

**VILLAGE OF SCHAUMBURG
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG)**

**2015-2019 FIVE YEAR CONSOLIDATED PLAN
(INCLUDING 2015 ACTION PLAN)**



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Executive Summary

ES-05 Executive Summary - 91.200(c), 91.220(b)

1. Introduction

The 2015-2019 Five-Year Consolidated Plan is a comprehensive planning document that identifies the overall housing and community development needs of the Village, outlines available programs and resources, and establishes a strategy for prioritizing and addressing these needs. The Consolidated Plan is a required document for the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development because of the Village's participation in the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. CDBG funds are allocated to the Village on an annual basis and must be used to provide decent housing, provide a suitable living environment and expand economic opportunities to benefit low and moderate-income individuals.

To assess the community's needs, the Village surveyed residents, including past participants of CDBG-funded programs, faith-based organizations, public service agencies, schools, lending institutions, apartment complexes, homeowners' associations, and other community organizations. A total of 288 completed surveys were submitted to the Village to assist in identifying the community's needs. Additionally, the Village also researched various data sources, including census data.

This Consolidated Plan will cover CDBG program years 2015 through 2019, beginning October 1, 2015, and ending September 30, 2020. CDBG funds are used as the primary resource for achieving the housing and community development needs.

For Program Year 2015, the Village will receive a CDBG entitlement grant in the amount of \$299,949, which will be utilized to address projects identified in the 2015 Action Plan. Additionally, the Village expects to carry over approximately \$147,500 in CDBG funds and anticipates \$0 in program income for a total amount available of \$447,449. The 2015 Action Plan will cover the dates of October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016. Funds for Program Year 2015 will be allocated to the following activities.

- Planning & Administration - \$36,089
- Public Services - \$48,600
- Little City Foundation Group Home Improvements - \$17,500
- Wise Road Sidewalk Installation - \$155,000
- First Time Buyer's Program - \$72,260
- Senior Repair Program - \$3,000
- Residential Rehab Program (including admin fee) - \$115,000

2. Summary of the objectives and outcomes identified in the Plan

As a result of Staff's research and the survey, the Village has identified the following priorities:

A. Affordable Housing

Provide decent housing through access to affordable housing programs and services. Affordable housing programs may include programs designed to assist homeowners with necessary repairs or provide down payment assistance. The Village anticipates providing assistance to a minimum of 20

households for housing improvement and a minimum of 12 households for down payment and closing cost assistance. Additional programs provided may include tenant based rental assistance, housing counseling, landlord/tenant education and priorities housing programs that link housing with services (i.e. employment, transportation, etc.) The additional programs listed may be funded by Cook County HOME funds.

B. Homeless/Continuum of Care

Provide assistance to homeless and homeless prevention service, transitional housing and emergency housing, counseling, and other housing-related supportive services. Programs provided may be in the form of public services or public facility projects. It is estimated that a minimum of 655 residents will be assisted.

C. Other Special Housing/Non-Homeless Needs

Provide funds to provide housing assistance for other special needs housing. Funds will be provided to support housing programs and projects that assist the elderly and persons with disabilities. It is estimated that a minimum of 20 residents will be assisted.

D. Public Service Needs (Non-Housing)

Provide assistance to non-housing public services to provide suitable living environments and economic development assistance. Public service agencies provide a valuable asset to the Village by assisting low- and moderate-income residents. It is estimated that a total of 535 residents will be assisted. Public service categories may include programs that target assistance to specific populations such as seniors, abused/neglected children, victims of domestic abuse, and/or persons with disabilities. Programs may also be provided to assist low and moderate income residents in the form of health services (including, vision, dental and mental health), subsidized childcare, transportation, youth programs, crime prevention, and/or employment training.

E. Infrastructure and Public Facility Improvements

Provide improvements to public infrastructures and public facilities in order to create a suitable living environment. The Village anticipates funding a minimum of 5 public facility or public infrastructure projects. Public facility projects may include building improvements for agencies that serve low and moderate income residents, such as improvements to:

- Child care centers
- Group homes
- Transitional housing facilities
- Permanent supportive housing
- Fire stations/equipment
- Emergency housing facilities
- Homeless facilities
- Health centers
- Community centers
- Senior/Youth Centers
- Parks
- Remove barriers for ADA accessibility

Public infrastructure improvements will be targeted in low and moderate-income areas (and eligible adjacent areas where appropriate). Infrastructure improvements may include but are not limited to:

- Sidewalk replacement/installation
- Utility replacement
- Street reconstruction
- Drainage improvements
- Streetlight replacement/installation
- Transit stop improvements
- Tree planting
- Bike Path replacement/installation

F. Economic Development

Create economic development opportunities for the purpose of creating/retaining jobs, assisting low and moderate-income business owners, improving commercial areas, and providing additional services to low and moderate income areas. Types of assistance may include business assistance and/or building expansion and improvements. The Village anticipates assisting a minimum of 3 businesses with economic development assistance.

G. Planning and Administration

Utilize Village Staff to administer the CDBG program and ensure compliance with HUD requirements. Additional funds may be used for salary, benefits, travel, advertising, postage, dues/subscriptions, and other services required to administer the program.

3. Evaluation of past performance

Since the Village became an entitlement community, the Village has utilized over \$8.5 million dollars to assist the low- and moderate-income residents of the Village. Funds have been used for a variety of projects, including public infrastructure, public facility construction and improvements, and public services. The Village has attempted to provide economic development programs. Although positive feedback was received on the programs, the Village did not spend any CDBG funds due to lack of applicants. Additionally, the Village has funded housing programs, including some housing programs, including the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and First Time Buyer's Program, that are still being operated today. The Village has effectively worked with HUD on the expenditure of CDBG funds without incident.

The housing programs have generated program income, which is the repayment of loans provided through the programs. Since administering the CDBG program, the Village has received approximately \$660,000 in program income. Program income is reused towards CDBG-eligible projects.

Additionally, in 2009, the Village utilized approximately \$93,000 towards energy retrofits on non-profit owned buildings that provide CDBG-eligible housing services. These funds were provided to the Village as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

4. Summary of citizen participation process and consultation process

The Village solicited feedback from residents, public service agencies, and other community organizations to develop the plan. The Village received a total of 288 resident surveys. When the 2010-2015 Five Year Consolidated Plan was completed, a total of 146 resident surveys were received, so there was a significant increase in participation since the last Consolidated Plan was created. Village Staff marketed the surveys by promotion through the internet, social media and e-newsletter. The Village also used traditional forms of outreach such as public notices through the Daily Herald and the distribution of survey boxes at public locations such as the Village Hall, Schaumburg Township, Schaumburg Township District Library, and Park District.

The Village also surveyed agencies to describe the needs of the particular residents they work with. A total of 6 agencies completed the survey. In addition to the survey, the Village held a public workshop where a total of 8 agencies participated. Although the agencies that participated have specific clientele they work with, the workshop generated networking and positive discussion, since their clients deal with similar, broad issues (i.e. lack of transportation, lack of job training, etc.). Other key agencies, including apartment complexes, were also consulted. The Village also consulted with governmental agencies, including other Village Departments, various departments within Cook County, and neighboring municipalities.

A 30-day review and comment period was provided for the Consolidated Plan with a public hearing before Plan Commission on (date to be added). During the 30-day comment period, the 2015-2019 Five-Year Consolidated Plan was also made available at public locations such as the Village Hall, Schaumburg Township and Schaumburg Township District Library.

5. Summary of public comments

A copy of the minutes for the Plan Commission hearing held on (date to be added) has been attached
Copy of public hearing minutes to be added after the Plan Commission public hearing.

6. Summary of comments or views not accepted and the reasons for not accepting them

Summary of public comments/view not accepted to be added after the Plan Commission public hearing.

7. Summary

Because of the Village's participation in Cook County's HOME Consortium, this particular Five Year Consolidated Plan contains less information than previous plans. This plan is part of Cook County's Five-Year Plan submission and is specifically used to address the Village's plan for CDBG funds. In the past, Village Staff has conducted extensive research and development on a Needs Assessment Section and Market Analysis Section; however, the majority of these sections are now required to be completed by Cook County. The Village has contributed to Cook County's process to assist in developing the housing goals identified within Cook County's plan. Additionally, the Village has supplemented these sections with additional information to support the Village's distribution of CDBG funds.

In the past, the Village had directly submitted a Consolidated Plan to HUD, but due to the Village's participation in the HOME Consortium, the Consolidated Plan is part of Cook County's Five-Year Consolidated Plan submission. Cook County is the lead agency for submitting their Consolidated Plan, along with other consortium members' Consolidated Plans to HUD. HUD also required that the housing

goals outlined in the Village's plan align with Cook County's housing goals; however, some of Cook County's housing goals may be area specific and not apply to the Village. For example, one of Cook County's goals is to adopt an inclusionary housing ordinance applicable to unincorporated Cook County. While this will not directly impact areas within the Village of Schaumburg, it may affect unincorporated areas adjacent to the Village.

Since Cook County is the lead agency, some of the data provided within their plan is county-wide data and less Schaumburg-specific information was included in the Needs Assessment and Market Analysis. Staff has conducted additional research to supplement these sections to support the Village's distribution of CDBG funds.

The Process

PR-05 Lead & Responsible Agencies - 91.200(b)

1. Describe agency/entity responsible for preparing the Consolidated Plan and those responsible for administration of each grant program and funding source

Agency Role	Name	Department/Agency
CDBG Administrator	SCHAUMBURG	Community Development Department

Table 1– Responsible Agencies

Narrative

The Village of Schaumburg’s Community Development Department will administer the CDBG program. The Village is an entitlement community and receives funds on an annual basis from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

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PR-10 Consultation - 91.100, 91.200(b), 91.215(I)

1. Introduction

The Village consulted with several private and public agencies that provide housing, health services, and social services. As a result, the Village has conducted one public hearing for input, held one workshop, met with other governmental agencies, and surveyed residents and local agencies on the needs and priorities of Schaumburg.

The Village maintained a list of 170 agencies and organizations, including schools, banks, public service agencies, local community organizations, apartments, homeowner's associations, and churches. All of these agencies were sent surveys. Government agencies, including neighboring municipalities, departments within the Village, and various departments of Cook County were also consulted for feedback.

Provide a concise summary of the jurisdiction's activities to enhance coordination between public and assisted housing providers and private and governmental health, mental health and service agencies (91.215(I)).

The Housing Authority of Cook County (HACC) is the public housing provider for Schaumburg. The Village reached out to the HACC to review Housing Choice Voucher data for Schaumburg residents. The Village typically receives an annual update on the number of housing choice vouchers utilized in Schaumburg. The development of the Consolidated Plan encouraged the Village to request a more thorough breakdown of the vouchers provided. This breakdown includes a distribution by average income, average length of stay, number of disabled families, number of elderly persons and racial and ethnic data.

The Village also contacted all of the apartment complexes in Schaumburg to obtain information on rental rates. The apartment complexes were also surveyed about their participation in the Housing Choice Voucher Program.

The Village's Community Development Department administers the CDBG program and has regular contact with housing providers and governmental health, mental health and service agencies. The Village also has a Health and Human Services Department, which provides family counseling, social work, nursing, and programs geared towards teens and the elderly.

Describe coordination with the Continuum of Care and efforts to address the needs of homeless persons (particularly chronically homeless individuals and families, families with children, veterans, and unaccompanied youth) and persons at risk of homelessness

The Village coordinated with the Alliance to End Homelessness in Suburban Cook County, which is the Continuum of Care provider for suburban Cook County. The Alliance's role is to articulate the best possible system to address homelessness, address weaknesses in the present system and marshal resources necessary to move towards collaborative goals. The Alliance recently completed their 2014-2017 Strategic Plan to guide these efforts. Additional data and information regarding homeless needs,

shelter facilities, and services were also provided by the Alliance, and members of the Alliance, for development of the Consolidated Plan.

The Village also distributed surveys to several public services agencies. A workshop was also held with public service providers, including agencies that provide assistance to homeless persons.

Describe consultation with the Continuum(s) of Care that serves the jurisdiction's area in determining how to allocate ESG funds, develop performance standards and evaluate outcomes, and develop funding, policies and procedures for the administration of HMIS

Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds may be used for street outreach, emergency shelter, homelessness prevention, rapid re-housing assistance, HMIS, and administrative activities to administer these programs. The ESG program provides funding to:

1. Engage homeless individuals and families living on the street;
2. Improve the number and quality of emergency shelters for homeless individuals and families;
3. Help operate shelters;
4. Provide essential services to shelter residents;
5. Rapidly re-house homeless individuals and families; and
6. Prevent families and individuals from becoming homeless.

The Village of Schaumburg is not an ESG entitlement community and is not responsible for consulting with the Continuum of Care on the allocation and use of ESG funds. Cook County receives ESG funds for distribution throughout suburban Cook County, where Schaumburg is located, and Cook County encourages input through their public participation process on how ESG funds are distributed.

The Alliance to End Homeless in Suburban Cook County is the HMIS lead for suburban Cook County. The Alliance has an HMIS committee that reviews the HMIS policy manual annually and recommends changed, if needed, for adoption by the Alliance Board.

2. Describe Agencies, groups, organizations and others who participated in the process and describe the jurisdictions consultations with housing, social service agencies and other entities

Table 2– Agencies, groups, organizations who participated

1	Agency/Group/Organization	Countryside Association
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Persons with Disabilities
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Non-Homeless Special Needs Economic Development
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Countryside Association completed a survey and attended a public service agency workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
2	Agency/Group/Organization	Connections of Illinois
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - General
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Connections of Illinois completed a survey. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
3	Agency/Group/Organization	WINGS
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - Housing Services-Victims of Domestic Violence Services-homeless Services-Education Services-Employment Service-Fair Housing
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homelessness Strategy Non-Homeless Special Needs Anti-poverty Strategy
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	WINGS completed a survey and attended a public service agency workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.

