

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Community Development Block Grant (CBDG) and Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR)



CDBG Program Year 2015 Allocations:

8th District Entitlement Communities:

Arlington Heights: \$240,332
Des Plaines: \$276,523
Elgin: \$798,926
Hoffman Estates: \$246,395
Mt. Prospect: \$256,919
Palatine: \$371,311
Schaumburg: \$299,949

8th District Urban Counties:

Cook: \$9,043,048
DuPage: \$3,207,188
Kane: \$1,132,178
Lake: \$2,412,691
*McHenry County: \$1,336,571

*Not 8th District, but municipal crossover



DuPage County – Village of Bensenville – Volks Subdivision
Sewer, Sidewalks, Resurfacing
\$1,552,149/\$5,032,289

Understanding CDBG...

Follow the Money:



Three National Objectives:



**Kane County – Village of Carpentersville
2013 Streets and Sidewalks
Curb and Gutter, Sidewalks, Street
Surfacing, ADA Upgrades
\$141,130/\$329,442**



How Does Infrastructure Fit In?

Public Facilities and Improvements:

(aka infrastructure and related projects)

National Objective: Generally Low/Mod Area Benefit

- Area is at minimum 51% Low-Moderate Income Persons (census data, income surveys; may be different percentage based on location)
- Benefits all of area, a defined area, primarily residential

Eligible Activities:

- Infrastructure Improvements: Streets, Curbs, Water and Sewer – extends to lighting, tree removal, engineering and construction planning/documents
 - NOT – potholes, cracked sidewalks, regular maintenance
- Accessibility Improvements – ADA accessible curb cuts, sidewalk design, ramps, intersection improvements

Key regulations:

- Environmental Reviews, Labor laws – Davis Bacon, URA, EO

Big Impacts...

Village of Hoffman Estates– Void Drive Improvements
Street Reconstruction, Bike Lanes, Lighting
\$253,000 CDBG Investment



McHenry County – Village of Union– ION Treatment Plant
Treatment Station, ION system and equipment, Water Tower
\$1,337,209.84 CDBG Investment – Almost Complete

What Else Is Possible?

Other Public Facilities and Improvements:

- Parks, Playgrounds, Recreational Facilities
- *Improvements to government property – only accessibility improvements*



Related CDBG:

- Slum and Blight – Clearance/Demolition
- Urgent Need – Natural Disasters
- Code Enforcement
- Special Economic Development

City of Des Plaines – Apache Park Improvements
Lighting and Park Equipment
\$236,000 CDBG Investment

Special Grant – CDBG-DR

Awarded to Four (4) Entities in Illinois:

State of Illinois: \$10,400,000

Cook County: \$83,616,000

DuPage County: \$31,526,000

City of Chicago: \$63,075,000

*Funds Still Available for Application

Eligible Activities:

- Follows CDBG - must be related to 2013 flood events
- Building Back Resilience



DuPage County – Carol Stream Armstrong Park
Klein Creek Flood Mitigation Project
Construction of a two-reservoir system,
environmental design features, recreational
opportunities
\$9.2 million/12.5million – Almost Complete

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