

NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all citizens of the City of Kingsport, Tennessee, to all persons interested, and the public at large that the Kingsport Board of Mayor and Aldermen will conduct a Public Hearing to receive citizen input concerning the City's 2026 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development. The Plan outlines the proposed use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for the program year beginning July 1, 2026 and ending June 30, 2027.

Activities addressed by the CDBG program must meet at least one of three National Objectives:

1. Provide benefit to low and moderate-income families
2. Aid in the prevention or elimination of slum and blight
3. Meet urgent community development needs posing a serious and immediate threat to public health or safety where other financial resources are not available

A draft of the 2026 Annual Action Plan will be available on April 10, 2026 at City of Kingsport's Community Development Office located at 415 Broad Street, Kingsport. The draft will also be posted on the City's Community Development website at www.kingsporttn.gov

Interested parties may comment on the 2026 Annual Action Plan for Kingsport, TN. The Plan will have a 30-day comment period running from April 19 to May 19, 2026.

Estimated Funding allocation is: \$469,767.00 based on 2025-2026 funding. Admin: \$93,953.40 Housing Rehab \$185,348.55, Community Enrichment \$70,465.05, Code Enforcement \$50,000.00, HOPE VI/ Section 108 repayment \$70,000.00. Final funding amounts are subject to change based on HUD allocation.

Public Meetings are held throughout the year and comments are welcome throughout the planning process. The public is invited to offer comments concerning the proposed use of funds. Written or oral comments should be submitted to Michael Price, Community Development Planner, City of Kingsport, 415 Broad Street, Kingsport, TN 37660 or (423)224-2877 or by emailing michaelprice@KingsportTN.gov.

The Public Hearing will be held on: May 19, 2026, at 7:00 PM
City Hall – Board of Mayor and Aldermen Meeting 415 Broad Street, Kingsport, TN
All interested parties are invited to attend and provide input. Due to limited seating capacity, accommodations will be made for public participation as space allows. All comments received by May 19 will be considered before submission of the plan to HUD. The City will consider all comments received in writing or orally at the public hearing before submission of the Annual Action Plan to HUD

All City of Kingsport public meetings are conducted in accessible locations. If you require accommodations to participate in this meeting, these may be requested by calling (423) 229-9401, ext. 5 or by emailing ADAContact@KingsportTN.gov at least 72 hours in advance. Copies of any documents used are available in accessible formats upon request.

CITY OF KINGSPORT
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