4	Agency/Group/Organization	FELLOWSHIP HOUSING CORPORATION
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - Housing Services-homeless Services-Education Services-Employment Service-Fair Housing
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Families with children Non-Homeless Special Needs Anti-poverty Strategy
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Fellowship Housing completed a survey and participated in a public service agency workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
5	Agency/Group/Organization	Age Options
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Elderly Persons
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Non-Homeless Special Needs
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Age Options completed a survey. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
6	Agency/Group/Organization	Northwest Compass
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Services - Housing Services-Elderly Persons Services-homeless Services-Education Services-Employment

	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs Economic Development Anti-poverty Strategy
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Northwest Compass completed a survey. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
7	Agency/Group/Organization	Resources for Community Living
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - Housing Services-Persons with Disabilities
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Non-Homeless Special Needs
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Resources for Community Living participated in the public service agency workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
8	Agency/Group/Organization	CHILDREN'S HOME & AID
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Children
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Non-Homeless Special Needs
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Children's Home & Aid participated in the public service agency workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
9	Agency/Group/Organization	ALFRED CAMPANELLI YMCA
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Children
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Non-Homeless Special Needs

	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Alfred Campanelli participated in the public services workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
10	Agency/Group/Organization	JOURNEYS-THE ROAD HOME
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-homeless
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Journeys the Road Home participated in the public services workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
11	Agency/Group/Organization	LITTLE CITY FOUNDATION
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Persons with Disabilities Services-Employment
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Non-Homeless Special Needs
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Little City Foundation participated in the public services workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.
12	Agency/Group/Organization	Children's Advocacy Center
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services-Children Services-Victims of Domestic Violence
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Non-Homeless Special Needs
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Children's Advocacy participated in the public services workshop. Participants learned more about the Village's CDBG process and were invited to participate in future development of the Five-Year Plan.

13	Agency/Group/Organization	Housing Authority of Cook County (HACC)
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - County
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Public Housing Needs
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Housing Authority of Cook County provided data on current Housing Choice Vouchers (formerly Section 8) provided to Schaumburg residents. The data was utilized to assess Schaumburg residents' participation in the Housing Choice Voucher Program.
14	Agency/Group/Organization	Various Cook County Departments
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - County
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Economic Development Market Analysis Anti-poverty Strategy Submission Requirements
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Village consulted with Cook County on the housing goals identified within Cook County's Five Year Plan. Since the Village is participating in Cook County's HOME Consortium, the Village's housing goals must align with Cook County's housing goals. The Village also consulted with the Cook County Department of Public Health to identify potential lead-based paint hazards. Cook County has been coordinating several conference calls and meetings for submission of the Five-Year Plan.

15	Agency/Group/Organization	ALLIANCE TO END HOMELESSNESS IN SUBURBAN COOK COUNTY
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Services - Housing Services-homeless Other government - County Continuum of Care
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs Economic Development Anti-poverty Strategy
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Village distributed various agency surveys through the Alliance to End Homelessness in Suburban Cook County. Additionally, the Village worked directly with agency staff to obtain information on homeless statistics, including Point-in-Time data counts on sheltered homeless. The Village continued to work with the Alliance and invited them to continue to participate in development of the plan.
16	Agency/Group/Organization	US Dept of Housing and Urban Development Region V Office
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - Federal
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Submission Requirements
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	HUD provided direction on the general planning approach to the Five-Year Plan as well as coordination of the plan submission. This coordination allowed Village Staff to be informed of the requirements.
17	Agency/Group/Organization	Village of Hoffman Estates
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - local

	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Economic Development Market Analysis Anti-poverty Strategy Submission Requirements
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	HUD provided direction on the general planning approach to the Five-Year Plan as well as coordination of the plan submission. This coordination allowed Village Staff to be informed of the requirements.
18	Agency/Group/Organization	Village of Hoffman Estates
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - local
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Economic Development Market Analysis Anti-poverty Strategy Submission Requirements

	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Neighboring municipalities have been consulted on a more frequent basis due to the Village's participation in the HOME Consortium. Hoffman Estates and Schaumburg share municipal boundaries. Additional discussion was held about collaboration of the CDBG program. Hoffman Estates also provides an owner-occupied rehabilitation program through North West Housing Partnership (NWHP). Hoffman Estates was consulted about options for marketing the program and streamlining NWHP's process.
19	Agency/Group/Organization	Village of Palatine
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - local
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Economic Development Market Analysis Anti-poverty Strategy Submission Requirements
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Neighboring municipalities have been consulted on a more frequent basis due to the Village's participation in the HOME Consortium. Palatine and Schaumburg share a municipal boundary. Additional discussion was held about collaboration of the CDBG program.
20	Agency/Group/Organization	Village of Mount Prospect
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Other government - local

	<p>What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?</p>	<p>Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Economic Development Market Analysis Anti-poverty Strategy Submission Requirements</p>
	<p>How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?</p>	<p>Mount Prospect is a CDBG entitlement community that is also participating in the HOME Consortium. Village Staff meets with the surrounding entitlement communities to discuss CDBG strategies. Mount Prospect and Schaumburg fund several of the same public service agencies. Specific discussions were held with Mount Prospect regarding the monitoring of subrecipients and streamlining their reporting process.</p>
21	<p>Agency/Group/Organization</p>	<p>Village of Arlington Heights</p>
	<p>Agency/Group/Organization Type</p>	<p>Other government - local</p>

	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Public Housing Needs Homelessness Strategy Homeless Needs - Chronically homeless Homeless Needs - Families with children Homelessness Needs - Veterans Homelessness Needs - Unaccompanied youth Non-Homeless Special Needs HOPWA Strategy Economic Development Market Analysis Anti-poverty Strategy Submission Requirements
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	Arlington Heights is a CDBG entitlement community that is also participating in the HOME Consortium. Village Staff meets with the surrounding entitlement communities to discuss CDBG strategies. Arlington Heights and Schaumburg fund several of the same public service agencies. Specific discussions were held with Mount Prospect regarding the monitoring of subrecipients and streamlining their reporting process.
22	Agency/Group/Organization	Schaumburg - Various Apartment Complexes
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Provider
	What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?	Public Housing Needs Market Analysis
	How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?	The Village surveyed apartment complexes to obtain the current rates for a variety of rental units. The Village also inquired about the acceptance of Housing Choice Vouchers.
23	Agency/Group/Organization	North West Housing Provider
	Agency/Group/Organization Type	Housing Provider

<p>What section of the Plan was addressed by Consultation?</p>	<p>Housing Need Assessment Lead-based Paint Strategy Market Analysis</p>
<p>How was the Agency/Group/Organization consulted and what are the anticipated outcomes of the consultation or areas for improved coordination?</p>	<p>The Village spoke with North West Housing Partnership regarding the housing needs in the Village. NWHP administers the Village's Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and consults with the Village on a regular basis.</p>

Identify any Agency Types not consulted and provide rationale for not consulting

The Village attempted to contact all agencies that potentially serve low and moderate-income Schaumburg residents; however, some agencies opted not to respond or participate in the process.

Other local/regional/state/federal planning efforts considered when preparing the Plan

Name of Plan	Lead Organization	How do the goals of your Strategic Plan overlap with the goals of each plan?
2014-2017 Strategic Plan	Alliance to End Homelessness in Suburban Cook County	The plan contains several strategies to coordinate social services towards ending homelessness in Cook County. The Village has identified homeless services and homeless prevention as a need.
Village of Schaumburg Consolidated Plan	Village of Schaumburg	The Village's Comprehensive Plan has a section on housing, which includes subsections addressing rehabilitation, homebuyer assistance, rental housing, and housing for the elderly and special needs.
Go To 2040	Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning (CMAP)	Go To 2040 is a comprehensive regional plan that establishes coordinated strategies that help the region's 284 communities address transportation, housing, economic development, open space, the environment and other quality of life issues. The goals of this plan are consistent with that of the Go To 2040 Plan.
Analysis of Impediments (AI) to Fair Housing	Village of Schaumburg	The Village's AI identified potential impediments to Fair Housing and objectives to address those impediments. The Village will continue to work towards the approved objectives to further fair housing.

Table 3– Other local / regional / federal planning efforts

Describe cooperation and coordination with other public entities, including the State and any adjacent units of general local government, in the implementation of the Consolidated Plan (91.215(I))

Starting in 2014, the Village opted to join the Cook County HOME Consortium. HOME funds are allocated by competitive application to the State of Illinois; however, Cook County receives HOME funds on an annual basis. Joining the Cook County Consortium allowed Cook County to receive additional HOME funds from the state that could be used for programs and projects to assist Village residents.

Joining the Consortium also allowed for better coordination with other municipalities participating in the same Consortium who also receive CDBG funds. These consortium members include the Village of Hoffman Estates, the Village of Mount Prospect, the Village of Palatine, the City of Oak Park, the Town of Cicero, and the City of Berwyn. Some of the consortium members share similar demographics and needs to that of Schaumburg. Some of the consortium members also share municipal boundaries with Schaumburg. Although the Village has consulted with neighboring municipalities in the past, Cook County's facilitation assisted in identifying common housing needs for the county as a whole. For example, most of the consortium members provide a residential rehabilitation program and provide funds to the same local subrecipients. Most of the consortium members have also expressed an interest in housing counseling and creating a down payment assistance program, which Schaumburg currently funds CDBG.

Narrative

Overall, the Village completed thorough outreach to maximize input on the Consolidated Plan. Although the Village received extensive outreach, some agencies opted not to participate in the process.

PR-15 Citizen Participation - 91.401, 91.105, 91.200(c)

1. Summary of citizen participation process/Efforts made to broaden citizen participation Summarize citizen participation process and how it impacted goal-setting

The goal of the Citizen Participation Plan is to set forth the Village's policies and procedures for citizen participation throughout the development of the Five-Year Consolidated Plan, Annual Action Plan and the Comprehensive Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER). Village residents, public service agencies and other interested agencies are invited and encouraged to participate in the development of the plans submitted to HUD. These partnerships provide valuable assistance and input in creating the submitted plans that meet the Village's community development needs.

The following is a summary of the Citizen Participation Plan and efforts for the Consolidated Plan, Action Plans, and CAPER. This section also addresses the public hearing requirements and substantial amendments to plans.

Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan

Before the Village adopts a Consolidated Plan or Annual Action Plan, the Village will make available information, including the amounts of assistance anticipated, the various activities that will be undertaken, and the amount that will benefit persons of low- and moderate-income) to residents, public agencies and other interested parties.

The Village will publish the proposed plans for public comment. Public notices for the proposed plans will be published in the Daily Herald. Copies of the entire plans will be available for review at the Village Hall (101 Schaumburg Court), the Schaumburg Township (1 Illinois Boulevard, Hoffman Estates), and the Schaumburg Township District Library (130 S. Roselle Road) during the public comment period. In addition, the Village will provide free copies of the plans to residents and groups upon request.

The Village will provide at least one public hearing during the development of the Consolidated Plan, and will provide a minimum of 30 days for public comment period. The 30 days will begin from the date the public notice is published.

The Village will consider any written or verbal comments received during the 30-day review period. A summary of these comments and a summary of any comments not accepted and the reasons for not accepting them will be incorporated into the final Consolidated Plan and/or Action Plan. The Village will provide, within 15 business days, a written response to written complaints regarding the Consolidated Plan and/or Action Plan.

Amendments

HUD allows the Village to make amendments to the plan. Only substantial amendments are required to undergo the public hearing process. The Village has identified a substantial amendment as follows:

1. If the funding level for an activity has increased by more than 25%;

2. If a new activity is funded; or
3. If the purpose of a program/project or its beneficiaries have substantially changed.

The Village will provide a public hearing and a 30-day review period if a substantial amendment is proposed. The Village will consider any written or verbal comments received during the 30-day review period. A summary of these comments and a summary of any comments not accepted and the reasons for not accepting them will be attached to the amended Consolidated Plan and/or Action Plan. The Village will provide, within 15 business days, a written response to written complaints regarding the substantial amendments to the Consolidated Plan and/or Action Plan.

Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER)

Before the Village adopts a CAPER, the Village will make available information, including the amounts of assistance provided, the various activities funded, and the number of persons or households assisted. This information will be made available to residents, public agencies and other interested parties.

The Village will publish the proposed plan for public comment. Public notices for the proposed plan will be published in the Daily Herald. Copies of the entire plan will be available for review at the Village Hall (101 Schaumburg Court), the Schaumburg Township (1 Illinois Boulevard, Hoffman Estates), and the Schaumburg Township District Library (130 S. Roselle Road) during the public comment period. In addition, the Village will provide free copies of the plan to residents and groups upon request.

The Village will provide at least one public hearing during the development of the Consolidated Plan, and will provide a minimum of 15 days for public comment period. The 15 days will begin from the date the public notice is published.

The Village will consider any written or verbal comments received during the 15-day review period. A summary of these comments and a summary of any comments not accepted and the reasons for not accepting them will be incorporated into the final CAPER. The Village will provide, within 15 business days, a written response to written complaints regarding the CAPER.

Public Hearings

The Village will provide a 30 day public notice (15-day public notice for the CAPER) in the Daily Herald prior to a public meeting. The public notice will indicate the time, location and sufficient information about the subject of the hearing to allow for informed public comment.

All public hearings will be held in the evening at the Village Hall, which is central location convenient to potential and actual beneficiaries of the CDBG program.

Availability and Access To Records

The Village will make any proposed plans and substantial amendments available to the public between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday during the public comment period. These records will be available in the Community Development at the Village Hall (101 Schaumburg Court). Upon request, the Village can provide these records outside the public comment period. Upon request, the Village can also provide a copy of the plan in a format accessible to persons with disabilities or persons that may need language translation services.

