conduct surveys. The City and the YCEH are currently identifying the needs of the homeless population in Yuma by conducting a survey, analyzing data, and evaluating community resources. The survey will help to identify the most common instances and barriers of homelessness, document community assets, identify gaps, and develop a strategic plan that will serve as a tool to overcome homelessness.

#### Addressing the emergency shelter and transitional housing needs of homeless persons

The City continues to serve the health and welfare of homeless persons by providing General Funds to agencies that provide emergency shelter and other services. Funded agencies include: Crossroads Mission Detox Program, which offers a detox program to persons with substance abuse; Catholic Community Services - Safe House (emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence); and, Amberly's Place, a victim advocacy center with a crisis response team to assist victims of domestic violence, child abuse, adult sexual assault, and elder abuse.

Helping homeless persons (especially chronically homeless individuals and families, families with children, veterans and their families, and unaccompanied youth) make the transition to permanent housing and independent living, including shortening the period of time that individuals and families experience homelessness, facilitating access for homeless individuals and families to affordable housing units, and preventing individuals and families who were recently homeless from becoming homeless again

The YCEH is comprised of agencies committed to the eradication and prevention of homelessness. Collaborating agencies include: ACHIEVE Human Services, National Community Health Partners (NCHP),

Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG), City of Yuma Housing Authority (HACY), and others following HUD's Housing First model. These agencies provide permanent and rapid re-housing, housing assistance (rent, utility, and deposits), housing vouchers for veterans, case management, health services, education/vocational goals, financial education and planning, and implementing local and state strategies. In May 2017, the Yuma Coalition to End Homelessness created the YCEH Coordinated Entry Procedures, a formal service and referral process that increases the efficiency of the homeless response system by simplifying access to housing and services for people experiencing homelessness; prioritizing housing assistance based on need; and connecting households to the appropriate housing intervention. One of the highest priorities for the YCEH is to reduce the number of families with children experiencing homelessness. Now that the YCHC is a participating jurisdiction and receives a HOME allocation, City staff formed a committee with homeless and housing service providers to design a Tenant Based Rental Assistance Program that will help homeless families with children obtain permanent housing. City staff will continue to participate in YCEH's meetings and serve on the Strategic Planning Committee to provide input and ensure housing priorities are accomplished.

Helping low-income individuals and families avoid becoming homeless, especially extremely low-income individuals and families and those who are: being discharged from publicly funded institutions and systems of care (such as health care facilities, mental health facilities, foster care and other youth facilities, and corrections programs and institutions); or, receiving assistance from public or private agencies that address housing, health, social services, employment, education, or youth needs.

This year, the City will provide CDBG for the following programs aimed to prevent homelessness:

- WACOG's Building Sustainable Homeowners Program, housing counseling services for eligible homeowners at risk of foreclosure and preventing homelessness with case management, as well as pre-purchase homebuyer education and counseling.
- Catholic Community Services' Meals on Wheels program, which delivers meals to low- and very low income elderly people.

The City of Yuma provides funding to assist with water utility payments for low income families. The program is administered by WACOG. Other agencies such as the Salvation Army provide rental and utility assistance. The YCEH is putting together a list of felony friendly employers. The City will continue to participate on YCEH committees and encourage representatives of other sectors to participate.

#### Discussion

Through implementation of the YCEH's Strategic Plan and City of Yuma's Consolidated Plan and Analysis of Impediments goals, the community will continue to strive to transition individuals and families from homelessness into stable and affordable housing.

#### AP-75 Barriers to affordable housing - 91.420, 91.220(j)

#### Introduction

As noted in the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan Gaps Analysis there is a shortage of approximately 1,800 units with rents of \$400 and less per month, serving renters earning \$25,000 per year or less. Most of these renters are not homeless. The renters who cannot find affordably priced rentals are living in units that cost more than they can afford and are cost burdened. The City and the YCHC will support the development of Low Income Housing Tax Credit projects proposed for the community.

Results from the Consolidated Plan Resident Survey showed that 26% of the respondents said they could not afford the down payment to purchase a home and 18% said that student loan/other debt was too high. One of the activities being funded by CDBG is Housing Counseling, which includes pre-purchase guidance to prepare people for homeownership and a post-purchase component to make sure they maintain homeownership.

Actions it planned to remove or ameliorate the negative effects of public policies that serve as barriers to affordable housing such as land use controls, tax policies affecting land, zoning ordinances, building codes, fees and charges, growth limitations, and policies affecting the return on residential investment

An update to the City's Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice (AI) was conducted last year as part of the Consolidated Plan. The analysis did not find negative effects of City of Yuma public policies on affordable housing and residential investment. The study did identify several public sector contributing factors that affect housing choice including the State of Arizona Qualified Allocation Plan (QAP); lack of public transportation in Yuma and the region; and lack of resources to make older parts of Yuma accessible, expand afterschool programming and assist persons with disabilities transition out of institutional care.

#### **Discussion**

See responses above and the proposed projects described in Section AP-38.

