

TOWN OF MANSFIELD
NOTICE OF 2nd PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Mansfield will conduct a public hearing by the Town Council on Tuesday, October 15, 2024 at 7:00 pm in the Council Chambers of the Audrey P. Beck Municipal Building, 4 S. Eagleville Rd., to review and discuss the Fiscal Year 2020 Community Development Block Grant program and to solicit citizen input.

This project met Eligible Activity and National Objective under: Community Facilities. The award facilitated the purchase of a hybrid aerial/pumper truck to replace the existing 2004 pumper truck currently located at Station 207 in Four Corners. The total amount funded to the Town of Mansfield is Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$900,000) for the purchase of the Fire Protection Equipment - Mansfield.

Projects funded with CDBG allocations must also carry out at least one of three National Objectives: benefit to low-and moderate-income persons, elimination of slum and blight, or meeting urgent community development needs. The Planning and Development Department on behalf of the Town of Mansfield applied for this funding for public service improvement to assist low and moderate income residents. This was based on improving safety of fire fighters extinguishing fires and rescue activities in multi-story structures which supports the redevelopment of the higher intensity, multi-story and mixed income residential developments.

The purpose of the public hearing is to update and obtain citizen's views on the progression of the fire truck build as well as give citizens an opportunity to make their comments known on the program and the Program Income Reuse Plan. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the Town of Mansfield, Town Manager's Office, 4 South Eagleville Road, Mansfield, CT 06268 or you may telephone 860-429-3336. In addition, information may be obtained at the above address between the hours of 8:00 am - 5:15 pm Mon. – Wed., and Thurs. 8:00 am – 6:30 pm.

In addition, the Town will maintain a revolving loan fund with program income (principal and interest) generated from the grant for a housing rehabilitation loan program.

The Town Mansfield promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low-and moderate-income households regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, marital status, age, lawful source of income, familial status, learning disability or physical/mental disability, or sexual orientation.

All are encouraged to attend. The hearing is accessible to all persons with disabilities. Any disabled persons requiring special assistance or non-English speaking persons should contact Maria Capriola, ADA Coordinator, at 860-429-3380 at least five days prior to the hearing.

Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action