

COMBINED PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

Date of Posting: August 16, 2022
Responsible Entity: City of Edinburg
Address: 415 West University Drive, Suite F
Edinburg, Texas 78540
Phone Number: (956) 388-8206

These notices shall satisfy the above-cited two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of Edinburg.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about September 7, 2022 the City of Edinburg will submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for the release of Community Development Block Grant funds under Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, to undertake a project known as **2022-2023 Annual Action Plan**, for the following activities.

PUBLIC FACILITIES AND IMPROVEMENTS:

Edinburg Municipal Park – Field Turf Project (1 Field) \$ 340,000.00
Project consists of the installation of turf on one baseball field at Municipal Park. Municipal Park is located at 712 South Raul Longoria road.

Evangeline Gardens Subdivision – Solar Street Light Project \$ 40,809.00
Project consists of the installation of twelve (12) solar powered street lights along the City's current right-of-way. Residents will have better visibility in the evening and overnight hours. This project is located north of Edinburg on Adams Lane and M Road.

Holly Heights Subdivision – Solar Street Light Project \$ 64,615.00
Project consists of the installation of nineteen (19) solar powered street lights along the City's current right-of-way. Residents will have better visibility in the evening and overnight hours. This project is located north of Edinburg on Veronica Land and Christopher Lane.

Bar Subdivision No. 6 – Solar Street Light Project \$ 37,752.00
This project consists of the installation of eleven (11) solar powered street lights along the City's current right-of-way. Residents will have better visibility in the evening and overnight hours. This project is located north of Edinburg on the corner of North Monte Cristo Road and North Mon Mack Road.

Max Subdivision – Solar Street Light Project \$ 20,404.00
This project consists of the installation of six (6) solar powered street lights along the City's current right-of-way. Residents will have better visibility in the evening and overnight hours. This project is located north of Edinburg on West Rodgers Road and Longoria Lane.

SECONDARY PROJECTS

De Zavala Park – Fitness Court \$ 150,000.00
The project consists of the construction of a fitness court at De Zavala Park including a permanently affixed, bodyweight workout area, flooring, cement base, and sunshade. This project is to enhance the healthy living of Edinburg residents. The park will be located on the De Zavala Elementary school grounds at 3615 West Rogers Road, northwest corner of Monmack Rd. and Rogers Rd.

Edinburg Municipal Park – Field Turf Project (1Field) \$ 340,000.00
Project consists of the installation of turf on one baseball field at Municipal Park. Municipal Park is located at 712 South Raul Longoria road.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The City of Edinburg has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at the Community Development/Grants Management Department located at 415 West University Drive, and may be examined or copied weekdays 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M or may be accessed for viewing at the following web link: <https://www.onecpd.info/environmental-review/environmental-review-records>

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency disagreeing with this determination or wishing to comment on the project may submit written comments to the City of Edinburg to the address as set forth above. Comments may also be submitted via email at cdbpubliccomments@cityofedinburg.com. All comments received by September 6, 2022 will be considered by the City of Edinburg prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Commenters should specify which part of this Notice they are addressing.

RELEASE OF FUNDS

The City of Edinburg certifies to the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) that Ramiro Garza, Jr. in his capacity as Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. HUD's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities, and allows the City of Edinburg to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD will accept objections to its release of funds and the City of Edinburg's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following basis: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer or other officer of the City of Edinburg approved by HUD; (b) the City of Edinburg has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58; (c) the grant recipient has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by HUD; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted via email in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to the HUD San Antonio Field Office at CPD COVID-19OEE-SAN@hud.gov. Potential objectors should contact the HUD San Antonio Field Office via email to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Si necesita ayuda con la traducción con respecto a este aviso, favor de comunicarse con el Departamento de Administración de Subvenciones el Desarrollo Comunitario al (956) 388-8206.