City of Lathrop's FY 2024-2025 CDBG/HOME Applications Workshop

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Home Investment Partnership (HOME) Programs

Lathrop City Council has directed HOME funds in past years to the two programs referenced below. San Joaquin County Neighborhood Preservation Division manages the program for the City of Lathrop. For more information visit:

- Call (209) 468-3175
- City Hall to pick up a brochure
- Visit:

https://www.ci.lathrop.ca.us/economic-development/page/home-investment-partnership-home-programs

Property Rehabilitation Program

- Must own and live in home needing repairs
- Must meet low-income guidelines



GAP Loan Program

- Down payment assistance
- Must meet low-income guidelines





HOME Program

Eligible Costs:

- Hard costs and soft costs for:
 - New construction
 - Rehabilitation
 - Reconstruction
 - Conversion
 - Improvements on HOME project site
 - Acquisition
 - Vacant land-Improved land-Construction must begin within 12 months

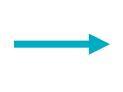




What is CDBG/HOME?

- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Home Investment Partnerships Program (HOME) from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). All federal regulations apply.
- San Joaquin County is the direct "entitlement" recipient.
- City of Lathrop is the "subrecipient" to the County.
- Community organizations are the "grantee(s)" of the City and the County.
- The City does not use any local funding for this program and applicants must abide by the program guidelines for the Federal CDBG/HOME funding.













HUD National Objectives

- Benefiting low- and moderate-income persons,
- Preventing or eliminating slums or blight, or
- Meeting other community development needs having a particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community and other financial resources are not available to meet such need.

An activity that fails to meet one or more of the applicable tests for meeting a national objective is in noncompliance with CDBG rules.





HUD Priorities



- To provide decent housing by preserving the affordable housing stock, increasing the availability of affordable housing, reducing discriminatory barriers, increasing the supply of supportive housing for those with special needs, and transitioning homeless persons and families into housing.
- To provide a suitable living environment through safer, more livable neighborhoods, greater integration of lower-income residents throughout San Joaquin County communities, increased housing opportunities, and reinvestment in deteriorating neighborhoods.
- To expand economic opportunities through more jobs paying self-sufficiency wages, homeownership opportunities, development activities that promote long-term community viability, and the empowerment of lower-income persons to achieve self-sufficiency.

All applications should meet the mandated Federal program areas in order to be eligible.



San Joaquin Continuum of Care



- Provision of emergency shelter for the homeless
- Provision of permanent housing (through rental assistance, acquisition or construction) for the homeless
- Provision of homeless prevention
- Has demonstrated capacity and experience to effectively implement proposed activity
- Has demonstrated quantifiable success in operating activities of similar scope
- Has demonstrated capacity and experience to implement project funds quickly and effectively (the SJCoC opposes tying up funds in projects that have languished for years without substantive action)



Grant Program Opportunities

City of Lathrop's Estimated Allocations for FY 2024-2025



Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

• 2024-25 Estimated Allocation: \$94,470

HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME)

• 2024-25 Estimated Allocation: \$33,893

*Allocation amounts will be finalized once the Federal Government passes budget.



CDBG Allocation Break Down

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

- 2024-25 Estimated Allocation: \$94,470
 - Public Services = 15% (\$14,170)
 - Public Facilities = 85% (\$80,300)





Grant Program Opportunities

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

Minimum/Maximum Awards:

Public Services:

\$5,000 Minimum/No Maximum

Public Improvement & Facilities:

Up to 100% of Available Funding



Key Information for 2024/25

- City of Lathrop administers and audits CDBG/HOME funds. All reimbursement documentation comes to City of Lathrop Program Administrator.
- Grantee must have an Annual Field Audit with San Joaquin County and City of Lathrop.
- Grant awards are for 2 year funding cycles.
- City of Lathrop scoring committee will review applications and suggest recommendations to City Council.
- Public Hearing held for Council to hear public comment and make award recommendations.
- San Joaquin County plays a larger role in the final award process, including potentially allocating supplemental funding for services and projects.

Applicant Eligibility

- Non-profit 501(c)(3) or government agencies.
- Provide service to Lathrop residents or have a facility located in Lathrop where services are provided locally.
- Activities benefit low-to-moderate income persons.
- Funds should not be used to offset ongoing operations.
- Grants are not available to individuals.
- Mandatory DUNS No. must be provided when applying.

