

**Revised Notice of Public Hearing on Five Year Consolidated Plan
and Citizen Participation Plan
(Updated 3/24/2020)**

The City of Raleigh will hold a public hearing on the draft Five Year Consolidated Plan (ConPlan) for fiscal years 2021-2025, the draft Citizen Participation Plan (CPP) and the one-year Annual Action Plan (AAP) for 2020-2021. The hearing will be held at the City Council meeting scheduled for Tuesday, April 7, at 7:00 p.m.

The Consolidated Plan is a five-year plan that identifies the priority housing and community development needs of low-income residents in Raleigh. The plan also establishes the goals and strategies the City of Raleigh will follow to address those challenges and geographic priority areas. The Consolidated Plan will guide City expenditures of federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership (HOME), and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds, as well as related local funds. A draft Citizen Participation Plan is part of the ConPlan as is an amended Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area (NRSA) Plan. A 30-day comment period on the CPP and ConPlan is from March 1 – April 1.

~~For more information,~~ contact the City of Raleigh Community Development Division at 919-996-4330 or email CD.info@raleighnc.gov. The draft ConPlan is available on the city web site at www.raleighnc.gov. Written comments on the draft ConPlan, CPP, and AAP can be sent to CD.Info@raleighnc.gov or mailed to Housing and Neighborhoods Dept., P.O. Box 590, Raleigh, NC 27602 through April 1.

The State of North Carolina, Wake County and the City of Raleigh have all declared States of Emergency in response to the COVID-19 virus. The Governor has also issued Executive Orders 117 and 118, which impose restrictions intended to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus by, among other things: limiting large events, gatherings of more than 50 people, and the operation of bars and restaurants. Because of the risks to the public that would arise from continued in person meetings, the City is converting City Council meetings to a remote electronic format for the duration of the State of Emergency.

The hearing will be broadcast and available for viewing by the public via the following methods: the City's website (www.raleighnc.gov) the City's YouTube Channel (<https://www.youtube.com/cityofraleigh>); or Channel RTN-11. The hearing can also be listened to by telephone and instructions for doing so will be posted on the City's website.

Individuals that desire to speak during the public hearing will have to sign up in advance. Instructions to request to speak at the public hearing will also be posted on the City's website at the following link (www.raleighnc.gov). Anyone desiring further assistance to request to speak at the public hearing should contact the City Clerk's Office at 919-996-3040.