Technical Assistance

The Village will provide technical assistance to groups representing persons of low- and moderate income who need assistance in developing proposals for the CDBG Program

Citizen Participation Outreach

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
1	Village website	Non-targeted/broad community	235 online survey responses received	See attached Survey Results	N/A	
2	Survey Boxes	Non-targeted/broad community	37 survey responses submitted in survey boxes. Survey boxes were placed in public locations, including the Schaumburg Township Library, Schaumburg Park District, Schaumburg Township, Barn, and Village Hall.	See attached survey results	N/A	
3	Agency/Local Organization Mailing	Minorities Non-English Speaking - Specify other language: Korean, Middle Eastern Persons with disabilities Non-targeted/broad community	6 surveys returned to the Village. The Village mailed surveys to various organizations and agencies to solicit input and pass along the resident surveys to any populations served. Agencies included churches, banks, apartment complexes, homeowners' associations, and organizations that serve low-and moderated income residents.	See attached survey results	N/A	

Sort Order	Mode of Outreach	Target of Outreach	Summary of response/attendance	Summary of comments received	Summary of comments not accepted and reasons	URL (If applicable)
4	Resident Mailing	Other: Low- and Moderate Income Residents	10 surveys returned to the Village. The Village mailed surveys to various organizations and agencies to solicit input and pass along the resident surveys to any populations served. Agencies included churches, banks, apartment complexes, homeowners' associations, and organizations that serve low-and moderated income residents.	See attached survey results	N/A	
5	E-Newsletter	Non-targeted/broad community	The e-newsletter helped with the promotion of the Internet survey.	See attached survey results	N/A	
6	Public Meeting	Non-targeted/broad community	Summary of comments to be added after public hearing.	Summary of comments to be added after public hearing.	N/A	

Table 4– Citizen Participation Outreach

Needs Assessment

NA-05 Overview

Needs Assessment Overview

This section addresses both the housing needs and non-housing needs identified by the Village to support the distribution of CDBG funds.

As the lead agency for the Cook County HOME Consortium, Cook County has identified countywide housing needs. It should be noted that some of the needs identified by Cook County will not directly impact the Village. These needs were excluded from the needs assessment. The Village receives CDBG funds, which will be used in part to address some of the Village's housing needs, which fall in line with those housing needs identified by Cook County. These needs include:

- Creating and Preserving Affordable Housing
 - Based on Cook County's research, this may also include family housing, supportive housing, emergency and transitional housing and accessible housing.
- Prioritizing Projects that Link Housing to Services (i.e. employment, transportation, etc.)
- Expand access to the County's supply of housing through tenant-based rental assistance
- Assistance to Public Service Agencies that Provide Housing Related-Services, including emergency housing, permanent supportive housing, transitional housing and housing counseling

In addition to the housing needs identified by Cook County, these needs have also been examined by the Village in conjunction with review of census data, local studies and reports, and input from governmental departments, social service agencies and residents. A more comprehensive study is identified within the Market Analysis.

The Village has also identified non-housing needs to build sustainable communities and improve the quality of life for residents. These needs include public service funding, public facilities, public infrastructure, and economic development.

NA-50 Non-Housing Community Development Needs - 91.415, 91.215 (f)

Describe the jurisdiction's need for Public Facilities:

The Village has identified public facilities as a priority. These facilities provide valuable services to the community and to low- and moderate-income residents. In the past, the Village has used CDBG funds to assist with the construction and maintenance of public facilities. Past projects include child care centers, group homes, transitional housing facilities and emergency housing facilities. The projects funded were based on applications from individual agencies. The Village has identified the following public facility needs:

- Child care centers
- Group homes
- Transitional housing facilities
- Permanent supportive housing
- Fire stations/equipment
- Emergency housing facilities
- Homeless facilities
- Health centers
- Community centers
- Senior/Youth Centers
- Parks
- Remove barriers for ADA accessibility

How were these needs determined?

The Village has surveyed agencies and residents on the needs of public facilities. The majority of responses include public facilities as being a high priority in the Village. Additionally, Cook County's housing goals indicate that housing facilities (i.e. group homes, permanent supportive housing, transitional housing, emergency housing, homeless facilities) are an important goal for the region.

Describe the jurisdiction's need for Public Improvements:

The Village has identified public improvements as a priority. The replacement of outdated infrastructure improves residents' neighborhoods and quality of life. In the past, the Village has used CDBG funds to assist with the sidewalk construction where none currently exists and utility construction. The Village has identified the following public improvement needs:

- Sidewalk replacement/installation
- Utility replacement
- Street reconstruction

- Drainage improvements
- Streetlight replacement/installation
- Transit stop improvements
- Tree planting
- Bike Path replacement/installation

How were these needs determined?

The Village has surveyed residents on the needs of public infrastructure. The majority of responses include public infrastructure as being a high priority in the Village. Additionally, the Village annually approves a Capital Improvement Program, which identifies the replacement of infrastructure and equipment; however, budget constraints sometime require projects to be postponed or even eliminated. The Village will continue to research infrastructure improvements that can best assist the low- and moderate-income community.

Describe the jurisdiction’s need for Public Services:

Public services provide invaluable assistance to residents. The Village has limited resources and the public service agencies provide additional services that the Village cannot provide. In the past, the Village has funded public services agencies, including subsidized childcare, housing counseling, transitional housing programs, and subsidized health care. The projects funded were based on applications from individual agencies. The Village has identified the following public service needs:

- Senior Programs (i.e. Meals, Adult Day Care)
- Abused/Neglected Children (i.e. Counseling, Legal Services)
- Victims of Domestic Abuse (i.e. Counseling, Legal Services)
- Homeless (i.e. Supportive Services)
- Severely Disabled Adults (i.e. Employment Training, Supportive Services, Day Care)
- Health Services (including Vision/Dental)
- Mental Health
- Subsidized Child Care
- Transportation
- Employment Training
- Youth Programs
- Crime Prevention

How were these needs determined?

The Village has surveyed agencies and residents on the needs of public facilities. The majority of responses include public facilities as being a high priority in the Village. Additionally, Cook County’s

housing goals indicate that public service agencies that provide housing services (i.e. housing counseling, transitional housing programs, homeless services, etc.) are an important goal for the region.

Based on the needs analysis above, describe the State's needs in Colonias

This question does not apply to Schaumburg.

Housing Market Analysis

MA-05 Overview

In 2000, the median home value was \$161,000; whereas the 2011 median home value is \$257,600, an increase of 60%. In 2000, the median rent was \$918; whereas the 2011 median rent was \$1,092, an increase of 19%. Staff surveyed apartment complexes in the Village to determine the fair market rent by unit type and whether the apartment complexes accepted Housing Choice Vouchers. All of the complexes accept Housing Choice Vouchers. A listing of the average rent by unit type is provided below:

Rental Unit Type	Average Rent
Efficiency/Studio (no bedroom)	\$924.75
1 bedroom	\$1,17.88
2 bedroom	\$1,369.75
3 bedroom	\$1,570.60
4 bedroom	N/A

According to the 2007-2011 ACS data provided by the U.S. Census, there are a total of 31,316 housing units in Schaumburg. A breakdown of these units is as follows:

Property Type	Owners		Renters	
	Number	%	Number	%
No bedroom	69	0%	475	5%

1 bedroom	721	3%	3,827	37%
2 bedrooms	6,802	32%	4,960	48%
3 or more bedrooms	13,426	64%	1,036	10%
Total	21,018	99%	10,298	100%

The CHAS data provided by HUD provided a breakdown of the percentage of units affordable to households by Renter and Owner. Affordable units are defined as those housing units where an occupant pays 30% of their income or less on housing. This breakdown is as follows:

Area Median Income Classification	% of Units Affordable to Households Earning	Owner	Renter
Extremely Low	30% Area Median Income	No data	210
Low	50% Area Median Income	195	430
Moderate	80% Area Median Income	1,875	3,080
Middle	100% of Area Median Income	4,355	No data
Total		6,425	3,720

Of the 10,298 rental units, a total of 3,720 (36.1%) are considered affordable to households earning 80% or less of the area median income. Of the 21,018 owner units, a total of 2,070 (9.8%) are considered affordable to households earning 80% or less of the area median income. Based on the information above, households below 80% of the area median income may struggle with homeownership.

The majority of the Village’s housing units were constructed prior to 1979. The aging housing stock indicates that repairs may be necessary to maintain the existing housing stock in the Village.

Property Type	Owners		Renters	
	Number	%	Number	%
2000 or later	673	3%	308	3%
1980-1999	7,185	34%	4,511	44%
1950-1979	12,741	61%	5,226	51%
Before 1950	419	2%	253	2%
Total	21,018	100%	10,298	100%

Homes built before 1978 may contain lead based paint. Lead based paint is defined as paint that contains at least 1 milligram per centimeter squared. It is also measured as greater than 0.5% lead or has 5,000 parts per million lead by dry weight. The census data provided does not breakdown housing units constructed prior to 1978, so those units constructed prior to 1979 is the best estimate. As indicated above, a total of 13,160 owner units (62.6% of the total) were constructed prior to 1979, and a total of 5,479 renter units (53.2% of the total) were constructed prior to 1979.

This data indicates that lead-based paint may be prevalent in the Village. The Village has tested for lead based paint for any purchase and rehab activities funded by CDBG, and lead-based paint has been found to be present in a few cases. Given the minimal number of homes that have tested positive for lead-based paint hazards, the Village does not believe lead-based paint is an issue, but the Village will continue to follow HUD’s lead-based paint policy on CDBG-funded projects.

MA-45 Non-Housing Community Development Assets - 91.410, 91.210(f)

Introduction

Based on survey feedback and the analysis below, the Village has identified a few economic development related goals, including business assistance/expansion, improvements to low and moderate income areas where service-based businesses are needed, commercial improvements, job creation/retention and job training. Although the Village has identified these as needs, Village staff needs to develop programs to address the needs identified. .

Economic Development Market Analysis

Business Activity

Business by Sector	Number of Workers	Number of Jobs	Share of Workers %	Share of Jobs %	Jobs less workers %
Agriculture, Mining, Oil & Gas Extraction	31	35	0	0	0
Arts, Entertainment, Accommodations	3,294	13,573	9	18	8
Construction	1,174	1,816	3	2	-1
Education and Health Care Services	5,008	4,854	14	6	-8
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	2,662	8,056	8	10	3
Information	932	2,941	3	4	1
Manufacturing	3,673	3,206	11	4	-6
Other Services	1,314	2,714	4	4	0
Professional, Scientific, Management Services	4,686	10,099	13	13	0
Public Administration	0	0	0	0	0
Retail Trade	4,131	11,025	12	14	2
Transportation and Warehousing	2,123	1,867	6	2	-4
Wholesale Trade	3,008	8,414	9	11	2
Total	32,036	68,600	--	--	--

Table 5 - Business Activity

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS (Workers), 2011 Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (Jobs)

Labor Force

Total Population in the Civilian Labor Force	45,171
Civilian Employed Population 16 years and over	42,174
Unemployment Rate	6.63
Unemployment Rate for Ages 16-24	22.21
Unemployment Rate for Ages 25-65	4.93

Table 6 - Labor Force

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS

Occupations by Sector	Number of People
Management, business and financial	13,673
Farming, fisheries and forestry occupations	2,227
Service	2,504
Sales and office	12,061
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair	2,435
Production, transportation and material moving	1,790

Table 7 – Occupations by Sector

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS

Travel Time

Travel Time	Number	Percentage
< 30 Minutes	23,542	58%
30-59 Minutes	13,435	33%

Travel Time	Number	Percentage
60 or More Minutes	3,590	9%
Total	40,567	100%

Table 8 - Travel Time

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS

Education:

Educational Attainment by Employment Status (Population 16 and Older)

Educational Attainment	In Labor Force		Not in Labor Force
	Civilian Employed	Unemployed	
Less than high school graduate	928	117	546
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	6,991	467	1,616
Some college or Associate's degree	9,808	877	1,832
Bachelor's degree or higher	17,906	717	2,351

Table 9 - Educational Attainment by Employment Status

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS

Educational Attainment by Age

	Age				
	18-24 yrs	25-34 yrs	35-44 yrs	45-65 yrs	65+ yrs
Less than 9th grade	40	140	190	396	666
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	524	195	124	546	621
High school graduate, GED, or alternative	1,593	2,026	2,214	4,834	3,177
Some college, no degree	2,287	2,388	2,082	4,518	2,036
Associate's degree	405	721	1,099	1,722	445
Bachelor's degree	1,484	5,326	3,550	4,899	1,017
Graduate or professional degree	133	2,901	1,846	2,452	448

Table 10 - Educational Attainment by Age

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS

Educational Attainment – Median Earnings in the Past 12 Months

Educational Attainment	Median Earnings in the Past 12 Months
Less than high school graduate	24,665
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	35,708
Some college or Associate's degree	40,646
Bachelor's degree	54,494
Graduate or professional degree	71,108

Table 11 – Median Earnings in the Past 12 Months

Data Source: 2007-2011 ACS

Based on the Business Activity table above, what are the major employment sectors within your jurisdiction?

Based on the information provided above, it appears as though the following businesses have the largest number of jobs:

- Arts, Entertainment, Accommodations
- Finance Insurance and Real Estate
- Professional, Scientific, Management Services
- Retail Trade
- Wholesale Trade

Describe the workforce and infrastructure needs of the business community:

The reoccurring workforce need identified by the business community is to mitigate the shortage of highly skilled manufacturing workers. The region as a whole is facing a crisis of not being able to replenish its workforce with enough skilled workers. The Village, along with other municipalities, has implemented workforce training programs to help alleviate the issue but it still remains a major need of the manufacturing sector of the business community.

Another major need of the business community is for the Village to continue to fund and replace aging infrastructure. Since businesses in Schaumburg rely so heavily on local infrastructure, the Village has identified transit and utility system infrastructure as an essential funding component of its Capital Improvement Plan (CIP). This has been frequently reiterated by various types of businesses through business retention interviews and customer feedback surveys conducted by Village staff.