#### AP-85 Other Actions - 91.420, 91.220(k)

#### Introduction

This section describes additional actions the City of Yuma will take to address housing and community development needs.

#### Actions planned to address obstacles to meeting underserved needs

Lack of resources to address the many needs of Yuma residents is the primary obstacle throughout Yuma County. Solutions to some of these needs--development of accessible public infrastructure, expanded transit options--are very costly. During the Consolidated Plan period, the City of Yuma will continue to nurture effective partnerships to leverage resources; encourage the State of Arizona to amend the QAP to reduce the emphasis on public transit (putting rural and semi-rural communities at a competitive disadvantage); and continue to seek new resources. Forming the Yuma County HOME

Consortium and becoming a HOME Participating Jurisdiction will help to make progress in creating and maintaining affordable housing throughout Yuma County.

#### Actions planned to foster and maintain affordable housing

Please see above. The City will also support creation and maintenance of affordable housing through its NRSA investments and home rehabilitation program.

#### Actions planned to reduce lead-based paint hazards

The City of Yuma has relatively new housing stock in most of its residential areas. However, lead-based paint hazards are likely to exist in older parts of the city and throughout Yuma County. These neighborhoods are targeted for housing condition improvement and redevelopment. Lead-based paint hazards will be mitigated through CDBG and HOME-funded housing rehabilitation. If lead paint exists, it will be removed by EPA/LBP certified contractors. Two Neighborhood Services staff members that oversee the Housing Rehabilitation Program are EPA Lead-Base Paint Certified Supervisors. In addition, the City will provide notices about the hazards and risks of lead-based paint in English and Spanish to all program participants.

#### Actions planned to reduce the number of poverty-level families

The City of Yuma's housing and community development programs and activities are dedicated to improving housing and neighborhood conditions of low- and moderate-income residents and special needs populations. The City, in collaboration with members of the HOME Consortium and other agencies will continue to combine resources to assist individuals and families with obtaining the tools to overcome poverty and become self-sufficient. Ongoing efforts will include:

Housing Counseling. As part of the Building Sustainable Homeowners Program, WACOG will include a financial literacy component, which includes subjects, such as: budgeting, handling debt, improving credit, savings and the different kinds of accounts, and the difference between fixed and flexible expenses.

GED and Job Preparation. The City will encourage nonprofit organizations to provide GED Preparation classes and one-on-one job preparation training to those seeking employment.

Redevelopment. Through the tools offered by redevelopment, the City will continue to revitalize commercial, industrial, and residential neighborhoods to improve residents' access to opportunity.

#### Actions planned to develop institutional structure

The City of Yuma has well-developed partnerships with nonprofit housing providers, including the HACY, economic development organizations and social service agencies. Staff will continue to facilitate these partnerships and collaborate with partners to deliver programs to address housing needs.

The newly formed Yuma County HOME Consortium has created a partnership between the City of Yuma, Yuma County, City of Somerton, City of San Luis, and Town of Wellton. As the Lead Entity, the City is

learning about the housing resources throughout Yuma County and will be creating collaborations with nonprofit housing developers that serve these areas.

# Actions planned to enhance coordination between public and private housing and social service agencies

The City draws on public and private agencies as resources or partners for housing and community development programs and to better serve the low-income community. These partnering agencies include, but are not limited to: area schools, the Housing Authority of the City of Yuma, local homeless providers, local nonprofit organizations, mortgage lenders, construction companies, service providers and affordable housing developers.

The City participates in the Yuma Coalition to End Homelessness. Their goal is to find ways to reduce the number of families with children experiencing homelessness. City staff has formed a committee that includes homeless and housing service providers to design a Tenant Based Rental Assistance Program help homeless families with children secure permanent housing.

# Program Specific Requirements AP-90 Program Specific Requirements - 91.420, 91.220(I)(1,2,4)

#### Introduction

In Program Year 2015 the City received a repayment of \$18,823.11 from a Subrecipient. These funds were returned to the City's CDBG line of credit. The use of these funds had not been included in a previous Action Plan, however are being programmed into eligible activities in this Action Plan. The City does not intent to spend any CDBG funds on urgent need activities.

#### **Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG)**

#### Reference 24 CFR 91.220(I)(1)

Projects planned with all CDBG funds expected to be available during the year are identified in the Projects Table. The following identifies program income that is available for use that is included in projects to be carried out.

1. The total amount of program income that will have been received before		
the start of the next program year and that has not yet been reprogrammed		
2. The amount of proceeds from section 108 loan guarantees that will be		
used during the year to address the priority needs and specific objectives	0	
identified in the grantee's strategic plan		
3. The amount of surplus funds from urban renewal settlements	0	
4. The amount of any grant funds returned to the line of credit for which the	18,823.11	
planned use has not been included in a prior statement or plan.	10,023.11	
5. The amount of income from float-funded activities	0	
Total Program Income	18,823.11	
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#### **Other CDBG Requirements**

1. The amount of urgent need activities

0

2. The estimated percentage of CDBG funds that will be used for activities that benefit persons of low and moderate income

98.4%

Overall Benefit - A consecutive period of one, two or three years may be used to determine that a minimum overall benefit of 70% of CDBG funds is used to benefit persons of low and moderate income. Specify the years covered that include this Annual Action Plan.

# HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME) Reference 24 CFR 91.220(I)(2)

1. A description of other forms of investment being used beyond those identified in Section 92.205 is as follows:

The Yuma County HOME Consortium does not use forms of investment not described in 92.205(b).

2. A description of the guidelines that will be used for resale or recapture of HOME funds when used for homebuyer activities as required in 92.254, is as follows:

The YCHC uses **Recapture Provisions** when HOME funds are provided to a homebuyer. YCHC will recapture the entire amount of direct HOME subsidy provided to the homebuyer. YCHC will require subrecipients, CHDO's, and other entities to utilize the recapture provision as outlined here. The HOME assistance enables the homebuyer to purchase the unit at an affordable cost. The loan includes any assistance that reduces the purchase price from fair market value to an affordable cost. If HOME funds are used for the cost of developing a property and the unit is sold below fair market value, the difference between the fair market value and the purchase price is considered to be directly attributable to the HOME funding.

The Recapture approach requires YCHC funds to be repaid from the net proceeds of the sale. Under the Recapture provision, if the homebuyer transfers the property, voluntarily or involuntarily, YCHC will recapture only HOME funds that were used as a direct subsidy to the homebuyer for the purchase of the property. The direct subsidy can only be recaptured from the "net proceeds" of the sale of the property. The "net proceeds" shall be defined as sales price minus superior loan repayment (other than HOME funds) and any closing costs. YCHC will not recapture more than what is available from the "net proceeds" of the sale of the property. The YCHC will not require repayment of anything other than the funds available through the net proceeds.

The recapture provisions will be enforced through an upfront agreement with the homebuyer and through a recorded Deed of Trust and a Promissory Note. The amount of the note and deed of trust includes:

- Any HOME funds provided to the buyer at the time of purchase (down payment, closing cost or housing rehabilitation) to assist with the purchase, whether provided directly by the program administrator or by the developer using funds provided by the program; and
- Any reduction in the purchase price from fair market value to an affordable purchase price.
- 3. A description of the guidelines for resale or recapture that ensures the affordability of units acquired with HOME funds? See 24 CFR 92.254(a)(4) are as follows:

The YCHC will use the following in determining the Period of Affordability for the Recapture provisions of homebuyer activities:

Total HOME Investment in Unit period of Affordability:

HOME Assistance Number of Years

Under \$15,000 10
Between \$15,000 - \$40,000 15
Over \$40,000 20

Direct HOME Subsidy in Unit Period of Affordability:

HOME Assistance Number of Years

 Under \$15,000
 10

 Between \$15,000 - \$40,000
 15

 Over \$40,000
 20

YCHC will use the recapture provisions as outlined in Number 2 above to enforce the period of affordability for homebuyers. All written agreements with the homebuyers will outline the period of affordability, principal residence requirement, and the recapture provision that will be used to ensure the period of affordability. The YCHC will secure all HOME investments with proper security instruments, such as promissory notes, and deeds of trust placed upon the property to ensure the period of affordability.

When the period of affordability has been satisfied by the homebuyer, they shall be entitled to all "net proceeds" for the sale of the property and/or will no longer be obligated to use the property as their principal residence.

4. Plans for using HOME funds to refinance existing debt secured by multifamily housing that is rehabilitated with HOME funds along with a description of the refinancing guidelines required that will be used under 24 CFR 92.206(b), are as follows:

The Consortium does not permit the use of HOME funds to refinance existing debt.

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★* I AGREE					
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Suffix:					
* Title: City Adminstrator					
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* Email: Greg.Wilkinson@yumaAz.gov					
* Signature of Authorized Representative: * Date Signed: 7/25/17					

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#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

In accordance with the applicable statutes and the regulations governing the consolidated plan regulations, the jurisdiction certifies that:

Affirmatively Further Fair Housing -- The jurisdiction will affirmatively further fair housing.

**Uniform Relocation Act and Anti-displacement and Relocation Plan** -- It will comply with the acquisition and relocation requirements of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended, (42 U.S.C. 4601-4655) and implementing regulations at 49 CFR Part 24. It has in effect and is following a residential anti-displacement and relocation assistance plan required under 24 CFR Part 42 in connection with any activity assisted with funding under the Community Development Block Grant or HOME programs.

Anti-Lobbying -- To the best of the jurisdiction's knowledge and belief:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of it, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement;
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, it will complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions; and
- 3. It will require that the language of paragraph 1 and 2 of this anti-lobbying certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

**Authority of Jurisdiction** -- The consolidated plan is authorized under State and local law (as applicable) and the jurisdiction possesses the legal authority to carry out the programs for which it is seeking funding, in accordance with applicable HUD regulations.

