Ramsey County 2020 Community and Economic Development Funding

Ramsey County is now accepting proposals for Community Development Block Grant and HOME Investment Partnership Program funding for eligible projects that can be underway by Fall,2020.

Eligibility

Eligible projects must:

- Serve primarily benefit low and moderate income residents.
- Be located in suburban Ramsey County.
- Address community priorities.
- Meet federal guidelines for the respective programs.

Communities, non-profits and for-profit developers are eligible to apply for funding. Funding is usually available after July 1, the start of the fiscal year. However, actual date relies on the federal government and congressional release.

The more frequently funded projects include investment in affordable units in multi-family market rate properties, infrastructure, facility improvements and property acquisition. Program funding may also support social service programs related to housing and economic development, including tenant counseling and employment training. Funds are also used to provide first time homebuyer assistance and owner-occupied property weatherization/rehabilitation.

2020 CDBG/HOME Application

This year, Ramsey County will be using ZoomGrants to submit and manage applications. Click on the title or copy and paste this link in your browser to access Ramsey County's 2019 CDBG/HOME Application:

https://zoomgrants.com/gprop.asp?donorid=2318&limited=2650

Applications are due by Friday, March 6, 2020.

Contact

Prospective applicants are encouraged to contact Mary Lou Egan, with questions at marylou.egan@co.ramsey.mn.us or 651-266-8025.

For any technical questions, applicants can search at ZoomGrants University (help.zoomgrants.com), or if extra assistance is needed can contact Technical Support M-F 8am – 5pm MST at 866.323.5404 ext. 2 or email questions@zoomgrants.com.