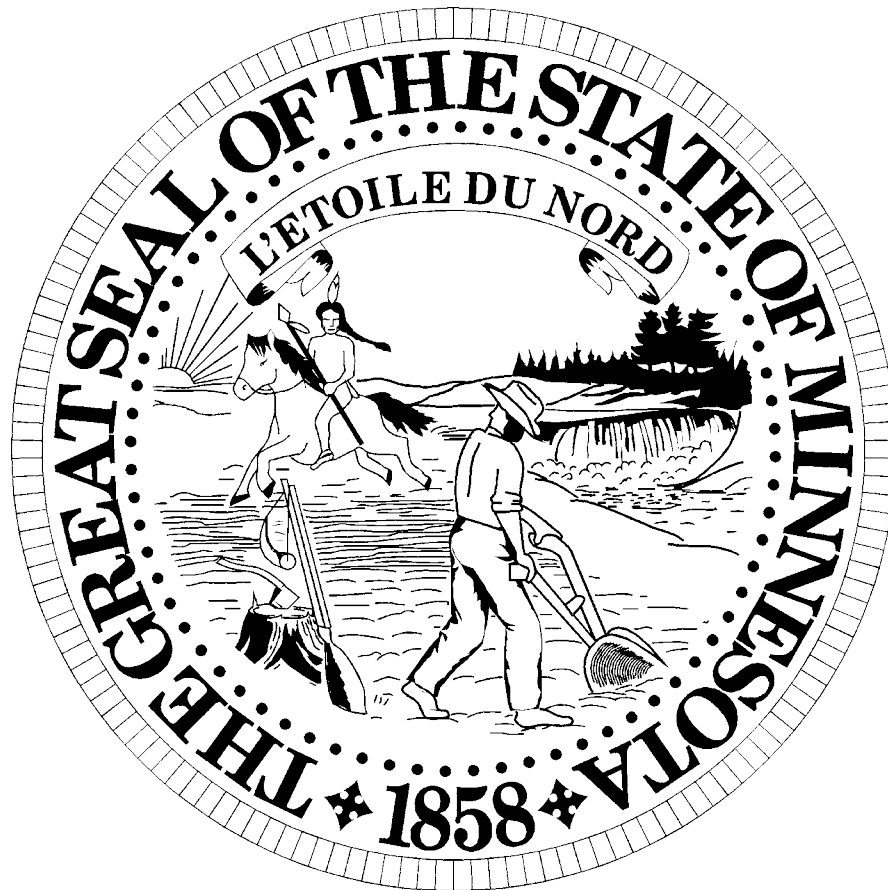


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## Department of Employment and Economic Development, Minnesota Housing and Department of Human Services Notice of Public Hearings for the State of Minnesota 2019 Housing and Community Development Annual Action Plan (Action Plan)

The State of Minnesota is developing its annual Action Plan for 2019 and encourages citizen and community participation in its development.

The state annually submits an Action Plan to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in order to receive federal housing and community development funding through the Community Development Block Grant, HOME Investment Partnerships, Emergency Solutions Grants, Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS programs, and the national Housing Trust Fund (HTF). This Action Plan reflects year three of the state's 2017-2021 Consolidated Plan which examines the housing and community development needs of the state, and sets priorities for allocating HUD funds.

The state will hold its first public hearing about the Action Plan on **Thursday February 21, 2019**, to gather community input on housing and community development needs and how federal funding should be allocated in the state. This hearing will be held at 4:00 PM at the Minnesota Department of Human Services, Room 1240, 444 Lafayette Road, St. Paul. Free parking is available in parking lot C adjacent to the building.

A second public hearing on the Action Plan will be held on **Tuesday, May 7, 2019**, for review and comment on the draft Action Plan, which will be available for public review and comment beginning April 10, 2019. The draft Action Plan will be available at <http://www.mnhousing.gov> and <http://mn.gov/deed/government/financial-assistance/community-funding/>. This hearing will be held at 4:00 PM at the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency, 400 Wabasha Street, Suite 400, St. Paul. Limited free guest parking is available in the adjacent Treasure Island Center garage, enter from 6th Street.

Comments on the draft Action Plan will be accepted until close of business **May 9, 2019**. Written public comments should be submitted to: Action Plan, Attn: Michelle Vang; Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development; First National Bank Building; 332 Minnesota Street, Suite E200; St. Paul, MN 55101-1351; or by email to [michelle.vang@state.mn.us](mailto:michelle.vang@state.mn.us). Hard copies of the Action Plan can be obtained by calling Michelle Vang, (651) 259-7504 or 1-800-657-3858, or by TTY 1-800-282-5909.

The State will consider any comments from individuals or groups received in writing or at public hearings. A summary of the written and public hearing comments on the Action Plan and the State's responses will be included in the final Action Plan. The Action Plan and, if necessary, substantial amendment, will be submitted to HUD after HUD notifies the State of its fiscal year 2019 allocations.