## NOTICE OF PUBLIC REVIEW AND PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF PARAMOUNT DRAFT CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL PERFORMANCE EVALUATION REPORT (CAPER) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023

Pursuant to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) regulations, the City of Paramount has prepared the draft Consolidated Annual Performance Evaluation Report (CAPER) for the 2022-2023 Fiscal Year. The CAPER provides an assessment of the City's performance in using Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) funds in meeting the City's housing and community development goals that were included in the 2022-2023 One Year Action Plan.

A copy of the CAPER is required to be made available to the public for review and comment for a minimum fifteen (15) day period. The CAPER draft will be available for public review from September 11, 2023, to September 26, 2023 at the Planning Department, Paramount Community Center, and on the City's website at <a href="www.paramountcity.com/community/cdbg">www.paramountcity.com/community/cdbg</a>.

A Public Hearing to solicit public comment from interested citizens on the CAPER will be held on at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday September 26, 2023, in the City Hall Council Chamber at 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California. Participants may provide their comments orally, in writing, or via email at <a href="mailto:crequest@paramountcity.com">crequest@paramountcity.com</a>. E-mail comments must be received by 4:45 p.m. on Tuesday, September 26, 2023. Additional options for public participation may be provided at the time the agenda is posted. The purpose of the Public Hearing for the CAPER is to allow the public the opportunity to comment on the manner, in which the City utilized CDBG and HOME funds for the one-year period that ended on June 30, 2023.

Please address written comments to Sol Bejarano, Management Analyst, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount CA 90723. If you have any questions, please contact Esther Luis, CDBG Consultant, at (562) 220-2236.

## **ACCESSIBILITY TO MEETINGS AND DOCUMENTS**

It is the objective of the City to comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 and the ADA Amendment Act of 2008, the Fair Housing Act, and the Architectural Barriers Act in all respects. If you require public documents in an accessible format, the City will make reasonable efforts to accommodate your request. If you require a disability-related accommodation to attend or participate in a hearing or meeting, including auxiliary aids or services, please contact the City Clerk's Office at least 48 hours prior to the meeting at (562) 220-2027.

## LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY (LEP)

An interpreter for Spanish speaking persons with Limited English Proficiency (LEP) is available at public hearing meetings. If you require program documents pertinent to the use of federal funds to be translated into a non-English language, the City will make reasonable efforts to accommodate your request.

## **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY**

The City does not and shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion (creed), gender, gender expression, age, national origin (ancestry), disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, in any of its activities or operations.

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