Additional needs include commercial improvements. There are several businesses located within older commercial/industrial buildings that are in need of improvement.

Describe any major changes that may have an economic impact, such as planned local or regional public or private sector investments or initiatives that have affected or may affect job and business growth opportunities during the planning period.

Since last year, Schaumburg has seen significant private investment which has had, and will continue to have, a major economic impact on the Village and region as a whole. Sunstar Americas, a manufacturer of oral hygiene products and Zurich North America, a major insurance company are large companies that have chosen to construct corporate headquarters in Schaumburg. This private investment will generate property tax revenue and will contribute jobs to the local economy. In addition, these major developments will draw a number of visitors from all over the world into Schaumburg which will assist local businesses while also bolstering sales, food & beverage, and hotel/motel tax revenue.

Describe any needs for workforce development, business support or infrastructure these changes may create.

In addition to the workforce needs of the manufacturing community stated above, developments of this size will need a combination of job training programs and transportation infrastructure. As such, the Village will need to continue to invest and closely monitor its expenditures on these elements. Specifically in regards to transportation, the Village should continue to work closely with PACE to provide employees with ride-share programs as well as a variety of transit options to get to and from O’Hare Airport.

How do the skills and education of the current workforce correspond to employment opportunities in the jurisdiction?

The Village of Schaumburg’s workforce is very well-trained and educated. With the lone exception being the skills gap in the manufacturing labor market, Schaumburg is known for its well-educated constituency with 95% of persons age 25 and older having a high school diploma or equivalent and 41% of the same populations holding at least a bachelor’s degree. With services and retail trade being the major employment sectors in the Village, there is an ample workforce to sustain them; however, the manufacturing sector trails behind due to the lack of qualified applicants for manufacturing firms to choose from.

Describe any current workforce training initiatives, including those supported by Workforce Investment Boards, community colleges and other organizations. Describe how these efforts will support the jurisdiction's Consolidated Plan.

The Village of Schaumburg’s primary workforce development programs are conducted through Harper College and the Golden Corridor Advanced Manufacturing Partnership (GCAMP). Harper College hosts continuing education classes to assist with helping further develop individuals in the workforce. As these classes are not offered for credit and take place over the course of a few weeks, the cost and time commitment is minimal for individuals looking to advance in their careers by expanding their job-related skills.

In an effort to help close the manufacturing skills gap, GCAMP was formed three municipalities in the Chicagoland area. Since its inception, GCAMP has developed numerous events and services aimed at achieving this goal. GCAMP’s primary mission is to spark interest in manufacturing through open houses, educational seminars, and internships geared towards high school and early community college students. While this only helps solve a fraction of the workforce shortage dilemma, GCAMP has contributed by increasing the number of manufacturing internships and students entering the manufacturing profession by 15% in 2014.

Does your jurisdiction participate in a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)?

No, the Village of Schaumburg does not currently participate in a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS).

If so, what economic development initiatives are you undertaking that may be coordinated with the Consolidated Plan?

N/A

If not, describe other local/regional plans or initiatives that impact economic growth.

The overall planning document that helps guide decision making for the Village of Schaumburg is its Comprehensive Plan. Originally created in 1961 and then updated in 1996, the Comprehensive Plan serves as the community's overarching resource for long-range planning. In particular, the Plan has helped guide the development of Schaumburg through its sporadic growth in the 1970's and now provides standards for development and redevelopment going forward. The Village has currently appropriated funds towards conducting an update to the Comprehensive Plan which is set to be completed in 2015-2016.

The Village of Schaumburg has also developed a number of community plans since 1987 which have helped supplement the Comprehensive Plan in regards to economic growth. There have been 9 total plans completed with one more currently going through development. These plans have helped augment the Village's long range vision for development in specific areas and include directives regarding density, zoning, transportation improvements, and architectural design. In total, these plans along with the Comprehensive Plan, have and will continue to help the Village manage its economic growth.

MA-50 Needs and Market Analysis Discussion

Are there areas where households with multiple housing problems are concentrated? (include a definition of "concentration")

A summary of the Village's housing needs below includes the types of housing problems experienced by the Village's general population and its extremely low-income, low-income, moderate-income, and middle-income populations. The assessment will include the extent to which the general population and various income categories experience housing problems. Housing problems may include issues such as cost burdens, overcrowding, and substandard conditions. The analysis will also include the extents to which housing problems are experienced by owner- and renter-occupied households.

The following HUD-classified definitions will apply throughout this section:

- **Housing Problem:** This is classified as one of three conditions:
 - substandard housing conditions;
 - financial cost burdens; or
 - overcrowding.
- **Cost Burden:** When a household pays more than 30% of its income for housing-related costs, including utilities.
- **Severe Cost Burden:** When a household pays more than 50% of its income for housing-related costs, including utilities.
- **Overcrowded Conditions:** Overcrowded homes are those with more than 1.0 person per room.
- **Substandard Conditions:** Substandard homes are those lacking complete kitchen and bathroom facilities.

According to the 2007-2011 CHAS data provided by HUD, there are a total of 18,830 households in Schaumburg. Of these, 305 households have substandard housing (lacking complete plumbing or kitchen facilities) and 274 have are considered overcrowded (1.01-1.5 people per room). Of the total number of households, 4,140 households experience a housing cost burden by spending more than 50% of their income on housing, and 4,125 households experience a housing cost burden by spending more than 30% of their income on housing.

Housing problems are further broken down into households by race and ethnicity. HUD considers there to be a disproportionately greater need exists when the members of racial or ethnic group at a given income level experience problems at a greater rate than the income level as a whole. This rate is typically 10 percentage points or more than the income level as a whole. For example, if there are a total of 2,000 households in a specific income level, then a racial or ethnic group of 200 household or more indicates that there is a problem.

Housing Problem by Race and Ethnicity

The four housing problems are:

1. Lacks complete kitchen facilities
2. Lacks complete plumbing facilities
3. More than 1 person per room
4. Cost burden greater than 30%.

A summary of those populations with a disproportionately greater need of severe housing problems is below:

- 0%-30% of Area Median Income
 - A total of 1,980 household experience one more of the four housing problems. Of this, 1,640 (82.8%) of the households are white.
- 30%-50% of Area Median Income
 - A total of 1,825 households experience one more of the four housing problems. Of this, 1,310 (71.8%) of the households are white, 190 (10.4%) of the households are Asian, and 200 (10.9%) of the households are Hispanic.
- 50%-80% of Area Median Income
 - A total of 3,160 households experience on or more of the four housing problems. Of this, 2,335 (73.9%) of the households are white and 360 of the households are Hispanic.

Severe Housing Problem by Race and Ethnicity

The four housing problems are:

1. Lacks complete kitchen facilities
2. Lacks complete plumbing facilities
3. More than 1.5 persons per room
4. Cost burden greater than 50%.

A summary of those populations with a disproportionately greater need of severe housing problems is below:

- 0%-30% of Area Median Income
 - A total of 1,575 household experience one more of the four housing problems. Of this, 1,270 (80.1%) of the households are white.
- 30%-50% of Area Median Income

- A total of 1,220 households experience one more of the four housing problems. Of this, 1,310 (69.3%) of the households are white, 135 (11.1%) of the households are Asian, and 155 (12.7%) of the households are Hispanic.
- 50%-80% of Area Median Income
 - A total of 915 households experience on or more of the four housing problems. Of this, 740 (80.9%) of the households are white and 360 of the households are Hispanic.

Of the 4 housing problems identified, it appears as though the biggest housing problem is housing cost burden.

Housing Cost Burden	30%-50% Spent on Housing	More than 50% Spent on Housing
Jurisdiction as a whole	6,395	3,775
White	4,855	2,925
Black/African American	205	125
Asian	665	390
American Indian, Alaska Native	0	0
Pacific Islander	0	0
Hispanic	610	310

Using the same formula above (10% of the overall population), it appears as though Whites and Asians experience the biggest housing cost burden.

The Housing Authority of Cook County has provided information on the Housing Choice Vouchers issued to Schaumburg residents. A total of 346 vouchers are currently in use. Since there is no public housing in the Village, 336 of these vouchers are tenant-based (as opposed to project-

based), and 10 vouchers are used for Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing. A total of 771 persons (72 elderly) benefit from the 346 vouchers. The average income of the voucherholders is \$15,209. 109 of the households have a disabled head of household.

Are there any areas in the jurisdiction where racial or ethnic minorities or low-income families are concentrated? (include a definition of "concentration")

Low-Income Map

The Village has created a low- and moderate income area map based on the data provided by HUD. CDBG regulations allow projects in areas where 51% or more of the area’s residents are low and moderate income. There are some communities that have no or very few areas in which 51% of the residents are low and moderate income. CDBG allows an exception to allow CDBG grantees to undertake area benefit activities. The Village is considered an “exception grantee” and is allowed a low and moderate income rate of 36.22% of an area rather than 51%. This 36.22% is the 2014 data provided by HUD and may change periodically. In 2000, the Village’s low and moderate area income rate was 30.9%.

Based on the 2014 data provided, the Village has mapped out the low and moderate income areas based on Census Tract Block Group. A total of 16 areas have been identified, which meet the current exception criteria of 36.22%. A copy of the map has been attached for review.

Racial/Ethnic Minorities Map

A breakdown of census tracts in the Village by race and ethnicity is provided below. It should be noted that the census tract boundaries do not follow the Village boundaries, so some of the populations and percentages indicated below may also be representative of neighboring municipalities. An “area of concentration” is defined as a minority population having 10% or more of a total population within a census tract. For example, if the total population of a census tract is 3000, then 300 or more persons in any one minority category would constitute an area of concentration.

Census Tract	Total	White		Black		American Indian/ Alaskan Native		Asian		Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	
		Total Population	%	Total Population	%	Total Population	%	Total Population	%	Total Population	%
8411.02	5936	4410	74.3%	302	5.1%	15	0.3%	698	11.8%	3	0.1%
8411.04	4469	4001	89.5%	28	0.6%	5	0.1%	303	6.8%	0	0.0%
8046.10	2320	1726	74.4%	45	1.9%	8	0.3%	426	18.4%	1	0.0%
8047.15	3292	1369	41.6%	242	7.4%	13	0.4%	834	25.3%	0	0.0%

8041.08	3879	1833	47.3%	380	9.8%	14	0.4%	1412	36.4%	2	0.1%
8047.16	5490	3181	57.9%	196	3.6%	10	0.2%	1680	30.6%	0	0.0%
8046.11	4359	3641	83.5%	85	1.9%	7	0.2%	485	11.1%	0	0.0%
8046.08	3787	2519	66.5%	181	4.8%	6	0.2%	812	21.4%	1	0.0%
8046.09	5672	3467	61.1%	140	2.5%	11	0.2%	1830	32.3%	2	0.0%
8047.13	4694	2786	59.4%	249	5.3%	24	0.5%	1388	29.6%	0	0.0%
8047.14	3480	2708	77.8%	129	3.7%	3	0.1%	406	11.7%	4	0.1%
8041.09	2955	2603	88.1%	44	1.5%	4	0.1%	206	7.0%	0	0.0%
7702.02	4912	4452	90.6%	52	1.1%	19	0.4%	229	4.7%	2	0.0%
8043.08	5486	3714	67.7%	236	4.3%	14	0.3%	1175	21.4%	2	0.0%
8041.02	6993	6096	87.2%	40	0.6%	7	0.1%	739	10.6%	2	0.0%
8041.05	4000	3381	84.5%	42	1.1%	3	0.1%	488	12.2%	0	0.0%
8041.06	7024	5226	74.4%	53	0.8%	4	0.1%	1536	21.9%	0	0.0%
8043.05	7216	5079	70.4%	308	4.3%	57	0.8%	595	8.2%	3	0.0%
8046.03	5581	3532	63.3%	390	7.0%	31	0.6%	1125	20.2%	3	0.1%
8046.06	7118	5833	81.9%	64	0.9%	8	0.1%	1021	14.3%	1	0.0%
8047.05	3976	2412	60.7%	325	8.2%	15	0.4%	819	20.6%	0	0.0%
8047.01	6837	3801	55.6%	728	10.6%	13	0.2%	1501	22.0%	1	0.0%
8047.06	2472	1964	79.4%	63	2.5%	5	0.2%	331	13.4%	0	0.0%
8047.09	6510	4239	65.1%	371	5.7%	18	0.3%	1252	19.2%	1	0.0%
8047.10	4350	3475	79.9%	151	3.5%	10	0.2%	464	10.7%	0	0.0%
8047.11	7442	4077	54.8%	644	8.7%	24	0.3%	1821	24.5%	8	0.1%
8047.12	5392	3870	71.8%	257	4.8%	15	0.3%	920	17.1%	2	0.0%
8048.03	5392	4096	76.0%	164	3.0%	11	0.2%	882	16.4%	1	0.0%
8048.04	6537	4435	67.8%	263	4.0%	6	0.1%	1080	16.5%	5	0.1%
8048.05	6911	5235	75.7%	240	3.5%	22	0.3%	868	12.6%	1	0.0%
8048.06	3751	2219	59.2%	343	9.1%	25	0.7%	532	14.2%	2	0.1%
8048.07	5172	4032	78.0%	174	3.4%	7	0.1%	610	11.8%	0	0.0%
8048.08	2533	2261	89.3%	19	0.8%	3	0.1%	176	6.9%	0	0.0%
8048.09	4224	3615	85.6%	79	1.9%	5	0.1%	397	9.4%	0	0.0%

8048.10	6949	5227	75.2%	313	4.5%	12	0.2%	1041	15.0%	0	0.0%
8051.05	7356	4837	65.8%	245	3.3%	43	0.6%	632	8.6%	4	0.1%

As indicated above, the majority of minority groups fall below the 10% threshold. There are a few exceptions to this including Census tract 8047.01, which indicates a 10.6% population of Black/African American. Although this census tract is included as being part of Schaumburg, the census tract is North of Golf Road and West of Walnut Road, which does not include any properties in Schaumburg.

