CITY OF FRANKLIN, NH Community Development Block Grant Public Hearings

In accordance with the provision of Chapter 31, Division 2 of the Franklin Municipal Code, notice is hereby given that the City of Franklin will hold 4 consecutive Public Hearings on Monday, June 5, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. in Council Chambers at Franklin City Hall regarding Community Development Block Grant funds that are available to municipalities through the NH Community Development Finance Authority. Up to \$500,000 annually is available for economic development projects, up to \$500,000 for public facility projects, up to \$500,000 for housing projects, up to \$350,000 for emergency activities, and up to \$25,000 is available per planning study grant. All CDBG projects must primarily benefit low and moderate income persons. The subject of these hearings:

1. A proposed Implementation Community Development Block Grant Public Facility application to the Community Development Finance Authority for up to \$500,000 in Community Development Block Grant funds. The City will retain up to \$30,000 for administrative/labor compliance expenses and the remainder will be sub granted to Healthfirst Family Care Center, located at 841 Central Street in Franklin, NH toward financing improvements to the facility. The majority of the persons served by Healthfirst at this location are of low and moderate income.

2. The Residential Antidisplacement and Relocation Assistance Plan for the proposed Healthfirst Family Care Center Improvements Project.

3. The updated Housing and Community Development Plan.

4. The progress of the CDBG project for improvements, including parking, lighting, and landscaping to City owned parcels on Memorial and Canal Streets in Downtown Franklin.

Provisions for persons with special needs can be made by contacting the City Manager's office, via telephone or mail at least five days prior to the public hearing.

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