

To Commissioners Bolos, Froerer and Harvey

First Public Hearing for the 2024 Community Development Block Grant Program
(CDBG)

Date January 23, 2024

This Public Hearing is required as part of the CDBG process. The public hearing will provide the opportunity for representatives from non-profit organizations as well as others to discuss potential projects (including county projects).

If you have any questions please call. Ext. 8004

Thanks,
Chad Meyerhoffer

**FIRST PUBLIC HEARING
MINUTES OF WEBER COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING
MEETING HELD COMMISSION CHAMBERS, 2380 WASHINGTON BLVD, JANUARY 23,
2024, 10:00AM**

The Weber County meeting convened in regular session on Tuesday January 23, 2024, in the Weber County Commission Chambers, meeting commenced at 10:00am.

Present: Commissioner Harvey (Chair), Commissioner Bolos and Froerer_____,
Other public or elected officials or employees_____,
Public in attendance, including those attending for the CDBG Public Hearing

City Recorder: _____

City Clerk: _____

City Attorney: _____

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PUBLIC HEARING:

Commissioner Harvey opened the public hearing for the CDBG program and state that the purpose of the public hearing is to provide citizens with pertinent information about the Community Development Block Grant program and to allow for discussion of possible applications for the 2024 funding cycle. It was explained that the grant money must be spent on projects benefiting primarily low and moderate-income persons. The Wasatch Front Regional Council, in which Weber County is a member, is expecting to receive approximately \$1,000,000 in this new program year. All eligible activities that can be accomplished under this program are identified in the CDBG Application Policies and Procedures Manual and interested persons can review it any time.

Commissioner Harvey/Chad Meyerhoffer Several of the eligible activities listed including examples, such as Construction of public works and facilities, e.g., water and sewer lines, fire stations, acquisition of real property, provision of public services such as food banks or homeless shelters. Also eligible are loan programs for private businesses which would then hire low income persons and homeowners.

Commissioner Harvey/Chad Meyerhoffer indicated that The Unincorporated County does not currently have any active grant projects, in the past Weber County as a whole has sponsored the Weber Housing Authority in a project that offers incentives for first time home buyers. In the past Weber County has received grants for modification of restrooms for the Weber County Library to bring them more in compliance with ADA standards and an emergency housing rehabilitation project that was administered through the Weber County Housing Authority, developing ADA compliant campsites, installing ADA compliant door hardware at the fairgrounds. Installing storm drains in low to moderate income communities to reduce flooding, installing wheelchair ramps at street intersections to make pedestrian sidewalks more accessible, as well as sponsoring non-profit agencies such as Your Community Connection, Ogden Weber Community Action Agency, Catholic Community Services and others.

The county has handed out its capital investment plan as part of the regional "Consolidated Plan". This list shows which projects the city has identified as being needed in the community. It

was asked that anyone with questions, comments or suggestions during the hearing please identify themselves by name, before they speak. The clerk will include your names in the minutes and we would like to specifically respond to your questions and suggestions during the hearing.

Mr./Mrs. _____ asked if _____. Mayor/Commissioner _____ responded to suggestion by stating that _____. Commissioner Harvey then opened the meeting up to further suggestions from the audience. Mr./Mrs. _____ said that _____. Commissioner Harvey _____ responded that _____. Commissioner Harvey then asked if there were any other suggestions? The hearing was adjourned at **Time**.