The other exception is the Asian population, which is steadily represented as an area of concentration in 29 of the 36 census tracts affiliated with the Village. A map of the Asian population has been attached for review, which indicates a wide disbursement of the Asian population throughout the Village. The majority of this population includes the Asian Indian population, which typically accounts for more than 50% of the overall Asian population. The largest population of Asian persons (31.24% or more) is located in the area on the east side of Schaumburg and the northeast corner of Schaumburg. The second largest population of Asian persons (26.08%-31.23%) is located in the area west of Roselle Road and north of Golf Road and north of Bode Road and east of Walnut Lane. It should be noted that some of these areas do cross into other municipalities.

Ethnic Breakdown

Census Tract	Total	Hispanic/Latino	%
8411.02	5936	955	16.1%
8411.04	4469	305	6.8%
8046.10	2320	153	6.6%
8047.15	3292	1187	36.1%
8041.08	3879	398	10.3%
8047.16	5490	1055	19.2%
8046.11	4359	204	4.7%
8046.08	3787	432	11.4%
8046.09	5672	268	4.7%
8047.13	4694	438	9.3%
8047.14	3480	418	12.0%
8041.09	2955	131	4.4%
7702.02	4912	380	7.7%
8043.08	5486	733	13.4%
8041.02	6993	213	3.0%
8041.05	4000	121	3.0%
8041.06	7024	301	4.3%
8043.05	7216	2312	32.0%
8046.03	5581	1531	27.4%
8046.06	7118	318	4.5%
8047.01	6837	1277	18.7%
8047.05	3976	706	17.8%
8047.06	2472	193	7.8%
8047.09	6510	1049	16.1%
8047.10	4350	439	10.1%
8047.11	7442	1613	21.7%
8047.12	5392	572	10.6%
8048.03	5392	464	8.6%
8048.04	6537	1199	18.3%
8048.05	6911	819	11.9%
8048.06	3751	1073	28.6%
8048.07	5172	589	11.4%
8048.08	2533	166	6.6%
8048.09	4224	252	6.0%
8048.10	6949	647	9.3%

It appears that 20 of the 36 census tracts affiliated with the Village have a Hispanic population of 10% or more in each census tract. The percentage of Hispanic persons is distributed throughout the Village, ranging from 3.03% up to 36.06%. A map has been attached illustrating the distribution of Hispanic persons in the Village. The majority of the Hispanic population in Schaumburg is comprised of people with Mexican origin.

Based on the map, it appears that the largest populations of Hispanic persons within the Village are located along the west and northern areas of Schaumburg. It should be noted that these census tracts to cross Village boundaries, so this data may not be completely specific to Schaumburg residents.

What are the characteristics of the market in these areas/neighborhoods?

For the Hispanic population, the housing types provided in the census tracts with the largest populations (15.01% or above) are mostly multi-family units. In those census tracts with a Hispanic population between (12.01% and 15%), there is a mixture of single-family and multi-family housing.

For the Asian population, the housing types provided in the census tracts with the largest populations (20.91% or more) has a mixture of multi-family and single-family housing. In those census tracts with a population between 10% and 20.9%, there is a mixture of single-family and multi-family housing. The low and moderate income areas do overlap some of the minority areas of concentration identified. The mix of housing located within these areas consists of both multi-family and single-family homes.

Are there any community assets in these areas/neighborhoods?

There are several churches, parks and other amenities located in each census tract. Based on the distribution identified within the maps, it appears that the Asian population has more access to community assets based on their larger disbursement throughout the Village.

Identify commercial areas, parks, community facilities

Schaumburg is designed with easy access to commercial areas, parks and community facilities. Each of the census tracts identified has a park or green space within the census tract. There are several commercial areas located throughout Schaumburg with the larger commercial areas along Roselle Road, Schaumburg, Road, Golf Road, Wise Road, Higgins Road and Algonquin Road.

Are there other strategic opportunities in any of these areas?

The Village will also further investigate the areas of minority concentration, especially those areas that overlap the low and moderate-income areas to determine what public improvements could be constructed or replaced. Additionally, there may be an opportunity for economic development activities in these areas. The Village will also conduct better outreach to the areas of minority concentration to let them know of available programs.

Strategic Plan

SP-05 Overview

This section of the Consolidated Plan describes Schaumburg’s strategy for addressing the community development needs of the Village. The Village intends to use CDBG funds as the primary resources for addressing the needs of the extremely low, low and moderate income residents. Village general funds will continue to support the Community Development Department, Health and Human Services Department and other departments that provide programs benefitting the target CDBG population.

In this strategy, the Village will identify its priority needs and priorities for funding. The strategy is intended to address the community’s highest priority needs that can effectively be addressed with the amount of funds available.

SP-10 Geographic Priorities - 91.415, 91.215(a)(1)

Geographic Area

Table 12 - Geographic Priority Areas

General Allocation Priorities

The Village does not have a HUD-designated target area or neighborhood revitalization strategy.

Describe the basis for allocating investments geographically within the state

All funds will be spent within the Village's municipal boundaries. The program type will determine how funds are distributed.

- Housing programs will be distributed communitywide; however, the Village may conduct more extensive outreach in low- and moderate-income areas. Additional marketing and outreach may be conducted in areas with larger minority populations.
- Public service agencies will also provide services community-wide depending on the need; however some agencies' target populations may restrict them to distribute funds within a certain geographic boundary of the Village.
- Public facility improvements will be provided community wide, depending on eligibility.
- Infrastructure projects will be targeted in eligible low-and moderate-income areas, and adjacent areas where appropriate.*
- Economic Development projects will be provided community wide, depending on eligibility; however, there may be certain instances where economic development is targeted within low- and moderate income areas or commercial areas in need of improvement.

The highest priority for allocating investments will be to effectively utilize CDBG funds to the most beneficial use, whether in the same area or another area in need.

*A map of the Village's current low-and moderate income areas has been attached.

SP-25 Priority Needs - 91.415, 91.215(a)(2)

The Village must prioritize the various needs in the community through the needs of the low- and moderate-income residents and their locations throughout Schaumburg. The tables below outline the priority levels for the various community needs that the Village anticipates over the next 5-years. The priorities outlined below were identified by analyzing the needs of the community with respect to housing, economic and social conditions in Schaumburg. These priority designations indicate whether the Village plans to dedicate CDBG to the specific priority.

Table 13 – Priority Needs Summary

1	Priority Need Name	Affordable Housing
	Priority Level	High
	Population	Extremely Low Low Moderate Large Families Families with Children Elderly
	Geographic Areas Affected	
	Associated Goals	Maintain Existing Housing Stock
	Description	This priority seeks to preserve, maintain and improve the community’s existing housing stock. This priority also seeks to reduce the housing cost burden for low- and moderate income persons who currently own homes to make necessary improvements or to provide assistance to purchase homes.

	<p>Basis for Relative Priority</p> <p>The Village places extremely high value on the preservation and maintenance of its housing stock. This program also assists with the Village’s exterior maintenance program to provide a funding option for homeowners to maintain their home.</p> <p>More recently, the Village has had several requests from seniors for minor home repairs and accessibility improvements. Providing additional programs for seniors will allow them to age in place.</p>
2	Priority Need Name
	Priority Level
	Population
	Geographic Areas Affected
Homeless/Continuum of Care	High
Extremely Low Low Moderate Large Families Families with Children Elderly Chronic Homelessness Individuals Families with Children Mentally Ill Chronic Substance Abuse veterans Persons with HIV/AIDS Victims of Domestic Violence Unaccompanied Youth	

Associated Goals	Homeless and Homeless Prevention Public Facilities
Description	<p>It is difficult to determine the number of available beds/units specific to Schaumburg residents. The figures provided are for multiple municipalities. The beds and units are available to eligible clients, regardless of their last known address and are not specifically reserved for Schaumburg residents.</p> <p>The Village intends to prevent homelessness by working with established homeless assistance providers and the Village's Health and Human Services Department. The primary homeless assistance provider in the area is Journeys the Road Home. Journeys currently has a day center in a neighboring suburb, which serves both homeless persons and persons at risk of homelessness. Emergency shelter and transitional housing is also available through providers that who are part of the Continuum of Care. The Village will support these organizations' efforts by providing funding for their programs.</p>
Basis for Relative Priority	The number of homeless is relatively low as a percentage of the total population, but the Village does recognize that the homeless and persons at risk of homelessness may need assistance. This is considered a high priority due to the level and complexity of their needs.
3 Priority Need Name	Other Special Housing/Non-Homeless Needs
Priority Level	High

Population	Extremely Low Low Moderate Elderly Frail Elderly Persons with Mental Disabilities Persons with Physical Disabilities Persons with Developmental Disabilities Persons with Alcohol or Other Addictions Persons with HIV/AIDS and their Families Victims of Domestic Violence
Geographic Areas Affected	
Associated Goals	Housing (Non-Homeless Special Needs) Public Facilities
Description	Housing and housing services for persons with special needs (but who are not presently homeless) is a High (H) priority in the Village of Schaumburg. Special needs may populations include elderly, frail elderly, severe mentally ill, developmentally disabled, physically disabled, persons with alcohol and other drug addictions, and persons with HIV/AIDS. Although persons with alcohol and other drug addictions and persons with HIV/AIDS are considered a special needs population, it is not expected that CDBG funds will be used for these types of facilities.

	<p>Basis for Relative Priority</p> <p>The Village of Schaumburg places a high priority on providing permanent supportive housing for seniors and persons with disabilities. There are a number of agencies providing housing for persons in these categories. There are currently several waitlists for senior housing. Schaumburg currently has homes that serve people with disabilities, but housing remains a need for this population. In addition to housing, it is important that the provider of supportive housing provide services such as job training, medication monitoring, life skills, etc.</p>
4	<p>Priority Need Name</p> <p>Public Service Needs (Non-Housing)</p>
	<p>Priority Level</p> <p>High</p>
	<p>Population</p> <p>Extremely Low Low Moderate Large Families Families with Children Elderly Public Housing Residents Elderly Frail Elderly Persons with Mental Disabilities Persons with Physical Disabilities Persons with Developmental Disabilities Victims of Domestic Violence Non-housing Community Development</p>
	<p>Geographic Areas Affected</p>

	Associated Goals	Public Services (Non-Housing and Non-Homeless) Public Facilities
	Description	The Village believes that public service needs are a priority. Providers of public services often fill a gap that cannot be provided by anyone else. Assistance to low and moderate income population is necessary to enhance the quality of life of Schaumburg residents. Programs provided may include counseling and legal services, employment training, supportive services, subsidized child care, adult day care, health care, services to seniors, transportation, crime prevention or other youth programs. Services are primarily provided through non-profit agencies.
	Basis for Relative Priority	The Village believes that educational, preventative support services and crisis intervention services are essential. Based on feedback from the surveys and workshops, these programs are essential to provide a suitable living environment. This need is also demonstrated by the data provided on applications submitted for CDBG funds.
5	Priority Need Name	Public Facilities
	Priority Level	High

Population	Extremely Low Low Moderate Large Families Families with Children Elderly Elderly Frail Elderly Persons with Mental Disabilities Persons with Physical Disabilities Persons with Developmental Disabilities Victims of Domestic Violence Non-housing Community Development
Geographic Areas Affected	
Associated Goals	Public Facilities
Description	This priority seeks to ensure that facilities that serve the social, recreational, health, family and other needs of the community are provided, and maintained. Housing and other facilities that provide housing and/or services for persons with special needs are usually categorized by HUD as public facilities. The priority populations for these needs are identified below. Persons with substance abuse and persons with HIV/AIDS are not included in the priority populations below, because it is not expected that public facilities would be funded specifically for these populations. Persons with substance abuse and persons with HIV/AIDS may also be part of one of the special needs populations identified.

	Basis for Relative Priority	Feedback received from surveys and interviews indicate that HIV/AIDS centers and substance abuse centers were a low priority. Although resident surveys indicated that homeless shelters were also a low priority, feedback from interviews and workshops, indicated that there was a need for homeless shelters, and listing this as a priority would allow the Village to make eligible improvements to existing homeless shelters if requested.
6	Priority Need Name	Public Infrastructure
	Priority Level	High
	Population	Extremely Low Low Moderate
	Geographic Areas Affected	
	Associated Goals	Public Infrastructure
	Description	The Village will use CDBG to fund eligible public infrastructure projects. Low and moderate-income areas will be targeted for assistance. Examples of assistance may include sidewalk replacement/installation, utility replacement, street reconstruction, drainage improvements, streetlight replacement/installation, transit stop improvements, tree planting, and bike path replacement/installation.
	Basis for Relative Priority	The Village has aging infrastructure that needs to be replaced. Budget constraints sometime postpone or eliminate projects. This high priority designation will target low and moderate-income areas for potential improvements.

7	Priority Need Name	Economic Development
	Priority Level	High
	Population	Extremely Low Low Moderate
	Geographic Areas Affected	
	Associated Goals	
	Description	Create economic development opportunities for the purpose of creating/retaining jobs, assisting low and moderate-income business owners, improving commercial areas, and providing additional services to low and moderate income areas. Types of assistance may include business assistance and/or building expansion and improvements.
	Basis for Relative Priority	Survey feedback indicated that job creation and retention was a high priority. High priority was also placed on replacement of aging infrastructure and job training. As Schaumburg continues to work with the residents in the low-moderate income areas, additional economic needs may be determined in their specific service area such as service-based businesses. Additional improvements could include building improvements and business expansion.
8	Priority Need Name	Planning & Administration
	Priority Level	High
	Population	Extremely Low Low Moderate

Geographic Areas Affected	
Associated Goals	Planning & Administration
Description	Planning and administration costs to administer the CDBG program.
Basis for Relative Priority	Staff support is needed to continue to administer the CDBG program and to manage and monitor CDBG-funded programs.

