

**CITY OF CHEYENNE HOUSING
& COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
DIVISION
2024 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN
NOTICE OF PUBLIC REVIEW
PERIOD AND PUBLIC
HEARING**

This notice includes information on the public review period for the 2024 Annual Action Plan, and locations and ways for citizens to provide input. This document is required for submission to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) because the city receives Community Development Block Grant federal funds for housing and community development. Copies of this public notice will be distributed to partner entities serving a significant population of legally protected classes, special populations, persons in a federal "Presumed Benefit" category, or persons who may otherwise have barriers to public participation.

The City of Cheyenne DRAFT FY24 Annual Action Plan (AAP) will be available for public review from April 7 to May 6, 2024. During this period, written comments on the 2024 Annual Action Plan may be submitted in person to the City of Cheyenne Housing & Community Development Division at 2101 O'Neil Avenue, 3rd Floor, Cheyenne, WY 82001, or via agorbey@cheyennecity.org. For more information, call Amy Gorbey, Community Development Manager at 307-637-6255.

The AAP is available on the city's website at www.cheyennecity.org/Your-Government/Departments/City-Treasurer/Housing-Community-Development-Division. Printed copies are available at the City Clerk's Office, the Mayor's Office, and the Laramie County Library.

The AAP identifies immediate actions proposed for the coming year and contributes to the more comprehensive Five-Year Consolidated Plan. The plan addresses housing and public service needs and identifies the funding allocations for each project. The City of Cheyenne H&CD Office anticipates that HUD will allocate \$448,011 and approximately \$94,000 in recaptured funding, Tier 1 and 2, to undertake its 2024 AAP. The recommended allocations for Public Service projects are Equal Justice Wyoming Foundation: \$18,000 for Legal Services, Safehouse \$10,000 for Victim's Assistance, and \$17,000 for Utility Assistance and Needs Inc.: \$20,00 for the Food Pantry. The recommended allocations for General Services projects are Habitat for Humanity of Laramie County: \$88,000 for Home Rehabilitation for LMI Homeowners and \$299,000 for Acquisition and Rehabilitation of a Blighted Property for an LMI Homeowner.

A public hearing will be held, and a resolution will be presented to the Cheyenne City Council on April 22, 2024. The meeting will begin at 6:00 pm and be held in the Council Chambers at 2101 O'Neil Avenue, Cheyenne, WY 82001. A public meeting will be held during the City Council Finance Committee on May 6, 2024. The meeting begins at noon at 2101 O'Neil Avenue, Room 104. If the city council approves

the 2024 Annual Action Plan, the city will submit the plan to HUD on or before May 17, 2024. HUD has 45 days to review the Plan. Citizens are encouraged to participate in both the public hearing and public meeting. The City of Cheyenne will make reasonable accommodations for access to city services, programs, and activities and make special communication arrangements for persons with disabilities. All venues for participation in this process are fully accessible. Individuals with a disability requesting reasonable accommodation may contact the Office of Human Resources at 307-637-6340 at least two business days before the meeting. For access to the Zoom Meeting, contact agorbey@cheyennecity.org at least three days prior to the hearing or meeting.

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