

PUBLIC COMMENT NOTICE  
PROPOSED SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO  
THE TOWN OF COLONIE'S PY 2019 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT CV (CDBG-CV 3) FUNDS  
THROUGH THE CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF AND ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT (CARES Act)  
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The Town of Colonie announces that a proposed substantial amendment to the Town's Program Year 2019 Annual Action Plan is available for public review and comment.

In response to the Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19) the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has notified the Town of Colonie that it will receive an additional \$697,697 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG-CV 3) funds to be used to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus (COVID-19). This allocation was authorized by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act), Public Law 116-136, which was signed by President Trump on March 27, 2020, to respond to the growing effects of this historic public health crisis.

The Town has proposed utilizing CDBG-CV 3 funds for the following purpose:

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Technical Assistance for Colonie Small Businesses  
**Applicant:** Community Loan Fund of the Capital Region  
**Amount:** \$50,000

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Colonie Small Business Grant Fund  
**Applicant:** Community Loan Fund of the Capital Region  
**Amount:** \$100,000

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Mortgage Relief Program  
**Applicant:** Affordable Housing Partnership of the Capital Region  
**Amount:** \$50,000

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Colonie Homeless Prevention Project  
**Applicant:** Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York  
**Amount:** \$16,000

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Emergency Housing Assistance Program  
**Applicant:** Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York  
**Amount:** \$146,242

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Emergency Housing Assistance Program  
**Applicant:** Town of Colonie Community Development Department  
**Amount:** \$-12,000

**Note:** The COVID-19 Emergency Housing Assistance Program will now be administered by the Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York.

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Increase Wi-Fi Services – Schuyler Inn  
**Applicant:** The Altamont Program  
**Amount:** \$26,177

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Remote Learning Initiative  
**Applicant:** Menands Union Free School District  
**Amount:** \$34,931

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Remote Learning Initiative  
**Applicant:** North Colonie Central School District  
**Amount:** \$97,968

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Remote Learning Initiative  
**Applicant:** South Colonie Central School District  
**Amount:** \$142,615

**Proposed Project:** COVID-19 Program Administration  
**Applicant:** Town of Colonie Community Development Department  
**Amount:** \$45,764

A draft of the proposed substantial amendment to the Town's Program Year 2019 Annual Action Plan may be examined at the Town of Colonie Community Development Department, 534 New Loudon Road, Latham, NY 12110 any weekday, Monday through Friday, between 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Comments should be submitted to the Town's Community Development Department no later than 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 25, 2020.