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**TOWN OF PORT DEPOSIT  
MARYLAND COMMUNITY BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Port Deposit will conduct a Public Hearing on Tuesday, June 3, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in Town Hall, 64 S. Main Street and via Zoom to obtain the views of citizens on community, economic development, and housing needs to be considered for submission of an application to the Maryland Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG). Citizens will have the opportunity to discuss proposed projects and to provide input on other needs to be considered. The draft application will be available for the public to review starting on May 30, 2025, Town Hall, 64 S. Main St., Port Deposit during normal business hours.

Citizens will be furnished with information including but not limited to:

- \* the amount of CDBG funds available for State Fiscal Year 2025;
- \* the range of activities that may be undertaken with CDBG funds; and
- \* the proposed projects under consideration by the Town of Port Deposit.

The Maryland Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program is a federally funded program designed to assist governments with activities directed toward neighborhood and housing revitalization, economic development, and improved community facilities and services. It is administered by the Department of Housing and Community Development.

The Maryland CDBG Program reflects the State's economic and community development priorities and provides public funds for activities which meet one of the following national objectives, in accordance with the federal Housing Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, that:

1. benefit to low and moderate income persons and households;
2. aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight;
3. meet other community development needs of an urgent nature, or that are an immediate threat to community health and welfare.

Efforts will be made to accommodate the disabled and non-English speaking residents with ten (10) *days* advance notice to Kym Adams, 410.378.2121 or via email to [kadams@portdeposit.org](mailto:kadams@portdeposit.org).

The public may participate via video conference - go to [www.zoom.us](https://www.zoom.us) and enter meeting ID: 896 8953 9935 and for audio access call (301) 715-8592 and follow the prompts to enter the meeting ID listed above. Contact Town Hall at 410.378.2121 or email Kym Adams at [kadams@portdeposit.org](mailto:kadams@portdeposit.org) if you need assistance or have any questions. Comments may also be submitted in writing to the Town Administrator at [vrinkerman@portdeposit.org](mailto:vrinkerman@portdeposit.org).

BY: Mayor Wayne Tome, Jr.