

City of Passaic  
CDBG CARES Act Funding - COVID-19 Response  
Citizen Participation Process

The City of Passaic will reach out to the public through various means to notify the public about the Substantial Amendment to our 2019-20 Annual Action Plan and the intended use of the City's CDBG CARES funding. The City has requested waivers from HUD for our Citizen Participation Process to allow us to advertise the Substantial Amendment for five days instead of the 30-day required period. The City also requested a waiver from HUD for the in-person public hearing.

The City will advertise the notices to the public in both English and Spanish in the Herald News and the Spanish speaking paper, El Especialito.

The City has published notices in English and in Spanish on our Website [www.cityofpassaic.com](http://www.cityofpassaic.com). A link to the public notices on the City's website is below.

[https://www.cityofpassaic.com/vertical/sites/%7B3C98596C-C765-4FBD-89C6-506904D063B7%7D/uploads/ENGSPAN\\_Coronavirus\\_CDBG\\_Substantial\\_Amendment\\_2019\\_AP.pdf](https://www.cityofpassaic.com/vertical/sites/%7B3C98596C-C765-4FBD-89C6-506904D063B7%7D/uploads/ENGSPAN_Coronavirus_CDBG_Substantial_Amendment_2019_AP.pdf)

On or about May 4, 2020, the City will publish the proposed projects that will be included in the Substantial Amendment on the City's website for a minimum of five days. These will be the projects that the City intended to fund with the City's CDBG CARES funding.

The public is invited to submit comments on the Substantial Amendment to the 2019-20 Annual Action Plan.