Additional housing goals have been identified by Cook County, who may utilize HOME funds. The goals identified by Cook County, include:

- Creating and Preserving Affordable Housing
 - Based on Cook County’s research, this may also include family housing, supportive housing, emergency and transitional housing and accessible housing.
- Prioritizing Projects that Link Housing to Services (i.e. employment, transportation, etc.)
- Expanding access to the County’s supply of housing through tenant-based rental assistance
- Providing assistance to Public Service Agencies that Provide Housing Related-Services, including emergency housing, permanent supportive housing, transitional housing and housing counseling

Narrative (Optional)

The Village has identified a variety of needs based on feedback from surveys, interviews, and demographic data. The needs identified within the strategic plan will be a mechanism used for determining CDBG-eligible goals within the Five-Year Plan.

SP-35 Anticipated Resources - 91.420(b), 91.215(a)(4), 91.220(c)(1,2)

Introduction

The primary funding source for the plan is the Village's CDBG allocation. For Program Year 2015, the Village will receive a total of \$299,949. Over the 5-year term, this equates to \$1,499,745. The Village anticipates a total of \$147,500 of carryover funds from Program Year 2014, which will be utilized in Program Year 2015.

In the past 5 years, the Village has received a total of \$205,000 in program income (\$41,097/year). Although this has been the standard, the Village cannot rely on program income as a regular source of funding. Program income is the repayment of loans through the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and First Time Buyer's Program. During the 5-year term, loans will only be due for those individuals that sell their home, change title or no longer use the home as a primary residence. Due to the inconsistency in receiving program income, the Village is not anticipating any program income to be received. If any program income is received, it will be utilized towards CDBG-eligible projects.

Anticipated Resources

Program	Source of Funds	Uses of Funds	Expected Amount Available Year 1				Expected Amount Available Reminder of ConPlan \$	Narrative Description
			Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$		
CDBG	public - federal	Acquisition Admin and Planning Economic Development Housing Public Improvements Public Services	\$299,949	0	\$147,500	\$447,449	\$1,199,796	The Village will use CDBG entitlement, carryover and program income funds (if received).

Table 14 - Anticipated Resources

Explain how federal funds will leverage those additional resources (private, state and local funds), including a description of how matching requirements will be satisfied

The CDBG Program does not require the match of funds. Schaumburg, like other public and private agencies, has limited resources to address the numerous needs identified in the needs analysis section of this plan. The Village uses its CDBG funds on an annual basis to address these stated needs. Cook County receives ESG funds for distribution throughout suburban Cook County. Since the Village has joined the Cook County HOME Consortium, additional funds could be utilized for additional housing activities.

Since the Village does not have the resources to address all of the community's needs by itself, it depends on outside resources to help address those unmet needs. The Village will seek to leverage outside resources by using its CDBG funds as seed money where appropriate. The greatest resources are area social service agencies. These agencies provide much of the manpower and overhead to address many of the Village's housing and community development needs. While the Village, county, or state often supplies limited cash resources, it is the individual agencies that provide the coordination and networking to provide necessary public services. The Village will continue to act as an advocate for public service agencies serving residents from Schaumburg and the northwest suburbs.

Additionally, the Village works with local financial institutions for the First-Time Homebuyer's Program. The First-Time Homebuyer's Program does not place limitations on the senior mortgage financial package for applicants, which allows them more flexibility in choosing the package that best fits their needs; however, homebuyer counseling is required as part of the program to ensure that the buyers fully understand the homebuying process. The First Time Homebuyer's Program has been used in conjunction with other down payment assistance programs offered through the federal and state government, not-for-profits, and Community Reinvestment Act credits through the applicant's financial institution.

Housing Choice Vouchers, administered through the Housing Authority of Cook County, are available to Schaumburg residents. There are some apartment complexes and privately rented housing units within the Village that currently accept tenants with Housing Choice Voucher.

As the Village begins to pursue infrastructure and economic development projects, additional funds could be leveraged through governmental grants and/or private contributions.

If appropriate, describe publically owned land or property located within the state that may be used to address the needs identified in the plan

No publicly owned land will be developed to address the needs identified in the plan.

Discussion

Although there are limited resources available, the Village will try to pursue the priorities identified within the Strategic Plan. Additional services from the Village's Health and Human Services Department may be provided to assist these target populations.

SP-40 Institutional Delivery Structure - 91.415, 91.215(k)

Explain the institutional structure through which the jurisdiction will carry out its consolidated plan including private industry, non-profit organizations, and public institutions.

Responsible Entity	Responsible Entity Type	Role	Geographic Area Served
Village of Schaumburg	Municipality	CDBG Administration Affordable Housing Public Facilities Economic Development Infrastructure	Village-wide

Table 15 - Institutional Delivery Structure

Assess of Strengths and Gaps in the Institutional Delivery System

Schaumburg's Community Development Department will be the primary lead in administering the Consolidated Plan. The Village will coordinate with agencies, businesses, owners and residents to carry out the goals of the Consolidated Plan. For example, the Village annually funds public services, which are funds provided to non-profit agencies providing services to low- and moderate income residents. Contractors may assist with the construction or rehabilitation of projects, and owners and residents will become involved as applicants and beneficiaries of these programs.

The biggest strength in the institutional delivery system is the coordination amongst public service providers. Referrals are consistently being provided to specific agencies or to the Village for assistance. The more information shared among providers allows for promotion of services and additional resources to assist residents. The biggest gap in the institutional delivery system is the lack of available funding to meet the demand. Another possible gap in the institutional structure concerns the turnover in staff at all levels of government, non-profit organizations, and private institutions. Staff turnover can cause a decrease in communication among the institutions. This in turn may result in a lack of coordination and lack of progress on activities.

Availability of services targeted to homeless persons and persons with HIV and mainstream services

Homelessness Prevention Services	Available in the Community	Targeted to Homeless	Targeted to People with HIV
Homelessness Prevention Services			
Counseling/Advocacy	X	X	
Legal Assistance	X		
Mortgage Assistance	X		
Rental Assistance	X	X	
Utilities Assistance	X	X	

Street Outreach Services			
Law Enforcement	X	X	
Mobile Clinics	X		
Other Street Outreach Services	X	X	
Supportive Services			
Alcohol & Drug Abuse	X		
Child Care	X		
Education	X		
Employment and Employment Training	X	X	
Healthcare	X	X	
HIV/AIDS	X	X	X
Life Skills	X	X	
Mental Health Counseling	X	X	
Transportation	X	X	
Other			
Other			

Table 16 - Homeless Prevention Services Summary

Describe how the service delivery system including, but not limited to, the services listed above meet the needs of homeless persons (particularly chronically homeless individuals and families, families with children, veterans and their families, and unaccompanied youth)

The homeless providers are coordinated through the Alliance to End Homelessness in Suburban Cook County. The Alliance has 3 service areas within Cook County: the north, west and south areas. Schaumburg is part of the north region. The north region meets monthly to network, discuss referral options, legislation, available resources, and coordination of the north region.

The agencies that serve the north region include, Alexian Brothers Center for Mental Health, Catholic Charities, North West Compass, The Harbour, Fellowship Housing, WINGS, NAMI Barrington, and Journeys the Road Home to name a few. These agencies provide a wide spectrum of services, including the services identified above. Some of the agencies special in serving a specific subgroup of the homeless population, such as chronically homeless, children, women, and persons in need of mental health counseling.

Describe the strengths and gaps of the service delivery system for special needs population and persons experiencing homelessness, including, but not limited to, the services listed above

The Alliance puts forth a collaborative effort to combine the resources to coordinate services provided. Although there are several homeless prevention resources in the community, the demand often exceeds the funding and staffing capacity of the agency. One excellent resource is the Call Center, which links homeless and at-risk residents to services

Provide a summary of the strategy for overcoming gaps in the institutional structure and service delivery system for carrying out a strategy to address priority needs

The Village will continue to use CDBG funds to support homeless and homeless prevention services and special needs populations, including persons with disabilities and the elderly. These services are vital to the community and aid in assisting the needs of these populations.

SP-45 Goals - 91.415, 91.215(a)(4)

Goals Summary Information

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
1	Maintain Existing Housing Stock	2015	2019	Affordable Housing		Affordable Housing	CDBG: \$417,500	Homeowner Housing Rehabilitated: 20 Housing Units Assisted
2	Down Payment Assistance	2015	2019	Affordable Housing			CDBG: \$122,260	Direct Financial Assistance to Homebuyers: 11 Households Assisted
3	Homeless and Homeless Prevention	2015	2019	Homeless		Homeless/Continuum of Care	CDBG: \$114,000	Homelessness Prevention: 655 Persons Assisted
4	Housing (Non-Homeless Special Needs)	2015	2019	Non-Homeless Special Needs		Other Special Housing/Non-Homeless Needs	CDBG: \$14,000	Public service activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 20 Households Assisted
5	Public Services (Non-Housing and Non-Homeless)	2015	2019	Non-Housing Community Development		Public Service Needs (Non-Housing)	CDBG: \$100,200	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 535 Persons Assisted

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
6	Public Facilities & Infrastructure	2015	2019	Public Facility and Infrastructure		Homeless/Continuum of Care Other Special Housing/Non-Homeless Needs Public Service Needs (Non-Housing) Public Facilities	CDBG: \$539,196	Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit and for Other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 5 Projects Completed
8	Economic Development	2015	2019				CDBG: \$150,000	Businesses Assisted: 3
9	Planning & Administration	2015	2019	Planning & Admin		Planning & Administration	CDBG: \$190,089	N/A

Table 17 – Goals Summary

Additional housing goals have been identified by Cook County, who may utilize HOME funds. The goals identified by Cook County, include:

- Creating and Preserving Affordable Housing
 - Based on Cook County’s research, this may also include family housing, supportive housing, emergency and transitional housing and accessible housing.
- Prioritizing Projects that Link Housing to Services (i.e. employment, transportation, etc.)
- Expanding access to the County’s supply of housing through tenant-based rental assistance
- Providing assistance to Public Service Agencies that Provide Housing Related-Services, including emergency housing, permanent supportive housing, transitional housing and housing counseling

Goal Descriptions

1	Goal Name	Maintain Existing Housing Stock
	Goal Description	Under the affordable housing goal, the Village proposes to maintain and improve the existing housing stock and provide down payment assistance program. As the housing stock ages, more housing units will be in need of structural and energy-efficiency improvements. The Village may use funding to contract out the administration of this program.
2	Goal Name	Down Payment Assistance
	Goal Description	The Village will provide down payment assistance for eligible applicants. Based on the data provided, a focus should be made for extremely low and low applicants, who are at or below 50% of the area median income). Efforts to assist low- and moderate-income homebuyers are intended to reduce the housing cost burdens for these residents and to maintain a diverse population in the Village.
3	Goal Name	Homeless and Homeless Prevention
	Goal Description	The Village intends to prevent homelessness by working with the established homeless assistance providers and the Health and Human Services Division. The primary homeless assistance provider in the area is Journeys the Road Home. Journeys currently has a day center in Palatine, a neighboring suburb. The center provides services to homeless persons and persons at risk of being homeless. Emergency shelter and transitional housing is provided by other public service agencies, including WINGS, Fellowship Housing Corporation, North West Compass, and other agencies. The Village will support these agencies by funding public services.
4	Goal Name	Housing (Non-Homeless Special Needs)
	Goal Description	To provide transitional and permanent housing for persons with special needs including, but not limited to, the elderly and persons with disabilities.

5	Goal Name	Public Services (Non-Housing and Non-Homeless)
	Goal Description	<p>The Village will use CDBG funds to fund non-housing services to low-and moderate-income residents. Such services may include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Programs (i.e. Meals, Adult Day Care) • Abused/Neglected Children (i.e. Counseling, Legal Services) • Victims of Domestic Abuse (i.e. Counseling, Legal Services) • Severely Disabled Adults (i.e. Employment Training, Supportive Services, Day Care) • Health Services (including Vision/Dental) • Mental Health • Subsidized Child Care • Transportation • Employment Training • Youth Programs • Crime Prevention

6	Goal Name	Public Facilities
	Goal Description	<p>The Village will use CDBG funds to fund public facilities and infrastructure that benefit low- and moderate income residents.</p> <p>Public facility projects may include building improvements for agencies that serve low and moderate income residents, such as improvements to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child care centers • Group homes • Transitional housing facilities • Permanent supportive housing • Fire stations/equipment • Emergency housing facilities • Homeless facilities • Health centers • Community centers • Senior/Youth Centers • Parks • Remove barriers for ADA accessibility
7	Goal Name	Public Infrastructure
	Goal Description	<p>Public infrastructure improvements will be targeted in low and moderate-income areas (and eligible adjacent areas where appropriate). Infrastructure improvements may include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sidewalk replacement/installation • Utility replacement • Street reconstruction • Drainage improvements • Streetlight replacement/installation • Transit stop improvements • Tree planting • Bike Path replacement/installation

8	Goal Name	Economic Development
	Goal Description	Create economic development opportunities for the purpose of creating/retaining jobs, assisting low and moderate-income business owners, improving commercial areas, and providing additional services to low and moderate income areas. Types of assistance may include business assistance and/or building expansion and improvements. The Village anticipates assisting a minimum of 3 businesses with economic development assistance.
9	Goal Name	Planning & Administration
	Goal Description	Funding will be used for the administration of the CDBG program, including but not limited to salary, benefits, advertising, meetings, training, travel, subscriptions, supplies, audit, postage, and consultant fees.

Estimate the number of extremely low-income, low-income, and moderate-income families to whom the jurisdiction will provide affordable housing as defined by HOME 91.315(b)(2)

The Village is not a direct recipient of HOME funding. Cook County is the lead agency that receives HOME funding on the Village’s behalf. The Village does not have a specific breakdown of the number of units that meet the definition of affordable housing through the HOME program.

