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Memo / Progress Update on City of Milwaukee HUD 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan
For CDGA Staff and Community & Economic Development (CED) Committee

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Since 2019, UEDA has been working with the City of Milwaukee CDGA office to develop the city's next 5-year HUD Consolidated Plan. This work is part of UEDA's technical assistance/capacity building CDBG grant.

The HUD Consolidated Plan assists the City of Milwaukee in communicating how it addresses key the key areas of Housing, Public Services and Economic Opportunity that receive HUD funding support. Developing the plan includes a needs assessment, market analysis, and a strategic plan to guide the use of HUD funds over the next five years. Putting together the plan includes collection and analysis of quantitative data and a community input process that includes surveys, neighborhood meetings, focus groups, etc. View the 2015-2019 Consolidated Plan [here](#).

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the submission deadline for the 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan to HUD was delayed from May 2020 to August 2021 as per the CARES Act. UEDA and CDGA staff continue to work on the plan, with the goal to have a public draft completed before September 2020.

The following resources have been developed since July 2019 as part of the City's 2020-2024 HUD Consolidated Planning process:

- Overview slideshow on consolidated planning and anticipated process/timeline (attached).
- Public website (<https://conplanmke.org/>) where general information, event and survey links were shared. It is available in English, Spanish and Hmong.
- Progress report from December 2019 that summarizes the community input process (attached).

In 2020 we are focused on:

- Compiling and analyzing secondary demographic, housing, and program data related to the needs assessment and market analysis sections, and drafting narrative content.
- Working with task force members and CDGA staff to provide input on draft strategies and findings from data collection and analysis.
- Reviewing draft sections to integrate new information related to the impacts of COVID-19 on housing and the economy that should be addressed at a community level.
- Preparing a draft of all sections (Executive Summary, Needs Assessment, Market Analysis and Strategic Plan) for public review and feedback.
- Incorporating public feedback into draft Consolidated Plan and preparing for submission to HUD.
- Creating a final plan document that can be shared with the public, including "fact sheets" on major issue areas in the plan (i.e. housing, economic opportunity, homelessness, youth and safety).

We are pleased to be working with the City on the HUD consolidated plan and can be available to answer any questions related to the plan and this process.

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