



**CITY OF BEACON
CITY COUNCIL**

RESOLUTION NO. 25 OF 2026

**AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION FOR
2026 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDING**

WHEREAS, Dutchess County has announced the opening of its application period for the 2026 Community Development Block Grant (“CDBG”) program for municipalities that participate in the Dutchess County Urban Consortium, which includes the City of Beacon; and

WHEREAS, funded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the CDBG program’s intent is to develop viable, more resilient communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and by expanding economic opportunities, principally for low- and moderate-income people and communities, and by addressing needs such as infrastructure, economic development, public facilities, housing rehabilitation, and public services; and

WHEREAS, the use of CDBG funds is also limited to low- and moderate- income areas of the City, as delineated in the County’s CDBG mapping, which is why the City has selected public infrastructure projects in this area of the City over the past several years; and

WHEREAS, the CDBG program requires that municipalities must hold a public hearing prior to the submission of an application to provide residents, particularly low- and moderate- income residents, an opportunity to suggest projects for CDBG funds; and

WHEREAS, the City of Beacon held a public hearing regarding use of the 2026 CDBG fund on February 17, 2026 and received public input from citizens and groups at that time; and

WHEREAS, the City of Beacon has prepared an application to use CDBG funding for the rehabilitation of sidewalks along the north side of South Avenue between West Center Street and the intersection with Spy Hill and Davies Avenue, which addresses both important community concerns and the overarching goals of the CDBG program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council hereby authorizes the City Administrator to submit an application for the 2026 Community Development Block Grant Program.

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<input type="checkbox"/> On roll call		<input type="checkbox"/> 3/4 Required					
Motion	Second	Council Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Reason	Absent
		Paloma Wake	x				
		Amber Grant	x				
		Lastar Gorton	x				
	x	Zack Smith	x				
x		Sergei Krasikov	x				
		Carolyn Bennett Glauda	x				
		Mayor Lee Kyriacou	x				
		Motion Carried	x				