SP-65 Lead-based Paint Hazards - 91.415, 91.215(i)

Actions to address LBP hazards and increase access to housing without LBP hazards

In recent years, HUD has focused on the issue of lead-based paint hazards and the threat that they may pose to children. The households most likely to be affected by lead poisoning are households served by local housing problems.

Lead based paint is defined as paint that contains at least 1 milligram per centimeter squared (mg/cm²) of lead. It is also measured as greater than 0.5% lead or has 5,000 parts per million lead by dry weight. Many houses built before 1978 contain lead-based paint. The best way to accurately estimate the number of housing units in Schaumburg that contain lead-based paint is to determine the number of houses built before 1978.

According to the 2007-2011 ACS, there are a total of 13,160 owner-occupied units that were constructed before 1980. (It should be noted that the ACS does not break down the number of units constructed before 1978.) Of these 13,160 owner-occupied units, there are 1,040 units with children present. The 2007-2011 ACS also indicates that there are a total of 5,479 renter-occupied units constructed before 1980. Of the 5,479 renter-occupied units, 735 units have children present.

The Village follows the lead-based paint practices required by HUD. For homes constructed before 1978 that are involved in CDBG-funded programs, the Village does complete lead based paint inspections utilizing an independent lead-based paint inspector. If there are lead based paint hazards found, then the hazards must be remedied prior to closing for the First Time Buyer's Program or as part of the construction for the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program.

How are the actions listed above related to the extent of lead poisoning and hazards?

In 2013, a total of 933 tests were reported to the Illinois Department of public health. Of these tests, approximately 33 (3.5%) had elevated results. Since the Village has been conducting lead-based paint inspections on properties undergoing the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program, it was found that only one property tested positive for lead based paint hazards. Although much of the Village's housing stock was constructed prior to 1978, the Village does not believe that the lead based paint hazards in homes pose the biggest lead-based paint threat. In discussions with Cook County's Department of Health, lead poisoning can occur from sources other than lead-based paint found in homes, such as imported pottery, make up, and spices. Although many of the Village's homes have not tested positive for lead based-paint hazards, the Village will continue to undertake the actions above identified to address any lead based paint hazards.

How are the actions listed above integrated into housing policies and procedures?

The Village is aware of the health risks that exist in much of its older housing stock. The Village has taken steps to reduce these hazards through its housing programs. In 2004, the Village officially approved an ordinance to adopt HUD's lead-based paint regulations. In order to comply with HUD's lead-based paint regulations through its home improvement programs, the Village

1. Notification. The Village provides the “Protect Your Family From Lead in Your Home” lead-based paint pamphlet. This pamphlet is provided to the applicant at the time he/she receives an application. The applicant is required to sign a receipt of this pamphlet. The Village notifies the homeowners of lead-based paint hazards or any lead-based paint hazards that might be caused as a result of the rehabilitation project.

Under Illinois law, the homeowner must provide disclosure of known lead-based paint hazards to any potential buyer. The Village will provide the homeowner with a copy of the lead-based paint inspection report. In addition, clearance reports should be provided to the homeowner to demonstrate that any known lead-based paint hazards have been remedied.

2. Lead Hazard Evaluation. The type of lead-hazard evaluation activity depends on the level of Federal rehabilitation assistance. The levels of Federal rehabilitation assistance and the corresponding lead hazard evaluation activities are listed below:

- **Less than \$5,000.** If the applicant receives less than \$5,000 in rehabilitation hard costs, then paint testing must be conducted to identify lead-based paint on painted surfaces that will be disturbed or replaced.
- **\$5,000 to \$25,000.** If the applicant receives \$5,000 to \$25,000 in rehabilitation hard costs, then lead-based paint testing must be done on the entire unit, both interior and exterior.

3. Lead Hazard Reduction. Any action taken to address lead-based paint hazards depends on the amount of Federal rehabilitation assistance the homeowner receives. The levels of Federal rehabilitation assistance and the corresponding lead hazard reduction activities are listed below:

- **Less than \$5,000.** If the applicant receives less than \$5,000 in hard rehabilitation costs, the Village must repair any paint that is disturbed during rehabilitation.
- **\$5,000 to \$25,000.** If the applicant receives \$5,000 to \$25,000 in hard rehabilitation costs, the Village must stabilize any lead-based paint hazard or lead-based paint hazards that might be caused as a result of the rehabilitation project.

4. Relocation. When lead-based paint hazard reduction work is being performed on properties, it may be necessary to relocate rehabilitation participants, especially those households with children ages 6 and under. Relocation, while costly, is a necessary step to protect the health of the occupants and comply with HUD regulations. The temporary location must be decent, safe, sanitary and free of any lead-based paint hazards. Should it become necessary to relocate any Single-Family Rehabilitation Loan Program participants in the future, the Village will use CDBG funds to pay for the temporary relocation of the household. The Village has two available options for relocating households:

- Participants may stay with relatives or friends, however there are some stipulations. If the proposed relative’s/friend’s home was built before 1978, a lead-based paint visual risk assessment must be conducted in the relative’s/friend’s home to determine if deteriorated paint (chipping paint, visible surface dust, etc.) exists. According to HUD regulations, the

Village can never assume that any home built before 1978 is lead-free, unless there is adequate documentation from a lead-based paint inspection. Should the visual risk assessment determine that the home contains deteriorated lead-based paint, the household will not be allowed to relocate to that location per HUD regulations.

- The Village may relocate the household to a hotel provided that the hotel was built after 1978. The Village will then be responsible for paying for the hotel costs until the household's property has passed a clearance test. The amount of time that the household may need to be relocated depends on the extent and nature of the lead hazard reduction work.
5. Response to Children with Environmental Intervention Blood Lead Levels (EIBLL). This only applies if an applicant for the rehabilitation programs or the First-Time Homebuyer's Program has children who have a confirmed concentration of lead in their blood. The Village is required to notify the county and State health agency if child has lead poisoning.

In addition to implementing HUD's lead-based paint programs in rehabilitation programs, the Village is also required to implement the rule for the First Time Homebuyer's Program. Through the First Time Homebuyer's Program, the Village notifies program applicants of lead-based paint hazards. Should the participant purchase a home built before 1978, a lead-based paint risk assessment must be conducted to identify deteriorated paint (chipping paint, visible surface dust, etc.). If no deteriorated paint is found, no action is necessary. However, any deteriorated paint found must be stabilized using lead-safe work practices and must pass a clearance test before the participant can move in to ensure that it is "lead safe" when it is occupied by the applicant.

SP-70 Anti-Poverty Strategy - 91.415, 91.215(j)

Jurisdiction Goals, Programs and Policies for reducing the number of Poverty-Level Families

The federal government has devised several programs such as food stamps, public housing and health care to address the immediate needs of those persons in poverty. While this has provided some assistance, very few people in poverty seem to graduate to self-sufficiency. Although education and economic opportunity appear to be the most common solutions, the ability of the local community to fight poverty is limited. This is a federal or state problem in which the counties are the primary implementing agencies. The Schaumburg Township office houses the Public Aid office for the Schaumburg area. The Township assists very-low income persons to qualify for various assistance programs and they offer several programs of their own that can improve the lives of people in poverty.

The most effective role the Village can play in fighting poverty is to publicize and coordinate the available resources that can address the problems of poverty-level residents. While the exact number is unknown, many residents who could take advantage of poverty programs are not utilizing them for a variety of reasons. Several programs that could improve the quality of life for poverty residents and help them to graduate from poverty are not being utilized

How are the Jurisdiction poverty reducing goals, programs, and policies coordinated with this affordable housing plan

The Village will continue to refer low-income persons in need of assistance to the Schaumburg Township office or other public service agencies. In addition, the Village will publicize its programs that could be of assistance to low-income residents. Such programs include shared housing through Resources for Community Living, homeless services through Journeys the Road Home, housing assistance through Northwest Compass, transitional housing through Fellowship Housing Corporation, Emergency and Transitional Housing programs through WINGS, and family counseling offered by the Village of Schaumburg.

SP-80 Monitoring - 91.230

Describe the standards and procedures that the jurisdiction will use to monitor activities carried out in furtherance of the plan and will use to ensure long-term compliance with requirements of the programs involved, including minority business outreach and the comprehensive planning requirements

The standards and procedures that the Village will use to monitor its CDBG resources are outlined in this section. The Community Development Department's Planning Division oversees the administration of CDBG funds received from HUD.

Fiscal Monitoring

The Village's Finance Department is the fiscal agency for the Village. The Finance Department has preventative internal control systems which ensure timely and accurate expenditure of CDBG resources. Additionally, the Village is audited on an annual basis, and the CDBG accounts are included in that audit.

Performance Reporting

The Village utilizes HUD's Integrate Disbursement and Information Systems (IDIS) to manage all financial and programmatic information that is generated through its CDBG program of each fiscal year. The CAPER is used to analyze the Village's annual activities and programs of the Five- Year Consolidated Plan. The CAPER will include the summary of programmatic accomplishments, resources, and the status of activities that were undertaken to implement the priority needs established in the Five-Year Plan. Additionally, the Village will utilize HUD's Performance Measurement System to analyze whether the proposed activities are meeting the established needs and goals.

Timeliness

The Village will check its timeliness ratio on a regular basis to ensure that funds are spent in a timely manner.

MBE/WBE

The Village is in compliance with regulations requiring legitimate Minority Business Enterprises (MBE) and Women Business Enterprises (WBE) to be included in its procurement programs. On a bi-annual basis, the Village surveys its list of certified contractors to determine the proportion of MBE and WBE that are included. The Village will continue to procure additional MBE and WBE contractors during the next five years.

Monitoring of Sub-Recipients

The Community Development Department is responsible for creating a contract with its CDBG sub-recipients that outlines the procedures necessary for the sub-recipients to meet all compliance provisions required under the applicable program. The sub-recipients are monitored based on specific objectives and performance measures that are outlined in the contract. The Village may utilize 2 methods to monitor its CDBG Sub-Recipients including quarterly status reports and an annual site visit (if determined necessary by Staff). Additionally, the Village will provide technical assistance to sub-recipients to ensure that the federal and local requirements are being met.

Expected Resources

AP-15 Expected Resources - 91.420(b), 91.220(c)(1,2)

Introduction

The primary funding source to identify funding identified in the plan is the CDBG allocation. For Program Year 2015, the Village will receive a total of \$299,949. The Village anticipates a total of \$147,500 of carryover funds from Program Year 2014. In the past 5 years, the Village has received a total of \$205,000 in program income (\$41,097/year). Although this has been the standard, the Village cannot rely on program income as a regular source of funding. Program income is the repayment of loans through the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and First Time Buyer’s Program. During the 5-year term, loans will only be due for those individuals that sell their home, change title or no longer use the home as a primary residence. If any program income is received, it will be utilized towards CDBG-eligible projects.

Anticipated Resources

Program	Source of Funds	Uses of Funds	Expected Amount Available Year 1				Expected Amount Available Reminder of ConPlan \$	Narrative Description
			Annual Allocation: \$	Program Income: \$	Prior Year Resources: \$	Total: \$		
CDBG	public - federal	Acquisition Admin and Planning Economic Development Housing Public Improvements Public Services	\$299,949	\$0	\$147,500	\$447,449	\$1,199,796	The Village anticipates an annual allocation of \$299,949. Over the 5-year term, this equates to \$1,499,745. The Village anticipates a total of \$147,500 of carryover funds from Program Year 2014. Due to the inconsistency in receiving program income, the Village is not anticipating any program income to be received.

Table 18 - Expected Resources – Priority Table

Explain how federal funds will leverage those additional resources (private, state and local funds), including a description of how matching requirements will be satisfied

The CDBG Program does not require the match of funds. Schaumburg, like other public and private agencies, has limited resources to address the variety of needs identified in the needs analysis section of this plan. The Village uses its Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds on an annual basis to address these stated needs. The Village does not qualify for formula allocations for Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) funds or for Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA). HOPWA is administered by the City of Chicago for the metropolitan area. ESG funds are granted to Cook County for distribution. Therefore, larger projects or regional projects need to be handled by larger funding sources that can address larger regional needs like affordable housing construction and regional homeless shelters.

Since the Village does not have the resources to address all of the community's needs by itself, it depends on outside resources to help address those unmet needs. The Village will seek to leverage outside resources by using its CDBG funds as seed money where appropriate. The greatest resources are area social service agencies. These agencies provide much of the manpower and overhead to address many of the Village's housing and community development needs. While the Village, county, or state often supplies limited cash resources, it is the individual agencies that provide the coordination and network to accomplish what the Village could not accomplish on its own. The Village will continue to act as an advocate for public service agencies serving residents from Schaumburg and the northwest suburbs.

Additionally, the Village works with local financial institutions for the First-Time Homebuyer's Program. The First-Time Homebuyer's Program does not place limitations on the senior mortgage financial package for applicants, which allows them more flexibility in choosing the package that best fits their needs; however, homebuyer counseling is required as part of the program to ensure that the buyers fully understand the homebuying process. The First Time Homebuyer's Program has been used in conjunction with other down payment assistance programs offered through the federal and state government, not-for-profits, and Community Reinvestment Act credits through the applicant's financial institution.

Housing Choice Vouchers, administered through the Housing Authority of Cook County, are available to Schaumburg residents. There are some apartment complexes and privately rented housing units within the Village that currently accept tenants with Housing Choice Voucher.

As the Village begins to pursue projects using CDBG funds for infrastructure and economic development, additional funds could be leveraged through governmental grants and/or private contributions.

If appropriate, describe publically owned land or property located within the jurisdiction that may be used to address the needs identified in the plan

No publicly owned land will be developed to address the needs identified in the plan.

Discussion

Although there are limited resources available, the Village will try to pursue the priorities identified within the Strategic Plan. The Village will utilize each year's Action Plan to identify annual goals.

