



2026 – 2027

Community Development

Block Grant (CDBG)

Program

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program at a Glance

- **WHAT IS CDBG?**
- **WHO IS ELIGIBLE?**
- **WHO FUNDS CDBG?**

How Much Does Harrisonburg

Receive?

- 2017 \$505,968
- 2018 \$559,588
- 2019 \$576,573
- 2020 \$534,188
- 2021 \$540,419
- 2022 \$564,192
- 2023 \$507,000
- 2024 \$491,620
- 2025 \$512,366
- 2026 \$???

Strategic Planning

- Completed in 2022
- Five Year Goals
- Requirement
- Copies available

2022-2026 Strategic Plan

5

YEARS

6

GOALS



Improve Access to
and Quality of Housing



Improve Public
Infrastructure



Provide Public Services



Strengthen Fair Housing
Enforcement,
Operations & Education



Planning &
Administration



Improve Public Facilities

TENTATIVE Schedule for 2026-2027 CDBG Program

December 29, 2025

Advertise RFP in DNR & on website for grant proposals.

January 13, 2026

Council Meeting/Public Hearing #1 (get input regarding what types of projects should be funded, what need is, explain purpose of grant and answer questions) – **7:00 PM**

January 15, 2026

Training Session for CDBG Applicants, 2pm

February 19, 2026

Grant Application Deadline – receipt by **NOON**

March 5, 2026

Selection Committee Meeting, Consideration of Proposals, & Development of Action Plan

March 24, 2026

Council Meeting/Public Hearing #2 (Present Budget, 2026 Action Plan, & open thirty-day Public Comment Period – **7:00 PM**

April 27, 2026

All public comments must be received by 9:00 AM on April 27, 2026 to be considered.

May 12, 2026

Council Meeting/Council Final Approval of 2026 CDBG Budget/Action Plan (Council to consider approval of budget, & plan)*

May 15, 2026

Plan due to HUD

July 2025

Anticipated HUD Approval of 2026 CDBG Action Plan

*** Funding of specific projects is not final until approved by HUD.**

PUBLIC HEARING

Comments & Proposals may be submitted to:

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