## **Notice of Public Comment Period**

The Nebraska Department of Economic Development (DED) will conduct a public comment period September 11, 2015 through September 26, 2015, to take remarks of citizens and local government officials regarding the *Nebraska Consolidated Plan's Proposed 2014 Annual Performance Report (APR)*.

This document allows public review and comment on accomplishments during the 2014 Program Year (July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015), including but not limited to:

- 1. The Department's performance of community and economic development, planning, housing, homeless, and special needs objectives;
- 2. Distribution and use of approximately \$9.9 million in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds, \$2.7 million in HOME funds, \$800,000 in Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds, \$346,000 in Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA) funds, \$2.1 million in Homeless Shelter Assistance Trust Fund (HSATF) funds, and \$7.7 million in Nebraska Affordable Housing Trust Fund (NAHTF) funds, including the amounts used for activities benefiting persons of low- and moderate-income; and
- 3. The State's performance in minimizing persons displaced because of its CDBG activities and assistance given to persons displaced because of such activities.

The proposed APR will be available September 11, 2015 on the Department's website at:

http://www.neded.org/community/grants/documentslibrary-a-forms/annual-performance-report

Submit written comments to Heather Voorman, Nebraska Department of Economic Development, P.O. Box 94666, Lincoln, NE 68509-4666, or by e-mail to <a href="heather.voorman@nebraska.gov">heather.voorman@nebraska.gov</a>. Comments will be accepted September 11, 2015 through September 26, 2015. Persons requiring sensory accommodations (including Braille, large print, or recorded materials) should contact Heather Voorman.

Los individuos no hablan Inglés y los individuos con discapacidad podrán solicitar las ayudas y servicios auxiliares necesarios para la participación de contacto con el Departamento de Desarrollo Económico P.O. Box 94666, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-4666, o <a href="https://example.com/hebraska.gov">heather.voorman@nebraska.gov</a>.