CDBG/HOME Program - 2024-2025

NOW AVAILABLE



2024-2025 FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAMS APPLICATION FOR FUNDING

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG)
HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS (HOME)

CLICK HERE NOW TO DOWNLOAD
CDBG/HOME FY 2024/2025 FUNDING
APPLICATION PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITING THE PUBLIC TO APPLY FOR
CDBG/HOME FUNDING AVAILABILITY
AND TO PARTICIPATE IN CDBG
WORKSHOP

www.ci.lathrop.ca.us

Read More



Application Submittal

Submission Deadline is by:

5:00 PM, Friday, January 26, 2024

Submit to: **Economic Development Division**

City of Lathrop - City Hall

390 Towne Centre Drive, Lathrop, CA 95330

- OR

VIA Email* to: econdev@ci.Lathrop.ca.us

*It is the applicants responsibility to confirm receipt of emailed applications with grantor by calling City of Lathrop (209) 941-7221.

Submission(s) Must Include:

Completed Application and All Required Attachments

Application Submittal

Applicants must include:

- 1. Completed Grant Application
- 2. Line-Item Budget
- 3. Organizations Financial Statement for completed Fiscal Year, with balance sheet and income/expenditure statement.
- 4. Copy of letter or audit indicating review of most recent financial statement from CPA/Accountant.
- 5. If non-profit, copy of determination from State Franchise Tax Board or IRS confirming non-profit status.

Missing documents will be deemed as an incomplete application and will not be accepted.



CDBG Program

Ineligible Activities:

- New Housing Construction
- Income Payments
- Purchase of Equipment, certain exceptions when used in conjunction with delivery of a public service.
- Operating and Maintenance Expenses

*Certain exceptions apply on a case by case basis, so if you are not sure feel free to ask your CDBG administrator if your project qualifies.





Public Service Projects

- Limited to 15% Cap as defined by HUD.
- CDBG-funded public service activities are typically categorized under the LMI Benefit National Objective as either Area of Benefit or Limited Clientele activities.
 - AREA OF BENEFIT: Public services directed to a low income neighborhood located in a Qualified Census Tract defined by HUD.
 - LIMITED CLIENTELE SERVICES: Public services directed to low income families or individuals, seniors, disabled residents, disadvantaged youth who may reside in an area not considered low income.











San Joaquin County LMI

FY 2023 Income Limitations for the CDBG & HOME Programs

Percent of Median Income Stockton-Lodi, CA MSA

Family Size	Extremely Low Income*	Very Low Income (50%)	Low Income (80%)				
1	\$18,450	\$30,700	\$49,100				
2	\$21,050	\$35,100	\$56,100				
3	\$24,860	\$39,500	\$63,100				
4	\$30,000	\$43,850	\$70,100				
5	\$35,140	\$47,400	\$75,750				
6	\$40,280	\$50,900	\$81,350				
7	\$45,420	\$54,400	\$86,950				
8	\$50,560	\$57,900	\$92,550				

Source: https://www.huduser.gov, Stockton-Lodi, CA MSA, FY 2023 Income Limits Summary

The Stockton-Lodi, CA MSA contains the following areas: San Joaquin County, CA

*The FY 2014 Consolidated Appropriations Act changed the definition of extremely low-income to be the greater of 30/50ths (60 percent) of the Section 8 very low-income limit or the poverty guideline as established by the Department of Health and Human Serv ices (HHS), provided that this amount is not greater than the Section 8 50% very low-income limit. Consequently, the extremely low income limits may equal the very low (50%) income limits.

Income Limit areas are based on FY 2023 Fair Market Rent (FMR) areas. For information on FMRs, please see the HUD associated FY 2023 Fair Market Rent documentation system.

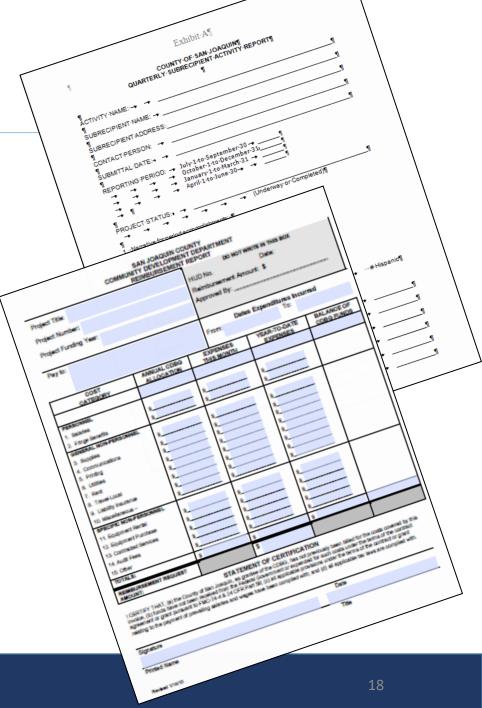


Reimbursements

Public Service

 Document all payments, invoices and payroll for which you seek reimbursement.

