CDBG GRANT CYCLE TIMELINE

What	Who	When	Done
Attend CDBG Application Training:	Grant	June 2025	
All grant administrators and grant recipients that wish to	Administrator,		
apply for CDBG must attend training	Grantee		
ZoomGrantsOpen:	Grant	July 1, 2025 –	
https://zoomgrants.com/gprop.asp?donorid=2217	Administrator	October 17, 2025	
Enter project ideas into ZoomGrants for eligibility approval			
1 st Public Meeting describing CDBG program is held:	Grant	July	
Public notice posted 14 days prior to meeting.	Administrator	1 st Public meeting	
Informational meeting. Review past CDBG projects and		required to be held	
estimated funding. Review types of eligible activities and		in July	
national objectives. Call for project ideas and contact to			
submit potential projects. Give date of next meeting 30			
days after 1 st meeting.			
2 nd Public Meeting held:	Grant	At least 30 days	
Public notice posted 14 days prior to meeting.	Administrator	after 1 st Public	
Talk about proposed projects, estimated costs, and		Meeting.	
estimated beneficiaries. Request public input and announce			
that no additional projects can be submitted after October		Before Eligibility due	
17 th . Announce 3 rd /final meeting date and location 30 days		date of October 17 th	
after 2 nd meeting. Projects to submit for applications will			
be determined then. Council or Commission will prioritize			
projects.			
Submit job matrix to CDBG staff:	Grant	By September 30 th	
Must be completed to submit a project for Eligibility.	Administrator	so data can be run	
		before October 17 th	
		Eligibility due date.	
Project eligibility ideas due and submitted.	Grant	October 17 th	
Grant Administrator must submit eligibility in ZoomGrants.	Administrator		
Notification by CDBG:	CDBG Staff	October 20 th - 24 th	
CDBG Grant Administrators are notified if projects are			
eligible or not.			
Eligible projects developed into applications.	Grant	Mid-October thru	
	Administrator,	Late-February	
	CDBG Staff	20 th , 2026.	
Final (3 rd) Council or Commission Meeting to approve and	Grant	Mid-October until	
rank applications to be submitted:	Administrator	last	
Public notice posted 14 days prior to meeting.		council/commission	
Council/commission members address public comments		meeting prior to	
and prioritize applications. Final selection of projects is		February 20 th , 2026	
made.			
Grant CDBG Staff access to ZoomGrants applications:	Grant	January 16 th , 2026	
	Administrator		
Applications due:	Grant	February 20 th , 2026	
Applications may be submitted any time between the 3 rd	Administrator		
(last) Public Meeting and February 20 th due date. No			
applications are accepted after February 20 th , 2026.			
Applicants with applications not eligible are notified:	Grant	Late February 2026	
If conditions apply to any application, applicant is notified.	Administrator		

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Applications available for review by CDBG Advisory	CDBG staff	After February 20 th	
Committee.		due date.	
CDBG Project Presentations due to CDBG Program	Grant	Mid-March 2026	
Specialist:	Administrator		
Email the Program Administrator and Program Specialist			
the presentation			
CDBG Advisory Committee Allocation Meeting:	Grant	Late March 2026	
Allocation meeting may change depending on when	Administrator,		
Congress passes the budget.	Grantee,		
	CDBG Staff		
Applicants notified about recommended allocations:	Grant	Late March or early	
Dates are contingent on Congress passing a budget.	Administrator	April 2026	
Award agreements processed:	Grant	Late May or by first	
Grantees have grant agreements signed and returned to	Administrator	week in June 2026	
CDBG office by July 1 st .			
CDBG Grant Year begins	Grant	July 1, 2026	
	Administrator,		
	Grantee		