

CITY OF AVON PARK, FLORIDA

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD NOTICE

CITY OF AVON PARK CDBG MITIGATION CRITICAL HARDENING FACILITY GRANT AVON PARK FIRE STATION

The City of Avon Park is developing an Application for the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (FDEO) Community Development Block Grant-Mitigation (CDBG-MIT) Critical Hardening Facility Grant. The City is seeking input from potential stakeholders and the public on the grant application. The City is applying for approximately \$894,087.00 to mitigate the risks to the protected Community Lifelines of Safety and Security, Health and Medical, through the critical hardening of the City of Avon Park Fire Station. These funds must be used for the following purposes:

To address mitigation and resiliency needs in the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) identified Most Impacted and Distressed (MID) areas, and state-identified MID areas that were declared disaster areas eligible for both Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and Public Assistance, categories A – G. The City's proposed activities include, improvements to the exterior roof, fire truck doors, windows, roof, interior design and building code upgrades, air conditioning, electrical upgrades, and communication system improvements.

A public announcement of these funds and the proposed project was posted on the City's Website and an advertisement was published in the local paper. The public is invited to provide comments on the CDBG-MIT Critical Facility Hardening Program Project. A draft application has been developed and the public is invited to review the draft application posted on the City's web at <https://www.avonpark.cc> or to view a hard copy by contacting Ms. Kim Gay, City Clerk at phone: (863) 452-4400 or email: kgay@avonpark.cc. Written comments can be provided to Kim Gay and MUST be received no later than June 28, 2020. Copies of the Application will be made available in Spanish upon request.

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