

BELKNAP COUNTY
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT
PUBLIC HEARINGS

The Belknap County Board of Commissioners will hold three consecutive Public Hearings on January 9, 2023, at 5:15pm at their offices at 34 County Drive, Laconia, NH. Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds are available to municipalities through the NH Community Development Finance Authority. Up to \$500,000 annually is available for Economic Development Projects, up to \$500,000 for Housing Projects, up to \$500,000 for Public Facility Projects, up to \$350,000 in Emergency Funds, up to \$25,000 per Planning Study grant. All projects must directly benefit a majority of low- and moderate-income persons. The Public Hearings will comment on the following:

1. This is a proposed application to the Community Development Finance Authority for up to \$500,000 in CDBG Housing Grant Funds. Of the grant funds, up to \$25,000 will be retained by the county for administrative/labor compliance costs associated with the project, \$475,000 of the funds will be subgranted to Lakes Region Community Developers (LRCD), or a related entity to be determined, toward the demolition of the existing 2 structures at 17-19 Bay Street, Laconia, and the construction at the site of 12 units of housing for low and moderate income persons. (not the rehabilitation of existing buildings).
2. The Housing and Community Development Plan,
3. The Anti-displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan.

Provisions for persons with special needs can be made by contacting the Commissioner's Office, via telephone, (603-527-5400), or mail, at least 5 days prior to the public hearing.

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