GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL PERFORMANCE AND EVALUATION REPORT (CAPER)
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA'S (D.C.) FY 2020/ HUD FY 2019

Polly Donaldson, Director of the D.C. Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD), will conduct a virtual public hearing on Thursday, March 25, 2021. The purpose of this hearing is to discuss the District’s Fiscal Year (FY) 2020/HUD Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 performance in its use of funds received from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The District received approximately $36,468,947 from HUD in FY 2020 through five entitlement programs: the Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG); the HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME); the Emergency Solutions Grant Program (ESG); National Housing Trust Fund Program (HTF) and the Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS Program (HOPWA). Additionally, the District received $46,090,454 in Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES) to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic, including CDBG-CV, HOPWA-CV, and ESG-CV.

In preparation for the submission of the District of Columbia’s FY 2020/HUD FY 2019 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) to HUD, DHCD is soliciting public comment on the District’s effectiveness during DC FY 2020/HUD FY 2019 using federal funds to meet the District’s housing and community development needs. These comments will be included as part of the District’s evaluation, as required by federal regulations (24 CFR 91.520). The comment period begins on March 18, 2021 and will end on March 28, 2021. The CAPER hearing is reserved for a discussion of the District’s FY 2020/HUD FY 2019 performance.

SCHEDULED VIRTUAL PUBLIC HEARING:
Thursday, March 25, 2021, ~ 6:30 pm

Via WebEx Info
Event address for attendees:
https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/onstage/g.php?MTID=ef39b52f28e7c5decc42a0373016f9abb

Event number: 160 749 4916
Event password: 4hKXXxRKQM27
Audio conference: 1-650-479-3208
Access code: 160 749 4916

If you would like to testify, you are encouraged to register in advance by sending an e-mail to opm.questions@dc.gov. The public may also contact Tilla Hall on (202) 442-7239 to join the hearing, register, or testify at the CAPER hearing. Please provide your name, address, telephone number, and organization affiliation, if any.

Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) relay service will be provided by calling (800) 201-7165. Sign language interpretation (ASL) and language interpretation services will be available upon request by calling Tilla Hall at (202) 442-7239 or opm.questions@dc.gov, seven (7) days before the hearing. Persons, who require interpretation or language translation, must specify the language of preference (i.e., Spanish, Vietnamese, Chinese-Mandarin, Korean, Cantonese, Amharic, or French). DHCD will provide language interpretation services based upon pre-registration requests.