Consistency with plan -- The housing activities to be undertaken with Community Development Block Grant, HOME, Emergency Solutions Grant, and Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS funds are consistent with the strategic plan in the jurisdiction's consolidated plan.

Section 3 -- It will comply with section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u) and implementing regulations at 24 CFR Part 135.

Signature of Authorized Official

7/25/19
Date

City Administrator
Title

### **Specific Community Development Block Grant Certifications**

The Entitlement Community certifies that:

Citizen Participation -- It is in full compliance and following a detailed citizen participation plan that satisfies the requirements of 24 CFR 91.105.

Community Development Plan -- Its consolidated plan identifies community development and housing needs and specifies both short-term and long-term community development objectives that that have been developed in accordance with the primary objective of the CDBG program (i.e., the development of viable urban communities, by providing decent housing and expanding economic opportunities, primarily for persons of low and moderate income) and requirements of 24 CFR Parts 91 and 570.

Following a Plan -- It is following a current consolidated plan that has been approved by HUD.

Use of Funds -- It has complied with the following criteria:

- 1. Maximum Feasible Priority. With respect to activities expected to be assisted with CDBG funds, it has developed its Action Plan so as to give maximum feasible priority to activities which benefit low- and moderate-income families or aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight. The Action Plan may also include CDBG-assisted activities which the grantee certifies are designed to meet other community development needs having particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community, and other financial resources are not available (see Optional CDBG Certification).
- 2. Overall Benefit. The aggregate use of CDBG funds, including Section 108 guaranteed loans, during program year(s) 2017 [a period specified by the grantee of one, two, or three specific consecutive program years], shall principally benefit persons of low and moderate income in a manner that ensures that at least 70 percent of the amount is expended for activities that benefit such persons during the designated period.
- 3. Special Assessments. It will not attempt to recover any capital costs of public improvements assisted with CDBG funds, including Section 108 loan guaranteed funds, by assessing any amount against properties owned and occupied by persons of low and moderate income, including any fee charged or assessment made as a condition of obtaining access to such public improvements.

However, if CDBG funds are used to pay the proportion of a fee or assessment that relates to the capital costs of public improvements (assisted in part with CDBG funds) financed from other revenue sources, an assessment or charge may be made against the property with respect to the public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds.

In addition, in the case of properties owned and occupied by moderate-income (not low-income) families, an assessment or charge may be made against the property for public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds if the jurisdiction certifies that it lacks CDBG funds to cover the assessment.

### Excessive Force -- It has adopted and is enforcing:

- 1. A policy prohibiting the use of excessive force by law enforcement agencies within its jurisdiction against any individuals engaged in non-violent civil rights demonstrations; and
- 2. A policy of enforcing applicable State and local laws against physically barring entrance to or exit from a facility or location which is the subject of such non-violent civil rights demonstrations within its jurisdiction.

Compliance with Anti-discrimination laws -- The grant will be conducted and administered in conformity with title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d) and the Fair Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 3601-3619) and implementing regulations.

**Lead-Based Paint** -- Its activities concerning lead-based paint will comply with the requirements of 24 CFR Part 35, Subparts A, B, J, K and R.

Compliance with Laws -- It will comply with applicable laws.

Signature of Authorized Official

City Administrator

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### **Specific HOME Certifications**

The HOME participating jurisdiction certifies that:

**Tenant Based Rental Assistance** -- If it plans to provide tenant-based rental assistance, the tenant-based rental assistance is an essential element of its consolidated plan.

Eligible Activities and Costs -- It is using and will use HOME funds for eligible activities and costs, as described in 24 CFR §§92.205 through 92.209 and that it is not using and will not use HOME funds for prohibited activities, as described in §92.214.

**Subsidy layering** -- Before committing any funds to a project, it will evaluate the project in accordance with the guidelines that it adopts for this purpose and will not invest any more HOME funds in combination with other Federal assistance than is necessary to provide affordable housing;

7/25/17 Date

Signature of Authorized Official

City Administrator

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## APPENDIX TO CERTIFICATIONS

## INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING LOBBYING CERTIFICATION:

## **Lobbying Certification**

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

**AFFP** 

Yuma Sun - CDBG Program

## **Affidavit of Publication**

STATE OF ARIZONA } COUNTY OF YUMA }

SS

Lisa Reilly or Kathy White, being duly sworn, says:

That she is Publisher or Business Manager of the Yuma Sun, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Yuma, Yuma County, Arizona; that the publication, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the said newspaper on the following dates:

December 02, 2016

That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on those dates.

SIGNED:

Publisher or Business Manage

Subscribed to and sworn to me this 2nd day of December

2016.

Virgen P(Rerez, Notary, Yuma County, Arizona

My commission expires: May 10, 2017



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### **Public Notice**



## **Community Development Block Grant** (CDBG) Program

The City of Yuma will receive approximately \$750,000 from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for Program Year (PY) 2017-2018. The process for selecting activities that will be funded as part of the 2017 CDBG Action Plan will begin with a Public Hearing. The City of Yuma encourages citizen participation in the development of the plan and all city residents are invited to attend the public hearing and provide input, especially low- and moderate-income people and/or their representatives, neighborhood advocates, and stakeholders of affordable and fair housing.

Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held to receive comments or suggestions on the 2017 Action Plan. If you are not able to attend, please email comments and questions to Nikki.Hoogendoorn@YumaAz.gov; call (928)373-5187, or mail to City of Yuma, Neighborhood Services Division, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364.

Date & Time: Monday, December 12, 2016, 5:30 pm Location: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK) Neighborhood Center, 300 S. 13th Avenue

CDBG Application Workshops
The City will be accepting grant applications for its PY 2017-2018 CDBG funds. All applications are DUE on Wednesday, January 25, 2017 at 5:30 pm. Non-profit organizations and government entities are invited to attend one of the following application workshops:

Date & Time: Tuesday, December 13, 2016 at 10:00 am or 5:30 pm Location: City Hall, One City Plaza, Conference Room #190

Funds must be used for CDBG-eligible activities and meet a CDBG national objective which benefit low- and moderate-income people or aid in the prevention or elimination of slum or blight.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the City of Yuma does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs, activities, or services. For information regarding rights and provisions of the ADA or Section 504, or to request reasonable accommodations for participation in City programs, activities or services contact: ADA/Section 504 Coordinator, City of Yuma Human Resources Department, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364; (928) 373-5125 or TTY (928) 373-5149.

S usted desea interpretaci´n de esta notícia en Espa ol, por favor llame al (928)373-5187.





## Aviso Público Programa de Fondos para el Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG, por sus siglas en inglés)

La Ciudad de Yuma recibirá aproximadamente \$750,000 por parte del Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano (HUD) para el Año de Programa (PY) 2017-2018. El proceso para seleccionar actividades que serán financiadas como parte del Plan de Acción CDBG 2017 iniciará con una Audiencia Pública. La Ciudad de Yuma invita la participación ciudadana en el desarrollo del plan y todos los residentes de la ciudad están invitados a asistir a la audiencia pública y a aportar ideas, especialmente gente de bajos y moderados ingresos y/o sus representantes, defensores del vecindario y partes interesadas en vivienda justa y económica.

Audiencia Pública

Se llevará a cabo una audiencia pública para recibir comentarios o sugerencias sobre el Plan de Acción 2017. Si no puede asistir, por favor mande sus preguntas y comentarios por correo electrónico a <u>Nikki.Hoogendoorn@YumaAz.gov</u>; llame al (928) 373-5187, o por correo a City of Yuma, Neighborhood Services Division, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364.

Fecha y hora: lunes, 12 de Diciembre del 2016, 5:30 pm Lugar: Centro Comunitario Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK), 300 S. 13th Avenue

Talleres Para Solicitar Fondos al CDBG La Ciudad estará aceptando solicitudes de fondos CDBG para el PY 2017-2018. La FECHA LÍMITE para entregar las solicitudes es el Miércoles. 25 de Enero del 2017 a las 5:30 pm. Organizaciones sin fines de lucro e instituciones gubernamentales están invitadas a asistir a uno de los siguientes talleres:

Fecha y Hora: Martes 13 de Diciembre del 2016 a las 10:00am o 5:30 pm Ubicación: City Hall, One City Plaza, Salón de Conferencias #190

Estos fondos deben ser utilizados en actividades elegibles y para alcanzar algún objetivo nacional CDBG que beneficie a las personas de bajos y moderados ingresos o proporcione asistencia en la prevención o erradicación de barrios bajos o deteriorados.

En acuerdo con el acto "Americans with Disabilities" (ADA) y la Sección 504 del Acto de Rehabilitación de 1973, la Ciudad de Yuma no discrimina en base a discapacidades para la admisión o acceso a, el trato o empleo en, sus programas, actividades, o servicios. Para información respecto a derechos y suministros de ADA o Sección 504, o para solicitar acomodo razonable para la participación en programas, actividades o servicios de la Ciudad, contacte: Coordinador ADA/Sección 504, Departamento de Recursos Humanos de la Ciudad de Yuma, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364; (928) 373-5125 o TTY (928) 373-5149.TTY (928) 373-5149.

