



## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG)

### 2016 ROUND 1 GRANT AWARD AMOUNTS

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#### **Planning Fund (ongoing):**

The Planning Fund is non-competitive, accepting applications on a rolling basis. Planning grants applications submitted prior to July 1, 2016 shall adhere to the following maximum grant amounts unless otherwise noted:

- Environmental infrastructure studies are limited as follows:
  - \$35,000 for a study on a single utility,
  - \$45,000 for a study on two utilities, and
  - \$50,000 for a master utility study (water, wastewater, and storm water).
- Dam or Levee System Evaluations will be limited to \$75,000.
- Comprehensive plans are limited to \$40,000.
- Downtown revitalization plans are limited as follows:
  - Populations over 2,000 are limited to \$40,000, and
  - Populations under 2,000 are limited to \$30,000
- Economic development plans are limited to \$40,000.
- Public facilities plans will be limited to \$20,000.
- Historic preservation plans will be limited to \$20,000.
- Environmental Remediation Plan grant amounts will be determined by OCRA on a case by case basis.

#### **A. Public Facilities Program:**

The amount of CDBG funds granted will be based on a \$5,000 cost per project beneficiary.

The maximum grant award for the Public Facilities Program is \$400,000.

#### **B. Blight Clearance Program:**

Indiana's Comprehensive Site Redevelopment Program (CSRP) is a collaborative effort between the Office of Community and Rural Affairs (OCRA) and the Indiana Finance Authority's (IFA) Brownfield Program. The CSRP funding strategy will leverage funding from the partnering agencies to address comprehensive Brownfield remediation and clearance projects.

The competitive Blight Clearance Program (BCP) portion of the Comprehensive Site Redevelopment Program (CSRP) shall have a maximum grant amount of \$350,000.

#### **C. Stormwater Improvements Program:**

The amount of CDBG funds granted will be based on a \$5,000 cost per project beneficiary.

The maximum grant award for the Stormwater Improvements Program is \$500,000.

**D. Wastewater/Drinking Water Improvements Program:**

Maximum grant amounts are based upon user rate information, as follows:

**Wastewater**

**Projects Under \$1 million in total project costs**

Maximum Grant Amounts	Rates for 4,000 gallons		
	User Rates (Over \$50)	User Rates (\$30 to \$50)	User Rates (Under \$30)
Tier III – LMI% 62.0 and higher	\$600,000	\$550,000	\$500,000
Tier II – LMI% 57.0 to 61.9	\$550,000	\$500,000	\$450,000
Tier I – LMI% 51.0 to 56.9	\$500,000	\$450,000	\$400,000

**Wastewater**

**Projects Over \$1 million in total project costs**

Maximum Grant Amounts	Rates for 4,000 gallons		
	User Rates (Over \$45)	User Rates (\$25 to \$45)	User Rates (Under \$25)
Tier III – LMI% 62.0 and higher	\$700,000	\$650,000	\$600,000
Tier II – LMI% 57.0 to 61.9	\$650,000	\$600,000	\$550,000
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**Drinking Water**

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