



SPARTANBURG COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

**PUBLIC NOTICE
PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD & PUBLIC HEARING
SPARTANBURG COUNTY
PROGRAM YEAR 2021 CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL
PERFORMANCE AND EVALUATION REPORT (CAPER)
HOME-AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN (HOME-ARP) ALLOCATION PLAN**

NOTICE IS GIVEN that a draft of the PY2021 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for Spartanburg County has been completed and will be available for a 15-day public review period. The CAPER reports on accomplishments and expenditures for the County's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Investment Partnerships program (HOME) as required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) during the 2021 program year from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022. In PY 2021, \$1,571,559 was made available for the CDBG program and \$585,622 was made available for the HOME program.

A draft of the HOME-American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) Allocation Plan for Spartanburg County has also been completed and will be available for a 15-day public review period. The County was awarded \$2,122,446 in HOME-ARP funds in a one-time allocation from HUD. The Allocation Plan is required by HUD for the County to receive federal HOME-ARP grant funds. The HOME-ARP Allocation Plan is a strategic plan detailing the allocation of funding to assist qualifying populations who are experiencing homelessness, at-risk of homelessness, and other vulnerable populations by providing affordable rental housing, tenant-based rental assistance, supportive services, and non-congregate shelter in order to reduce homelessness and increase housing stability. The Allocation Plan defines the use of federal HOME-ARP grant funds to address these needs.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: Citizens are invited to review and make comments on the draft 2021 CAPER and HOME-ARP Allocation Plan. The draft CAPER and HOME-ARP Allocation Plan will be available for (15) fifteen days beginning August 25, 2022 to September 9, 2022, and comments concerning the draft CAPER or HOME-ARP Allocation Plan must be received by September 9, 2022. The draft CAPER and HOME-ARP Allocation Plan can be viewed at Spartanburg County Community Services Building at 9039 Fairforest Road, Spartanburg, SC 29301 and can also be downloaded and viewed from the County website at: <https://www.spartanburgcounty.org/235/Notices-of-Public-Hearings-and-Comment-P>.

Comments may be returned by mail to Spartanburg County Community Development, PO Box 5666, Spartanburg, SC 29304 or by email to: abrunson@spartanburgcounty.org.

PUBLIC HEARING: A public hearing will be held at the Spartanburg County Services Building at 9039 Fairforest Road, Spartanburg, SC 29301 on September 8, 2022 from 5:00PM to 6:00PM to review and discuss the draft CAPER and the draft HOME-ARP Allocation Plan. For more information on how to participate at the public hearing please email abrunson@spartanburgcounty.org, or call 864-595-5317.

Spartanburg County does not discriminate on the basis of age, color, religion, sex, national origin, familial status or disability in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its federally assisted programs or activities. Assistance will be provided to accommodate the special needs of disabled persons upon 24-hour advance request. Please contact Ms. Lisa Hart, Interim Director of Human Resources, at 366 N. Church St. Spartanburg, SC 29303, 864-596-2522 (Voice), 864-596-2001 (TDD) if assistance is needed.