PUBLIC NOTICE

City of Auburn
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program
Draft 2026 Annual Action Plan

The City of Auburn's Community Services Department invites you to attend a Public Hearing to review and comment on the 2026 Draft Annual Action Plan and give input on budget priorities. The City of Auburn (City) will hold public hearings as follows:

Date of Public Hearings:
Boykin Community Center
Monday, July 27, 2026, 10:00 a.m.
Monday, July 27, 2026, 5:30 p.m.

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has released funding allocations for the CDBG Program Year 2026. The City will receive $734,911 for the 2026 program year (June 1, 2026–May 31, 2027) to meet Annual Action Plan goals. Below are the uses of the City's 2026 CDBG Program Year funds based on the following allocation:

Project Categories	**Proposed Allocation**
Affordable Housing	$ 130,814
Housing Rehabilitation	$ 155,066
Public Improvement	$ 124,936
Public Services	$ 99,213
Economic Development	$ 88,924
Administration, Planning, and Management	$ 135,958
Total	$ 734,911

The 2026 Draft Annual Action Plan will be available for review. The Plan shall be made available in an accessible format upon request. Comments will be accepted at the public hearing or by mail to the City of Auburn, Community Services Department, 144 Tichenor Avenue, Auburn, Alabama 36830, Attn: Ashley Simpson, or by email to athomas@auburnalabama.org. Please include a name, address, and phone number.

For additional information or to request special arrangements at the public hearing (interpreter, captioning for the hearing impaired, or other), contact Ashley Simpson at (334) 501-7280 or athomas@auburnalabama.org no later than July 24, 2026.

You can view the Plan at the following location:

- Online at auburnalabama.org/community-development/resources

- Auburn City Hall, 144 Tichenor Avenue, Suite 1, Auburn, AL 36830
- Auburn Public Library, 749 E Thach Avenue, Auburn, AL 36830
- Community Services Department, 400 Boykin Street, Auburn, AL 36832

An executive summary of the City's Draft 2026 Annual Action Plan is available for public review at auburnalabama.org/community-development/resources.