Community Development Block Grant Notice of Public Hearing Concerning Application

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, April 8, 2025, at 6:00 pm, Colleton County will hold a public hearing concerning an application to be submitted to South Carolina Department of Commerce, Grants Administration on or before April 21, 2025, for a Community Development Block Grant. The meeting will be held in Colleton County Council Chambers, 109 Benson Street, Old Jail Building, Second Floor, Walterboro SC 29488.

Colleton County is requesting approximately \$2,150,000 to replace Well 1AB-Teledyne with a new well to be constructed on Thunderbolt Drive and to upgrade the capacity at Well 4AB-Stevens from 660 GPM to 1300 GPM to keep up with demand. This project will also improve fire protection for this area. This would benefit approximately 2,199 persons, of which at least 1,121 or 51% are low-to-moderate income. The service area is just north of the city limits; however, the established infrastructure belongs to the City of Walterboro. The well improvements will be done to cover the service area that includes all or part of Aardvark, Academy Road, Albert Street, Anderson Road, Arcadian Court, Ashmead, Auld Brass Road, Barbara, Belfast Lane, Bentley Drive, Bill Court, Blarney Stone, Blatt Ave (Tuskegee Airman), Breddell Court, Briarleaf Circle, Broach Park Lane, Buffalo, Calhoun, Carnation Court, Carolina Circle, Chamblee Road, Chelsea Drive, Clark Street, Conway Street, Cougar Nation (shown as Jefferies), Covey, Crestview Lane, Culpepper, Dallas, Denmark, Devon Court, Driggers Lane, Dublin Street, Elliott Court, Estates Drive, Flat Shoals, Friendship Street, Gary Court, Geology Lane, Giraffe, Hatchell Street, Hawk, Huntington Court, Industrial Road, Jefferies Highway, Jefferson Davis, Johnnie's Circle (connected from Phillips), Keegan Road, Knights Avenue, Lakeshore Drive, Lakespur Court, Lakewood Drive, Lemon Road, Mallory, Mandy Avenue, Manor Drive, Mike Street, Milestone Lane, Moonlight Road, Mountain View, Moyer Lane, Northside Drive, Oswald Court, Oxford, Partridge, Phillips Road, Pulis Street, Quail Drive, Racoon Drive, Recreation Lane, Redtail, Robert E Lee Blvd, Rose Avenue, Ross Avenue, Sand Dollar Court, Seigler Drive, Sidneys Road, Stephanie Drive, Sunshine Drive, Sweet Briar Road, Taft Street, Teakwood Street, Technology Drive, Thunderbolt Road, Vanguard Road, Venture, Wade Hampton Ave, Waterford Street, Wellston Street, White Sand Road, Willow Court, Winchester Road, and Wintergreen Road.

This public hearing and the matters to be discussed are subject to the provisions of the County's Citizen Participation Plan, developed in anticipation of participation in the State of South Carolina's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, providing for the participation of the citizens of Colleton County in the planning and implementation of community and economic development projects which will involve CDBG funds. The Citizen Participation Plan is available for review at Colleton County Administration, 109 Benson Street, Walterboro, SC between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Persons with questions or comments concerning the public hearing or the Citizen Participation Plan may contact Kimberly Varn, Lowcountry Council of Governments, Post Office Box 98, Yemassee, SC 29945, (843) 473-3990.

Colleton County does not discriminate on the basis of age, color, religion, sex, national origin, familial status, or disability in the admission of or access to, or treatment or employment in its federally assisted programs or activities. Deadgrea Sadler, Colleton County, 843-549-5221, has been designated to coordinate compliance with the nondiscrimination requirements contained in the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's regulations.

Note: Assistance will be provided to accommodate the special needs of disabled and/or LEP persons, upon request.