

## FY23 BroadbandUSA Federal Funding Site Update

**Department:** Department of Housing and Urban Development

1	<b>Federal Agency/Bureau</b>	U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
2	<b>Program Name</b>	Community Development Block Grant
3	<b>Authorizing Legislation</b>	Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.)
4	<b>Program Overview</b>	The CDBG Program provides annual grants on a formula basis to states and local governments, to be used for economic and community development, principally for low and moderate-income persons
5	<b>CFDA</b>	14.218 Entitlement and Nonentitled Hawaiian County CDBG, 14.225 Insular Areas CDBG, and 14.228 State CDBG
6	<b>Program Website</b>	<a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/cdbg/">https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/cdbg/</a>
7	<b>Type of funding</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary <input type="checkbox"/> Subsidy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Formula <input type="checkbox"/> Loan or loan guarantee <input type="checkbox"/> Other (i.e. loan-grant combo; if there is a set-aside amount for certain recipients please indicate the amount):
8	<b>Link to application site, NOFO, FOA, or Grants.gov (if different from program website above)</b>	CDBG funding opportunities for broadband vary by local jurisdiction. The contact information for your local CDBG grantee can be found here: <a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/grantees">https://www.hudexchange.info/grantees</a> Note: if you don't see your city or county listed, please reach out to your State CDBG grantee for more information about opportunities in rural and suburban areas.
9	<b>Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) or Federal Opportunity Announcement (FOA) Type</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input type="checkbox"/> Modification <input type="checkbox"/> Reissue/Renewal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (i.e. one-time funding): Annual Formula Allocation
10	<b>Important Dates (if applicable)</b>	Program year cycles vary by grantee

12	<b>FY2023 Appropriations Amount</b>	Total Amount:\$3.3 Billion Amount Available Towards Broadband (if specified):		
13	<b>Matching Requirement</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, what is the matching requirement: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Other (i.e. if match is beneficial to an application but not required):		
14	<b>Complementary Federal Funding Option</b>	CDBG is often treated as gap financing for projects with other public and private financing.		
15	<b>Broadband-related Program Purpose/Eligible Expenditures (check all that apply)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Planning (e.g., feasibility, data collection, mapping) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Broadband Infrastructure Deployment (e.g., construction, equipment, materials) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital Inclusion (e.g. Broadband Adoption, Devices, Public Access, Digital Skills Training, Tech Support) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: (e.g. Research and/or Evaluation, Telehealth, etc): Economic development assistance to businesses, including broadband service providers		
16	<b>Speed/Technical Requirement for Broadband Infrastructure</b>	Not Applicable		
17	<b>Eligible Recipients (check all that apply)</b>	<table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Libraries  <input type="checkbox"/> K-12 Schools  <input type="checkbox"/> Higher Education Institutions  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Government  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Government  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Territorial Governments  <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal/Native American Government, Alaska Native Controlled Organizations, and Native Hawaiian Organizations  <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety Entities         </td> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare Facilities  <input type="checkbox"/> For-Profit Organizations (including Internet Service Providers)  <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit Organizations  <input type="checkbox"/> Electric Utilities/Co-ops  <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Institutions  <input type="checkbox"/> Individuals/Households  <input type="checkbox"/> Other: : A nonprofit can be a subrecipient of funding. Additionally, a privately owned utility and other entities may be assisted by a local government with CDBG funds.         </td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> Libraries <input type="checkbox"/> K-12 Schools <input type="checkbox"/> Higher Education Institutions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Government <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Government <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Territorial Governments <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal/Native American Government, Alaska Native Controlled Organizations, and Native Hawaiian Organizations <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety Entities	<input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare Facilities <input type="checkbox"/> For-Profit Organizations (including Internet Service Providers) <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit Organizations <input type="checkbox"/> Electric Utilities/Co-ops <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Institutions <input type="checkbox"/> Individuals/Households <input type="checkbox"/> Other: : A nonprofit can be a subrecipient of funding. Additionally, a privately owned utility and other entities may be assisted by a local government with CDBG funds.
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18	<b>Criteria for Eligible Recipients</b>	Communities use CDBG funds for projects initiated and developed at the local level based on local needs, priorities, and benefits. There are 26 statutory eligible activities that include public facilities, infrastructure, housing, economic development, and		

		planning. Each activity must also meet a National Objective of either: 1) benefiting low and moderate-income persons; 2) eliminating slums or blight; or 3) addressing urgent needs for community health and safety.
19	<b>Grant Beneficiaries (if different from eligible recipients)</b>	CDBG must principally benefit for low- and moderate-income persons
20	<b>Programmatic Resources</b>	<p><a href="https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Basically-CDBG-Chapter-6-Public-Facilities.pdf">https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Basically-CDBG-Chapter-6-Public-Facilities.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Basically-CDBG-Chapter-7-Public-Services.pdf">https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/Basically-CDBG-Chapter-7-Public-Services.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/CDBG-CV-Broadband-Quick-Guide.pdf">https://files.hudexchange.info/resources/documents/CDBG-CV-Broadband-Quick-Guide.pdf</a></p>
21	<b>Reporting Requirements</b>	<a href="https://cpd.hud.gov/cpd-public/consolidated-plans">https://cpd.hud.gov/cpd-public/consolidated-plans</a>
22	<b>Publicly-available programmatic data</b>	<a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/cdbg/cdbg-expenditure-reports/">https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/cdbg/cdbg-expenditure-reports/</a> Note: these data do not distinguish broadband from within other more general categories such as public improvements
23	<b>Contact information</b>	Contact your local HUD Field Office: <a href="https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/staff#fieldoffices">https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/staff#fieldoffices</a>
24	<b>Additional Information</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. This document describes the optional use of CDBG funds for broadband, <a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/4891/cdbg-broadband-infrastructure-fags/">https://www.hudexchange.info/resource/4891/cdbg-broadband-infrastructure-fags/</a></li> <li>2. This document describes CDBG and HUD's Connect Home program: <a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/trainings/courses/2017-2018-connecthome-using-cdbg-for-broadband/2561/">https://www.hudexchange.info/trainings/courses/2017-2018-connecthome-using-cdbg-for-broadband/2561/</a></li> <li>3. This document describes how broadband is addressed in a grantee's plan. Those plans also address a variety of other community development needs and are used when the grantee selects funding priorities: <a href="https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/OCHCO/documents/20-04cpdn.pdf">https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/OCHCO/documents/20-04cpdn.pdf</a></li> </ol>

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