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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING FOR DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE STATE CDBG APPLICATION & USE OF PROGRAM INCOME FUNDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of Mendocino will conduct a public meeting on November 4, 2025, to discuss possible applications for funding under the State Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and potential activities to be included in the applications. The meeting will be held during the regularly scheduled Board of Supervisors meeting on November 4, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as the agenda item may be heard in Board Chambers at 501 Low Gap Road, Ukiah, California 95482.

The Board of Supervisors will consider the allocation of \$479,931 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program Income to support two projects:

- Centro Negocio West (CNW) | Spanish Language Microenterprise Technical Assistance Project | \$100,000
- County of Mendocino | Business Loan Program | \$379,931

The selected projects support low- and moderate-income (LMI) residents by offering culturally responsive technical assistance, counseling, and training to microenterprises, along with workshops and networking opportunities. In addition, these projects provide low-interest loans to businesses that create or retain jobs for low- and moderate-income residents and strengthen economic resilience. The Board will consider adopting a resolution authorizing the submission of program income applications to the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) and the execution of related grant agreements.

The County of Mendocino has approximately \$479,931 in available CDBG Program Income, prior to approval of these applications, to put towards CDBG projects.

The purpose of this hearing is to review CDBG eligible activities and collect residents' views on housing and community development needs (which includes services, facilities, and/or infrastructure that will improve livability within the community).

The following information related to the project is available at 501 Low Gap, Ukiah, California 95482 between the hours of 8am and 5pm, Monday through Friday, visiting https://www.mendocinocounty.gov/government/economic-development, or by emailing the contact listed below:

- A. Amount of funds available and range of activities that may be undertaken.
- B. Information on proposed project(s).
- C. Estimated amounts of funds proposed to be used for activities benefiting persons of low- and moderate-income.
- D. Plans for minimizing displacement of persons as a result of activities associated with CDBG funds and plans for providing assistance to persons displaced as a result of CDBG-funded activities.

E. Records regarding the past use of CDBG funds.

If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the County of Mendocino at the address above (ATTN: Grants Division), or you may contact the Grants Division by telephone or email at 707-463-4441 or grantsdivision@mendocinocounty.gov no later than 5 p.m. on July 25, 2025, to ensure placement in the official record of the hearing.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) COMPLIANCE. Mendocino County complies with ADA requirements and upon request, will attempt to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities by making meeting material available in appropriate alternate formats (pursuant to Government Code Section 54953.2). Anyone requiring reasonable accommodation to participate in the meeting should contact the Clerk of the Board by calling 707-463-4441 at least five days prior to the meeting.