



RICHLAND COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Community Planning & Development

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

Request for Applications (RFA) Process/NOFA

NOFA Announcement: Friday, March 3, 2017 to Wednesday April 5, 2017

- To All Interested Parties: This is the official notification of funding availability for HUD's FY 17-18 CDBG Funds. Richland County's annual allocation has not been released as of March 3, 2017.
- APPLICATION PROCESS NOTIFICATION: Online on the County's website by 3/3/17 and Interested Parties Notification Mass Distribution
- The Grant Year's Cycle is October 1, 2017 to September 30, 2018
- Process is a 100 point based system – Competitive Process
- Applications will be ranked and scored by an internal committee (to be named)
- Application Process will include a Post Application Meeting and Pre Award Meeting after Application Selection
- Minimum award amount will be \$25,000 and Maximum award amount will be \$100,000
- No more than a total of five (5) Public Service Awards will be granted during FY 17-18
- Organizations are encouraged to apply **only** if you are ready to begin implementation of your proposed project(s).
- Application Form – Available Upon Requests
- **Applications due no later than April 5, 2017 by 4 pm EST.**
- Process Timeline:
 - Application Submission to RCG 4/5/17
 - Application Reviews completed 5/30/17
 - HUD Action Plan Approval by Council 7/30/17
 - HUD Action Plan Submission 8/15/17
- All of the above is contingent upon various factors outside of Richland County Community Development's control to include but not limited to federal funding availability, etc.
- For an application copy and more information, please contact Valeria Davis Jackson @ jacksonv@rcgov.us or 803-576-2063 (Direct Office Line).