BAJO EL SOL, 2 de diciembre del 2016



## Publisher's Affidavit of Publication 000

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Lisa Reilly or Kathy White, having been first duly sworn, deposes and says: that Bajo El Sol is a newspaper of general circulation published daily in the City of Yuma, County of Yuma, State of Arizona; that she is the publisher or business manager of said paper; that the AVISO PÚBLICO – PROGRAMA DE FONDOS PARA EL DESARROLLO COMUNITARIO... a printed copy of which, as it appeared in said paper, is hereto attached and made a part of this affidavit, was published in Bajo El Sol 1 issues; that the date of the first publication of said AVISO PÚBLICO – PROGRAMA DE FONDOS PARA EL DESARROLLO COMUNITARIO... DECEMBER 02, was and the date of the last publication being DECEMBER 02, and that the dates when said AVISO PÚBLICO – PROGRAMA DE FONDOS PARA EL DESARROLLO COMUNITARIO... was printed and published in said paper were **DECEMBER 02, 2016** 

Subscribed and sworn to before me, by the said Lisa Reilly or Kathy White

ission # 163644 2nd day of December, 2016

My commission expires May 10, 2017
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Yuma County HOME Consortium

## **Affidavit of Publication**

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### **Public Notice**

## Yuma County HOME Consortium Program

The Yuma County HOME Consortium (YCHC) expects to receive its first annual allocation of approximately \$500,000 from the Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) HOME Investment Partnership Program for 2017-2018. The process for selecting activities that will be funded as part of the 2017 Action Plan will begin with a HOME Application Workshop. HOME funds can be used for a broad range of eligible activities, all with the general purpose of provided affordable housing for low income households throughout Yuma County.

**HOME Application Workshop** 

An application workshop will be held to explain the HOME Program requirements and the process for submitting a funding proposal. Attendance at the Workshop is mandatory in order to submit a Letter of Intent.

Wednesday, May 17, 2017, 3:00 pm Yuma City Hall, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364, Conference Room #190

For a project to be considered a Letter of Intent (LOI) must be completed. The deadline to submit the Letter of Intent is **June 1, 2017 at 5:00 pm** to the City of Yuma Neighborhood Services Division. No late submissions will be accepted.

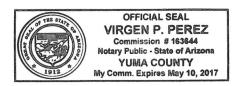
LOI forms will be available at the HOME Workshop or by contacting Neighborhood Services at (928) 373-5187. Applications will only be accepted from eligible non-profit organizations, government entities, and qualifying grantees who submit an eligible LOI.

The City of Yuma, as the lead entity for the YCHC, is required to prepare and submit to HUD a Substantial Amendment to the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan and Program Year 2017 Action Plan. For questions or comments about the HOME Program, please email Nikki. Hoogendoorn@YumaAz.gov: call (928) 373-5187, or mail to City of Yuma, Neighborhood Services Division, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the City of Yuma does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs, activities, or services. For information regarding rights and provisions of the ADA or Section 504, or to request reasonable accommodations for participation in City programs, activities or services contact: ADA/Section 504 Coordinator, City of Yuma Human Resources Department, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364; (928) 373-5125 or TTY (928) 373-5149.

Sí usted desea interpretación de esta noticia en Español, por favor llame al (928)373-5187. Daily May 5, 2017 - 00121139





#### Anuncio Público

## Programa del consorcio HOME del Condado de Yuma

El Consorcio HOME del Condado de Yuma (YCHC por sus siglas en inglés) espera recibir su primera asignación de recursos anual de aproximadamente.\$500,000 en fondos del HOME Investment Partnership Program para el año 2017 - 2018, del Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano (HUD). El proceso de selección de actividades que serán financiadas como parte del Plan de Acción 2017 iniciará con un Taller de Solicitud HOME. Los fondos de HOME pueden ser usados para amplia variedad de actividades elegibles, todas con el propósito de proveer vivienda económicamente accesible para hogares de bajos recursos en el Condado de Yuma.

Taller de Solicitud HOME

Se llevará a cabo un taller de solicitudes para explicar los requisitos del programa HOME y el proceso para someter una propuesta para asignar fondos. Es obligatorio asistir al Taller para poder someter una Carta de Interés (LOI).

Miércoles, 17 de Mayo del 2017, 3:00 pm Yuma City Hall, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364, Salón de Conferencias #190

Para que un proyecto sea considerado se debe llenar una Carta de Interés (LOI). La fecha límite para entregar la Carta de Interés es el 1 de Junio del 2017 a las 5:00 pm en la División de Servicios al Vecindario (Neighborhood Services) de la Ciudad de Yuma. No serán aceptadas entregas tarrájas

Las formas LOI estarán disponibles en el Taller HOME o puede adquirirlas llamando a Servicios al Vecindario al (928) 373-5187. Las solicitudes sólo serán aceptadas de parte de organizaciones sin fines de lucro elegibles, entidades gubernamentales, y beneficiarios calificables que entreguen una LOI elegible.

La Ciudad de Yuma, como la entidad lider dei YCHC, debe preparar y enviar una Modificación Sustancial a HUD para el Plan Consolidado 2016-2020 y al Plan de Acción del Programa del Año 2017. Para preguntas o comentarios acerca del Programa HOME, por favor envíe un correo electrónico a Nikki. Hoogendoorn@YumaAz.gov; llame al (928) 373-5187, o envíe correo postal a City of Yuma, Neighborhood Services Division, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364

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For <u>1</u> issues; that the date of the first publication of said				
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Subscribed and sworn to before me, by the said Lisa Reilly or Kathy White

5th day of May, 2017

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City of YUMA

### **PUBLIC NOTICE** City of Yuma and Yuma County HOME Consortium Annual Action Plan

Notice is hereby given that the City of Yuma and the Yuma County HOME Consortium (YCHC) will hold a public hearing July 10, 2017 at 5:30 pm at the MLK Neighborhood Center at 300 S. 13th Ave, Yuma, AZ 85364 for the purpose of receiving citizen input and public comments concerning the proposed 2017 Annual Action Plan. The City of Yuma will allocate \$902,277 in CDBG funds. This includes \$771,277 of 2017 Entitlement funding from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) \$1,000 (estimated) program income, and \$130,000 to Development (HUD), \$1,000 (estimated) program income, and \$130,000 to reprogram from cancelled projects, projects completed under budget, program income, or repaid funds. CDBG funds can only be utilized in the city of Yuma limits.

