

# 2017-2021 Consolidated Plan Summary City of New Orleans



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The Office of Community Development, along with the engagement and input of citizens, community-based organizations, financial institutions, social service providers, and more, is developing the City's Consolidated Plan (CP). The CP is a five year housing and community development plan (2017-2021) which serves as: a planning document; an application for the Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) formula grants; a strategy used to implement HUD programs; and an action plan that provides a basis for assessing performance. Specifically, the CP is the planning and application process for four (4) formula grants:

- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
- Home Investment Partnership Act (HOME)
- Housing Opportunities for Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (HOPWA)
- Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)

### Stakeholders & Citizen Participation

Stakeholders consists of representatives from Community Leaders, the City Planning Commission, New Orleans Recreation Development Commission, Department of Public Works, New Orleans Redevelopment Authority, JOB1, the Housing Authority of New Orleans, the New Orleans Health Department, Social Service Advocates, and Lending and Educational Institutions, in addition to the general public. Together, stakeholders and citizens provide input on funding priorities for the current year and the following four years, as well as contribute and investigate ways to leverage all existing resources. The CP consists of a Needs Assessment, a Housing Market Analysis, and a Strategic Plan.

As required by HUD, the 2017-2021 Consolidated Plan's Citizens Participation Process (CPP) includes Stakeholder & Public Hearing Meetings that specifically seek input into how the goals identified in the City's Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH) inform the priorities and objectives of the consolidated plan.

### Priorities of Previous Consolidated Plan

#### Housing

- Homeownership for low to moderate income families
- Availability of affordable and viable rental housing
- Provide owner-occupied rehabilitation to low- to moderate-income families
- Increased public awareness of laws which affect impediments to fair housing

#### Community Development

- Youth Services
- Child Care
- Literacy/Education
- Housing Counseling
- Senior Services
- Health Services
- Micro-Business Development

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- Lead-Based Paint Control
- Public Facility Improvements
- Planning

**Continuum of Care**

- Emergency Shelter
- Transitional Housing
- Supportive Services
- Permanent Housing

**Target Populations**

The programs that address the above priority needs are targeted to the following populations:

- Low-to-moderate income households
- Homeless families with children
- Single-parent households (particularly households moving from welfare to work)
- Elderly households
- Persons with Disabilities

**Annual Updates & Action Plans**

The CP is a community-based process that requires review, monitoring, and updates. In addition to submitting the CP every five years, the City must submit an updated Annual Action Plan (AAP) to HUD. The AAP identifies the proposed funding and activities for the next program year. The public is encouraged to participate in the process. Each year, there are public hearings to discuss the CP.

**Timeline**

<p>March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017 1:30PM to 3:30PM</p>	<p><b>First Stakeholder’s Meeting</b> Joseph M. Bartholomew Sr. Golf Course 6514 Congress Drive New Orleans, LA 70126</p>
<p>March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017 5:30PM to 7:30PM</p>	<p><b>First Public Hearing</b> New Orleans Public Library, Mid-City Branch 4140 Canal Street New Orleans, LA 701119</p>
<p>TBA</p>	<p><b>Draft 2017-2021 Consolidated Plan Thirty (30) Day Review Date</b></p>
<p>TBA</p>	<p><b>Second Public Hearing</b></p>
<p>TBA</p>	<p><b>Draft 2017-2021 Consolidated Plan / 2017 Annual Action Plan Submission Date</b></p>