- Provide a Reimbursement Request Form and Subrecipient Activity Report.
- Document and provide your performance reports for clientele served.





Public Facilities Projects

- Projects eligible in Block Tract Areas, or when serving a documented Low and Moderate Income Clientele (LMC)
- Contractor Eligibility
- Procurement of Services and Construction Work
- Apply for City building permits, where necessary
- City coordination prior to work starting
- Labor Compliance with Davis-Bacon and Prevailing Wages
- Ongoing Contractor Compliance

*Most important: To receive grant funds, do not begin any construction work without a Notice to Proceed (NTP) from the City and Labor Compliance Consultant and a commitment of funding from the City/County through the Subrecipient Grant Agreement.







Quotes, Estimates and Bidding

- ✓ Services of architects, engineers, artists, consultants and similar professionals are exempt from competitive bidding requirements.
- ✓ Construction projects with a cost of less than \$5,000 are exempt from competitive bidding requirements.
- ✓ Construction projects with a **cost above \$5,000** are required to follow the small purchase method which includes providing **three (3) bids** from independent contractors. Sole source approval under the small purchase method is not allowable.
- ✓ If a project is over \$100,000 in value, the contractor shall provide a payment and performance bond in favor of the applicant and shall formally bid the project.



Contractors

- Active, good standing license with the Contractors State License Board (CSLB).
- Registered with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) to bid public works. Must have DIR # prior to bidding.
- Good standing in the Official U.S. Government System for Award Management (SAM).
- Understands Davis-Bacon and prevailing wage requirements.
- Understands certified payroll requirements.







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Labor Compliance

- Required coordination and contact with the Labor Compliance Program Consultant.
- Contractors will need to abide by Davis-Bacon federal wage rates and regulations.
- On site job information posting requirements.
- On site interviews, when appropriate.
- Certified payroll submission required to DIR and Labor Compliance Program Consultant.

Construction Phase

- City requires construction of work to be complete by June 30, 2026.
- Exceptions are allowed due to scope of project, contractor delays, weather and other factors.
- Delays should be communicated to the City's CDBG Grant Program Administrator.



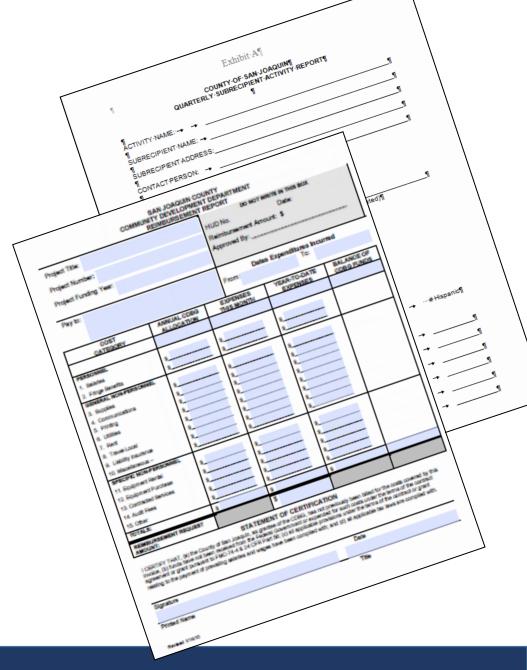




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- Document all payments, invoices and payroll for which you seek reimbursement.
- Contact Labor Compliance Consultant to verify certified payroll is approved.
- Provide a Reimbursement Request Form and Subrecipient Activity Report.



DATES TO REMEMBER

January 26, 2024 Application submittal deadline at 5:00PM

February 12, 2024* Public Hearing / Lathrop City Council

Consideration & Recommendation of

CDBG/HOME funding grant request(s)

May 2023 TBD* Public Hearing performed by San Joaquin

County Board of Supervisors for 2024-2025

Final Grant Allocations

July 1, 2024 Applicants commence services, subject to

City and County approval

*Public Meeting(s)



Questions?



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