The YCHC will receive its first allocation of HOME funds from HUD in the amount of \$746,193. The YCHC is a consortium that includes the City of Yuma, Yuma County, City of San Luis, City of Somerton, and Town of Wellton. HOME funds can be used within the Yuma County limits.

The Annual Action Plan (AAP) refers primarily to the housing and community development needs and intended uses of CDBG and HOME Investment Partnership resources. The proposed 2017-2018 AAP is in compliance with HUD requirements and supports the goals, objectives and strategies of the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan. None of the proposed activities will cause people to be displaced.

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Public Services (15% maximum)		
Catholic Com. Svc, Sr Home Delivered Meals		9,000
City of Yuma, Mesa Heights Outreach		12,000
City of Yuma, Mesa Heights Cleanup		8,000
Healing Journey, Youth Empowerment Prog.		10,000
SAAVI, R.E.A.L Program for Blind Children		15,000
WACOG, Building Sustainable Homeowners		20,000
	\$	74,000
Housing & Public Facilities		
City of Yuma, Mesa Heights Revitalization		
*Housing Rehabilitation		341,000
*Code Enforcement/Rental Inspection		51,000
*Voluntary Demolition Program		10,000
Affordable Housing Acquisition/Rehab		10,000
Neighborhood Infrastructure/Facilities		261,022
* These activities can also take place in other torget neighborhoods, but priority will be in Mesa Heights.	\$	673,022
CDBG Planning & Administration (20% maxim	um	)
CDBG Planning & Administration		139,255
WACOG & City of Vuma Fair Housing		16 000

2017 CDBG Projects (within City of Yuma limits)

*Voluntary Demolition Program	10,000
Affordable Housing Acquisition/Rehab	10,000
Neighborhood Infrastructure/Facilities	261,022
These activities can also take place in other torget reighborhoods, but prioity will be in Mesa Heights.	\$ 673,022
DBG Planning & Administration (20% maxim	um)
COBG Planning & Administration	139,255
WACOG & City of Yuma, Fair Housing	16,000
	\$ 155,255
Total CDBG Activities	\$ 902,277
vailable Resources	
2017 Entitlement Funds	771,277
stimated Program Income	771,277 1,000
	120 000

2017 HOME Projects (Countywide) fousing Rehabilitation Homebuyer Assistance 300,000 Affordable Housing Development (CHDO) 120,000 HOME Planning & Admin (10% maximum) 74.619 **HOME Total** 

This reservation of funds is pending satisfactory completion of the NEPA/Part 58 environmental

Copies of the draft AAP will be available for review and comment from June 30, 2017 to July 17, 2017 at http://www.yumaaz.gov/community-

development/neighborhood-services/cdbg.html and at the following locations during regular business

- hours: Yuma City Hall, One City Plaza, Yuma
- Yuma Housing Authority, 420 Madison Ave, Yuma
   Yuma County Library -Main Branch 2951 S. 21<sup>st</sup> Dr. Heritage Branch, 350 S. 3<sup>st</sup> Ave, Yuma
- Somerton City Hall, 110 N. State Ave, Somerton

The City will accept public comments through July 17, 2017. Please email Neighborhood Society 17, 2017. Please email Neighborhood Services Nikki hoogendoom@YumaAz.gov, call (928) 373-5187, or visit One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364, Adoption of the 2017 Annual Action Plan is scheduled for the Regular City Council Meeting on Wednesday, July 19, 2017 at Yuma City Hall.

Estimated Program Income
Funds reprogrammed
130,000
Total CDBG Funds Available \$ 902,277
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Sí usted desea interpretación de esta noticia en Español, por favor llame al (928) 373-5187, Daily June 30, 2017 - 00124693

Aerez, Notary, Yuma County, Arizona

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## AVISO PÚBLICO Plan de Acción Anual del Consorcio HOME de la Ciudad y del Condado de Yuma

Se anuncia por medio de la presente, que el Consorcio HOME(YCHC, por sus siglan en Inglés) de la Ciudad de Yuma y del Condado de Yuma tendrá una audiencia pública el 10 de Julio del 2017 a las 5:30 pm en el Centro Comunitario MLK ubicado en 300 S. 13th Ave, Yuma, AZ 85364 con el propósito de recibir contribución de la ciudadanía y comentarios de parte del público con respecto al Plan de Acción Anual 2017 que se ha propuesto. La Ciudad de Yuma destinará \$902,277 en fondos CDBG. Esto incluye \$771,277 en fondos de ayuda social por parte del Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano (HUD), \$1,000 en ingresos del programa (estimados), y \$130,000 por reprogramación de proyectos cancelados, proyectos que fueron terminados por debajo del presupuesto, ingresos del programa, o fondos vueltos a pagar. Los fondos del CDBG sólo pueden ser utilizados en los límites de la ciudad de Yuma.

