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Community Development Seeking Public Input on HUD Funds

The Department of Community Developing is holding a second public hearing on Thursday (Sept. 11) to solicit input on its annual plan regarding proposed funding allocations for the 2015 entitlement funds through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The public hearing starts at 6 p.m. at Northwest Louisiana Technical College, 2010 N. Market.

City officials will use public input to help develop a plan that outlines how Community Development Block Grant and HOME Investment Partnerships Program funds will be administered. Once completed, the public will have 30 days to review the plan before it's submitted to HUD for final approval.

The first public hearing was held September 4 at Hattie Perry Community Center.

The City of Shreveport is an entitlement city and the recipient of HUD funds. The city receives CDBG funds for activities such as affordable housing and infrastructure development.

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