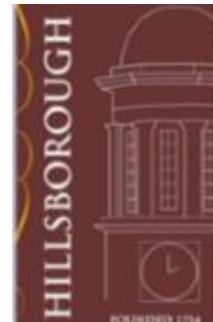




ORANGE COUNTY HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Orange County HOME-ARP Funds

November 9, 2021



Orange County's HOME-ARP Award

- The American Rescue Plan allocated \$5 billion to the HOME Program for:
 - Development of affordable housing
 - Creation of non-congregate shelter
 - Rental assistance
 - Supportive services
 - The Orange County HOME Consortium received \$1.3 million

Who does HOME-ARP serve?

- Homeless or at-risk of homeless
- Fleeing or attempting to flee domestic violence
- Households facing the greatest risk of housing instability (e.g. low-income households)
- Veterans

The HOME Consortium can establish prioritization for HOME-ARP funded projects or services

- E.g. Coordinated Entry through the Housing Helpline

HOME-ARP Allocation Plan

- The Orange County HOME Consortium is seeking input on how to use the HOME-ARP funds
- The allocation plan will describe housing and service needs in the County and make funding recommendations for general uses
 - Specific projects do not need to be identified yet
 - More details about the funding application process to come

We want to hear from you!

- Visit <https://tinyurl.com/OC-HOME-ARP> to share your thoughts about how Orange County should use its \$1.3 million allocation

HOME-ARP Survey



Housing and Service Needs

- What unmet housing and service needs do you see among people experiencing homelessness, at risk of homelessness, fleeing domestic violence, or otherwise at high risk of housing instability in Orange County?

Discussion of Priorities

- Which of the following eligible uses for HOME-ARP are the highest priority?
 - Development of Affordable Housing
 - Rental Assistance
 - Services
 - Creation of Non-Congregate Shelter

Addressing the highest needs

- For each of the following eligible uses of HOME-ARP funding, what specific needs do you see in our community? How do you think HOME-ARP funds could be used to address those needs?
 - Development of Affordable Housing
 - Rental Assistance
 - Services
 - Creation of Non-Congregate Shelter

Upcoming Public Hearing

- We invite you to join the public hearing on the County's HOME-ARP as part of the Board of County Commissioners business meeting on **November 16, 2021 at 7:00 pm**

Link to the meeting:

<http://orangecountync.gov/967/Meeting-Videos>

Interested in speaking at the meeting? Contact Laura Jensen at ljensen@orangecountync.gov or 919-245-2130.

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