

**CITY OF WORCESTER
FEDERAL ENTITLEMENT GRANTS
CDBG YEAR 43 / CITY FY 18 REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) &
THIRD YEAR ANNUAL ACTION PLAN (2017-2018)**

TIMELINE

PROCESS MILESTONE DESCRIPTION	DATE / LOCATION
<p style="text-align: center;">Release of City of Worcester Fiscal Year 2018 / Year 43 Federal Entitlement Grant RFP</p> <p>Grant Subrecipient RFP solicitations released to the public for the CDBG, HOPWA, and ESG grant funding period of July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Monday, November 7, 2016 at 9:00 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Available online at http://www.worcesterma.gov/e-services/document-center/neighborhood-development and at City Hall, Executive Office of Economic Development, 455 Main Street, 4th Floor, Room 402, Worcester, MA</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Public Hearing #1</p> <p>Community Needs Assessment meeting for interested participants to review and discuss community needs in existing City of Worcester Consolidated Plan (2015–2020)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, November 9, 2016 at 5:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">City Hall Levi Lincoln Room 309, 3rd Floor 455 Main Street, Worcester, MA</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Technical Assistance Workshop / Funding Overview</p> <p>City staff to present CDBG, HOPWA, ESG program overviews and grant descriptions, with Q&A opportunity</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday, November 15, 2016 at 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">City Hall, Levi Lincoln Room 309, 3rd Floor 455 Main Street, Worcester, MA</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">RFP APPLICATIONS DUE</p> <p>CDBG, HOPWA, ESG RFPs due to the City of Worcester</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, December 7, 2016 by 4:00 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">One signed copy of the entire application package and a flash drive containing a PDF of the entire application package must be delivered by 4:00 PM to the Executive Office of Economic Development, City Hall, 455 Main Street, 4th Floor, Room 402, Worcester, MA</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Mandatory CDBG RFP Applicant Presentations</p> <p>Mandatory grant proposal presentations before the City of Worcester Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC) (<i>CDBG applicants only</i>)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, January 11, 2017 at 5:00 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Worcester Public Library, Saxe Room, 3 Salem Street, Worcester, MA</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Public Hearing #2</p> <p>Review of Draft/Proposed City of Worcester Third Year Annual Action Plan (2017-2018)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Spring 2017</p> <p style="text-align: center;">date/time TBD, announcements to follow</p>