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**Notice of Public Hearing
CDBG Advisory Committee**

Wednesday, August 31st, 2022, at 7pm

<https://amherstma.zoom.us/j/81892823982>

The Public Hearing will be conducted virtually at <https://amherstma.zoom.us/j/81892823982> and will accommodate public comment to the extent practical. To join the meeting via telephone: Call (312) 626-6799 or (646) 876-9923 and enter Webinar ID when prompted: 818 9282 3982.

PUBLIC HEARING

The Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) has designated the Town of Amherst a Mini-Entitlement Community that is eligible to apply for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. CDBG funds support housing, community development projects, and social service activities benefiting low-and moderate-income citizens. In accordance with DHCD regulations, Amherst's CDBG Advisory Committee will hold a **Public Hearing on Wednesday, August 31st, 2022, at 7pm** to receive comments and suggestions from local residents regarding:

1. Community priorities for the 2022 and 2023 application process
 - a. Social services
 - b. Non-social services such as housing and public infrastructure
 - c. Target areas neighborhoods where non-social services can take place
 - d. Review Community Development Strategy

PUBLIC MEETING

1. Announcements
2. Discuss and review comments from public hearing
3. Discuss review criteria
4. Discuss Target Areas
5. Public Comment
6. Other items not anticipated within 48 hours

More information can be viewed on the committee's webpage:

<https://www.amherstma.gov/1122/CDBG-Advisory-Committee>

Any person or organization wishing to be heard will be afforded an opportunity. Reasonable accommodations such as language translations services can be provided if requested 7 days before the meeting via a written request to the Town Manager's Office or Mr. Breger prior to the meeting. Questions and written comments may be submitted to Planner, Ben Breger (bregerb@amherstma.gov).