

## Notice of Public Comment Period

The City of Sandusky intends to submit to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, an amendment to its FY 2017 Annual Action Plan. It is anticipated that the City Commission will consider this amendment during the course of its meeting on November 13, 2017.

There are three separate amendments being proposed. The first amendment is to eliminate the 2017 Economic Development Revolving Loan Fund Activity. This project budget was \$50,000 and will be \$0.00. Funding for this activity is no longer needed for the current program year. The second amendment is to increase the Clearance and Demolition Activity from \$108,649.76 to \$148,649.76. The \$40,000 increase will come from the current Economic Development Revolving Loan Fund account. The third and final amendment being proposed is to create a new activity title Public Facilities. The new activity will have a budget of \$610,000 which will come from the current Economic Development Revolving Loan Fund and would be used for the Engineering and Construction Plans for the Jackson Street Pier.

A draft of this amendment to the FY 2017 Action plan will be available for public review and comment beginning October 4, 2017 and ending November 3, 2017. Copies of the draft amendment may be obtained from the Community Development Department, City Building, 222 Meigs Street, Sandusky, Ohio, the City's website at [www.ci.sandusky.oh.us](http://www.ci.sandusky.oh.us) or the Sandusky Library. If other alternative formats are required due to a disability, please contact the Community Development Department at (419) 627-5847 in order to ensure that your needs will be accommodated.

Comments on the draft amendment can be submitted via mail to the following address:

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Community Development Department  
222 Meigs Street  
Sandusky, Ohio 44870

Or via email to [ablanca@ci.sandusky.oh.us](mailto:ablanca@ci.sandusky.oh.us)

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## FY2017 PROPOSED SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT

<u>Project</u>	<u>Previously Approved</u> <i>*includes allocation and prior year carryover</i>	<u>Proposed</u>	<u>Reason for Amendment</u>
<b>Program Administration</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Salaries / Fringes</li> <li>• Supplies</li> </ul>	\$115,000	\$115,000	
<b>Erie County Health Department, Information Referral 2-1-1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information &amp; Referral System</li> </ul>	\$8,000	\$8,000	
<b>Fair Housing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contracted with Donald Eager &amp; Associates</li> </ul>	\$9,000	\$9,000	
<b>Streets, Sidewalks, Curb &amp; Gutter</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Campbell Street</li> <li>• Scott Street</li> <li>• Columbus / Campbell / Scott Intersection</li> </ul>	\$365,000	\$365,000	
<b>Parks/ADA Improvements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central Park Improvements</li> <li>• Floating Dock near River Avenue</li> <li>• Skate Park Design</li> </ul>	\$120,000	\$120,000	
<b>Clearance &amp; Demolition (Residential)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demolish 8 structures</li> </ul>	\$108,649.76	\$148,649.76	Move \$40,000 of the Revolving Loan Fund dollars into Clearance and Demolition in order to demolish more residential structures.
<b>Code Enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Salaries / Fringes</li> </ul>	\$150,000	\$150,000	
<b>Sandusky Transit System</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Install bike racks, outdoor seating and trash receptacles at transit stops</li> </ul>	\$10,000	\$10,000	
<b>Erie County Senior Center, Meals on Wheels Program</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purchase of food for the Meals on Wheels Program</li> </ul>	\$15,000	\$15,000	
<b>Center for Cultural Awareness, Citizen Circle Program</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Help ex-offenders of the law to re-enter into society</li> </ul>	\$10,000	\$10,000	

<b>City of Sandusky Recreation Department, Summer Playground Program</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide children the opportunity to socially interact, participate in physical activity &amp; learn responsibility</li> </ul>	\$10,000	\$10,000	
<b>OHgo, OHgo Reach Program</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Give students opportunity to enhance development, strengthen parenting skills and support families access mainstream groups and services</li> </ul>	\$15,000	\$15,000	
<b>Economic Development RLF</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Loan program for new &amp; existing businesses</li> </ul>	\$50,000	\$0.00	Eliminate the current Economic Development RLF activity to provide more funding to the new Public Facilities activity.
<b>Public Facilities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engineering and Construction Plans for Jackson Street Pier</li> </ul>	\$610,000	\$610,000	Move \$610,000 of the Revolving Loan Fund dollars into a new activity, Public Facilities, in order to be able to complete the Engineering and Construction Plans for the Jackson Street Pier.
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$985,649.76</b>	<b>\$1,585,649.76</b>	