



*City of Columbia, South Carolina*

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

City of Columbia CDBG- Disaster Recovery Program  
CDBG-DR Funds, Disaster Relief Appropriations Act of 2016, Public Law 114-113  
Substantial Amendment Review

**Public Comment Period: July 26, 2023 – August 9, 2023**

In accordance with the federal regulations, 24 CFR, Part 91, the City of Columbia is preparing to amend the City of Columbia Community Development Block Grant- Disaster Recovery Action Plan. The City of Columbia announces a public comment period to review the proposed amendments to the programs. The purpose of the comment period is to allow the public an opportunity to review and comment on progress, achievements and expenditures of the federal CDBG- Disaster Recovery Program and Action Plan.

The City defines substantial amendments to the Action Plan as those that propose one or more of the following changes:

- A change in the purpose, scope, location or beneficiaries of an activity approved in the Action Plan or subsequent amendment;
- The allocation or re-allocation of more than \$1 million; or
- The addition or deletion of any allowable activity described in the approved plan

Citizens will have the opportunity to review the proposed substantial amendments to the City of Columbia CDBG- Disaster Recovery Action Plan beginning July 26, 2023 at <http://dr.columbiasc.gov> or request a copy from the Community Development Department. Public comments regarding the City of Columbia CDBG- Disaster Recovery Action Plan can be submitted via comment form at <https://dr.columbiasc.gov/comment-form/>, emailed to [CoCCommDevCompliance@columbiasc.gov](mailto:CoCCommDevCompliance@columbiasc.gov), mailed to the Community Development Department, CDBG Disaster Recovery Program, 1401 Main St., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Columbia, SC 29201 or faxed to (803) 255-8912. A summary of all citizen comments will be included in the amended Action Plan to be submitted to HUD on or before August 9, 2023 For more information, please contact the CDBG Disaster Recovery Program at (803) 545-4668.

*Any person requiring assistance or would like a copy of a specific document in Spanish, should contact the Human Resources Employee Relations Officer/Section 504 Coordinator at 803-545-4265.*