El YCHC recibirá su primera asignación de fondos HOME por parte de HUD por un monto de \$746,193. El YCHC es un consorcio que incluye la Ciudad de Yuma, el Condado de Yuma, la Ciudad de San Luis, la Ciudad de Somerton, y el pueblo de Wellton. Los fondos HOME pueden ser usados dentro de los límites del condado de Yuma.

El Plan de Acción Anual (AAP) se refiere principalmente a las necesidades de desarrollo de vivienda y de la comunidad y a los planes de uso de los recursos de la Asociación de Inversión de CDBG y HOME. El AAP 2017-2018 propuesto se halla en cumplimiento con los requerimientos HUD y apoya las metas, objetivos y estrategias del Plan Consolidado 2016-2020. Ninguna de las actividades propuestas causará el desplazo de gente.

Proyectos CDBG (dentro de los límites de la Ciudad	de Yuma)
Servicios Públicos (máximo 15%)	
Serv. Católicos Com, Comidas a Asilo	9,000
Ciudad de Yuma, Proyección Mesa Heights	12,000
Ciudad de Yuma, Limpieza Mesa Heights	8,000
Healing Journey, Programa de Acción Juv	10,000
SAAVI, R.E.A.L. Programa para Niños Ciegos	15,000
WACOG, Creando Propietarios Sustentables	20,000
	\$74,000
Vivienda e Instalaciones Públicas	
Ciudad de Yuma, Revitalización Mesa Heights	
* Rehabilitación de Viviendas	341,000
* Cumplimiento de Código/Inspec de Viv en	
Renta	51,000
* Programa de Demolición Voluntaria	10,000
Adquisición/Rehabilitación de Viv Económica	10,000
Infraestructura/Instalaciones Vecinales	261,022
* Estas actividades también pueden llevorse a cabo en otras vecindarios, pero la prioridad es Mesa Heiahts.	\$673,022
Planeamiento y Administración de CDBG (máximo	20%)
Planeamiento y Administración de CDBG	139,255
WACOG y Ciudad de Yuma, Vivienda Justa	16,000
	\$155,255
Total de Actividades CDBG	\$902,277
Recursos Disponibles	
Fondos de Prestaciones 2017	771,277
Ingreso Estimado del Programa	1,000
Fondos reprogramados	130,000
Total de Fondos CDBG Disponibles	\$902,277

Proyectos HOME 2017 (Condado	)
Rehabilitación de Vivienda	251,574
Ayuda a Compradores de Vivienda	300,000
Desarrollo de Vivienda Económica (CHDO)	120,000
Planeación y Admin. HOME (10% máximo)	74,619
Total HOME	\$746,193

La reserva de estos fondos se encuentra en espera de que la revisión ambiental NEPA/Part 58 sea finalizada satisfactoriamente.

Habrá copias del bosquejo del AAP para revisión y comentario desde el 30 de Junio del 2017 hasta el 17 de Julio del 2017 en

http://www.yumaaz.gov/communitydevelopment/neighborhood-services/cdbg.html y en las siguientes ubicaciones durante horario de oficina:

- Yuma City Hall, One City Plaza, Yuma - Yuma Housing Authority, 420 Madison Ave.
- Yuma County Library -Main Branch 2951 S. 21th Dr.
- Someton City Hall, 110 N State Ave. Someton

La Ciudad aceptará comentarios públicos hasta el 17 de Julio del 2017. Por favor envíe su correo electrónico a Neighborhood Services Nikki hoocendoorn@YumaAz.gov. llarne al (928) 373-5187, o visite One City Plaza. Yuma, AZ 85364. La Adopción del Plan de Acción Anual 2017 está planeada para la Reunión Regular del Consejo de la Ciudad el día miercoles 19 de Julio del 2017 en el Ayuntamiento de la Ciudad de Yuma.

Conforme con la Ley para Estadounidenses con Discapacidades (ADA) y la Sección 504 la Ley de Rehabilitación de 1973, la Ciudad de Yuma no discrimina en base de una discapacidad en la admisión o el acceso a, o el tratamiento o empleo en, sus programas, actividades o servicios Para información en relación a los derechos y provisiones de la ADA o la Sección 504, o para solicitar acomodaciones razonables para participación en programas, actividades o servicios de la Ciudad, contacte a. ADA/Section 504 Coordinator, City of Yuma Human Resources Division, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364... (928) 373-5127 o TTY (928)

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