Annual Goals and Objectives

AP-20 Annual Goals and Objectives - 91.420, 91.220(c)(3)&(e)

Goals Summary Information

Sort Order	Goal Name	Start Year	End Year	Category	Geographic Area	Needs Addressed	Funding	Goal Outcome Indicator
1	Maintain Existing Housing Stock - Residential	2015	2019	Affordable Housing		Affordable Housing	CDBG: \$118,000	Homeowner Housing Rehabilitated: 7 Household Housing Unit
2	Down Payment Assistance	2015	2019	Affordable Housing		Affordable Housing	CDBG: \$72,260	Direct Financial Assistance to Homebuyers: 7 Households Assisted
3	Homeless and Homeless Prevention	2015	2019	Homeless		Homeless/Continuum of Care	CDBG: \$22,800	Homelessness Prevention: 141 Persons Assisted
4	Housing (Non-Homeless Special Needs)	2015	2019	Non-Homeless Special Needs		Other Special Housing/Non-Homeless Needs	CDBG: \$2,800	Public service activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 5 Households Assisted
5	Public Services (Non-Housing and Non-Homeless)	2015	2019	Non-Housing Community Development		Public Service Needs (Non-Housing)	CDBG: \$23,000	Public service activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 108 Persons Assisted

6	Public Facilities & Infrastructure	2015	2019	Public Facilities and Infrastructure		Public Facilities Public Infrastructure	CDBG: \$172,500	Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities other than Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 1345 Persons Assisted Public Facility or Infrastructure Activities for Low/Moderate Income Housing Benefit: 1 Households Assisted
7	Planning & Administration	2015	2019	Planning & Admin		Planning & Administration	CDBG: \$36,089	

Table 19 – Goals Summary

Goal Descriptions

1	Goal Name	Maintain Existing Housing Stock
	Goal Description	The Village will provide a Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and Senior Repair Program to assist low- and moderate income residents with eligible home improvements and repairs. A rehab administration fee will also be paid for administration of the rehab program.
2	Goal Name	Down Payment Assistance
	Goal Description	The Village will provide the First Time Buyer's Program to provide down payment and closing cost assistance to eligible applicants.
3	Goal Name	Homeless and Homeless Prevention
	Goal Description	The Village will fund public services to provide homeless and homeless prevention services, transitional housing, and emergency housing.

4	Goal Name	Housing (Non-Homeless Special Needs)
	Goal Description	The Village will fund public services to provide housing and supportive services for persons with disabilities.
5	Goal Name	Public Services (Non-Housing and Non-Homeless)
	Goal Description	The Village will fund other, non-housing public services.
6	Goal Name	Public Facilities & Infrastructure
	Goal Description	The Village will fund 1 public facility project and 1 public infrastructure project.
7	Goal Name	Planning & Administration
	Goal Description	The Village will utilize funds for staff to administer the CDBG program.

AP-35 Projects - 91.420, 91.220(d)

The following activities describe the administration, public services programs, and low- and moderate-income projects that will be funded during Program Year 2015.

Administration

HUD allows communities a 20% administration cap. Schaumburg will receive an allocation of \$299,949. Of this allocation, \$59,989.80 is available to administer the CDBG program. The Village anticipates spending \$36,089 (12.03%) of the CDBG entitlement towards administration costs in 2014. Funds will be budgeted for advertising, audit, postage, travel, meetings and training, subscriptions, office supplies, and fair housing initiatives. The Village anticipates spending \$25,800 on salaries and benefits for staff that assist in administering the CDBG Program.

Public Service Projects

Access To Care

- Administrative Location: 2225 Enterprise Drive, Westchester, IL 60154
- Description: Access to Care enables low income, uninsured residents to receive basic health care services.
- Program Budget: \$3,504,500
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance				
Access To Care				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	8	N/A	\$7,000	\$6,600
2014	10	10 as of 5/21/15	\$7,000	\$7,000
2013	7	8	\$7,000	\$5,300
2012	7	7	\$10,000	\$4,600
2011	7	8	\$10,000	\$6,100
2010	7	8	\$10,000	\$6,800
2009	5	5	\$9,000	\$4,050
2008	5	6	\$7,000	\$4,050
2007	10	11	\$7,000	\$7,000
2006	9	6	\$10,000	\$3,400
2005	230	142 (7 with CDBG funds)	\$10,000	\$ 3,750
2004	282	317 (9 with CDBG funds)	\$20,000	\$ 4,000
2003	n/a	174	\$20,000	\$10,000
2002	n/a	282	\$20,000	\$20,000

Children’s Advocacy Center

- Administrative Location: 640 Illinois Boulevard, Hoffman Estates, IL 60194
- Description: The Safe from the Start Program provides a comprehensive and coordinated system to prevent and respond to the harmful effects of exposure to violence to young children. The Safe from the Start Program provides case management, community education, and supportive services to children and their families.
- Program Budget: \$284,745
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Children’s Advocacy Center (CAC)				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	14	N/A	\$3,500	\$2,000
2014	20	4 as of 5/21/15	\$2,500	\$2,500
2013	13	23	\$3,500	\$2,300
2012	12	34	\$4,000	\$2,000
2011	22	28	\$4,000	\$2,800
2010	23	18	\$2,900	\$2,400
2009	17	26	\$2,500	\$1,500
2008	13	15	\$3,000	\$1,700
2007	32	19	\$3,000	\$2,725
2006	40	20	\$4,500	\$2,250
2005	35	27	\$5,000	\$3,750
2004	32	28	\$4,000	\$4,000
2003	n/a	20	\$8,000	\$8,000
2002	n/a	22	\$8,000	\$8,000

Children’s Home & Aid Society (CHASI)

- Administrative Location: 725 E. Schaumburg Road, Schaumburg, IL 60193
- Description: CHASI provides subsidized child day care, parenting education, counseling, and crisis intervention services. CHASI works to help low-income parents attain and sustain economic self-sufficiency by providing affordable, quality child day care and to support parents in their role as primary caregiver and provider for their children.
- Program Budget: \$1,860,371
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Children’s Home and Aid Society of Illinois (CHASI)				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	30	N/A	\$46,000	\$6,900
2014	10	35 as of 5/21/15	\$46,000	\$7,300

2013	8	34	\$46,000	\$5,300
2012	9	23	\$46,000	\$6,900
2011	11	171	\$40,000	\$9,500
2010	11	161	\$40,000	\$11,050
2009	12	114	\$35,000	\$9,950
2008	57	55	\$13,500	\$9,950
2007	26	93	\$13,500	\$10,550
2006	100	24	\$13,150	\$9,000
2005	29	34	\$13,950	\$10,000
2004	100	30	\$13,150	\$10,600
2003	100	31	\$43,528	\$13,150
2002	78	44	\$25,000	\$8,000
2001	78	38	\$25,000	\$8,000
2000	117	26	\$33,670	\$7,500
1999	35	23	\$16,000	\$10,200
1998	30	27	\$16,000	\$10,200
1997	22	23	\$32,062	\$11,000

Fellowship Housing Corporation (FHC)

- Administrative Location: 2200 W. Higgins Road, Suite 130, Hoffman Estates, IL 60169
- Description: FHC offers comprehensive support services to homeless women and children, which include various aspects such as budgeting, career, personal and family counseling, life skills training, medical and dental care, car maintenance and repair, access to local food pantries, childcare, legal assistance, and other services.
- Program Budget: \$563,000
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Fellowship Housing Corporation (FHC)				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	13	N/A	\$5,600	\$5,000
2014	12	14 as of 5/21/15	\$5,600	\$5,400
2013	12	32	\$5,600	\$3,900
2012	12	12	\$5,600	\$3,400
2011	6	6	\$15,000	\$4,600
2010	6	17	\$15,000	\$5,800
2009	5	14	\$15,000	\$3,000
2008	5	28	\$15,000	\$6,900
2007	3	38	\$13,000	\$9,000
2006	10	39	\$13,000	\$6,750
2005	28	103	\$10,500	\$7,000
2004	30	34	\$10,500	\$7,500

2003	32	34	\$15,000	\$8,500
2002	32	30	\$10,840	\$7,125
2001	24	32	\$11,032	\$7,125
2000	18	25	\$14,684	\$7,000
1999	18	n/a	\$13,330	\$0

Journeys the Road Home

- Administrative Location: 1140 E. Northwest Highway, Palatine, IL 60067
- Description: Journeys the Road Home services the needs of the northwest suburban homeless or near homeless families. Services provided include case management services, follow-up advocacy, transportation, housing and food vouchers, emergency medical referral, employment services, and clothing and food pantry resources.
- Program Budget: \$900,000
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Journeys the Road Home				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	33	N/A	\$5,000	\$3,300
2014	27	34 as of 5/21/15	\$15,000	\$4,000
2013	26	19	\$15,000	\$5,900
2012	24	55	\$15,000	\$4,800
2011	43	79	\$15,000	\$6,100
2010	33	49	\$13,000	\$6,300
2009	22	46	\$10,000	\$4,900
2008	38	44	\$7,000	\$5,900
2007	45	37	\$7,000	\$7,000
2006	40	32	\$17,000	\$5,750
2005	25	70	\$10,000	\$6,000
2004	25	68	\$10,000	\$6,000
2003	40	25	\$25,000	\$7,000
2002	40	27	\$15,000	\$4,425
2001	32	35	\$15,000	\$4,425
2000	32	29	\$15,000	\$4,000
1999	28	19	\$10,000	\$3,500
1998	25	26	\$10,000	\$4,000

Little City Foundation

- Administrative Location: 1760 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine, IL 60067

- Description: Career development training for persons with disabilities. Vocational assessment, workshop opportunities, work enclaves and community-based job placement, job coaching and case management services will be provided.
- Program Budget: \$1,963,204
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Little City Foundation				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	8	N/A	\$5,000	\$2,000
2014	11	4 as of 5/21/15	\$5,000	\$2,500
2013	7	15	\$5,000	\$1,500

Northwest Compass (formerly CEDA Northwest) – Housing Intervention Program

- Administrative Location: 1300 W. Northwest Highway, Mount Prospect, IL 60056
- Description: Northwest Compass has requested funds to administer the three components of its Housing Intervention Program: Housing Assistance, Emergency Shelter/Case Management, and Rent Assistance. Their clients agree to cooperate on a contract with mutually defined goals. Budget, financial, and job counseling are also provided as support services. These homeless programs address the needs of several homeless groups including families and individuals with emergency and transitional housing, and those persons who are at risk of being homeless.
- Program Budget: \$520,500
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Northwest Compass (formerly CEDA Northwest)				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	80	N/A	\$13,000	\$10,000
2014	53	58 as of 5/21/15	\$13,500	\$12,700
2013	37	72	\$15,000	\$9,200
2012	43	41	\$20,000	\$10,000
2011	52	72	\$22,000	\$13,500
2010	74	81	\$22,000	\$15,600
2009	76	61	\$22,000	\$16,000
2008	91	65	\$20,000	\$16,950
2007	122	93	\$20,000	\$20,000
2006	100	113	\$20,000	\$16,500
2005	90	105	\$22,000	\$16,926
2004	90	97	\$22,000	\$18,000
2003	71	80	\$22,000	\$19,500
2002	100	89	\$22,000	\$20,500
2001	100	75	\$22,000	\$20,500

2000	98	73	\$24,500	\$20,450
1999	93	105	\$24,500	\$21,500
1998	106	116	\$23,500	\$21,500
1997	131	104	\$30,000	\$23,000
1996	180	136	\$26,000	\$22,450
1995	150	130	\$25,000	\$23,000
1994	120	182	\$22,500	\$20,000

Resources for Community Living (RCL)

- Administrative Location: 4300 Lincoln Avenue, Rolling Meadows, IL 60008
- Description: RCL offers affordable housing and individualized support services for adults with developmentally and/or physical disabilities living in northwest Cook County. Using the shared housing approach, individuals with disabilities are matched with community residents to share housing expenses. Usually in return for rent, the house provider shares their home with the disabled individual. This helps the home provider, who is usually of low-income, to make their housing more affordable and provides some individuals with companionship or security. Other disabled individuals who are not matched, are assisted by RCL to find their own apartment and are sometimes provided with a housing subsidy.
- Program Budget: \$248,991
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Resources for Community Living				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	5	N/A	\$5,000	\$2,800
2014	5	2 as of 5/21/15	\$6,000	\$3,200
2013	4	4	\$6,000	\$2,300
2012	2	3	\$6,000	\$1,300
2011	2	12	\$6,000	\$900
2010	3	10	\$6,000	\$2,000
2009	3	12	\$6,000	\$2,400
2008	2	8	\$6,000	\$2,400
2007	5	6	\$5,000	\$5,000
2006	5	12	\$5,000	\$1,750
2005	6	3	\$5,000	\$2,000
2004	6	9	\$5,000	\$2,500
2003	6	4	\$5,000	\$3,000
2002	5	5	\$3,000	\$2,000
2001	5	4	\$2,500	\$2,000
2000	4	3	\$2,500	\$2,000
1999	7	4	\$2,500	\$2,500
1998	7	4	\$2,000	\$2,000
1997	4	4	\$2,000	\$2,000

1996	4	4	\$2,000	\$1,960
1995	2	3	\$2,000	\$2,000
1994	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Township High School 211

- Administrative Location: 1750 S. Palatine Road, Palatine, IL 6006
- Description: The School District is working to establish the Higgins Education Center, which will provide mental health counseling and health services to low- and moderate-income Schaumburg residents. The center will be open weeknights, and will provide a case manager, resource coordinator and program coordinator to residents in need.
- Program Budget: \$48,000
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance Township High School 211				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	153	n/a	\$10,000	\$1,500

Women In Need Growing Strong (WINGS)

- Administrative Location: P.O. Box 95615, Palatine, IL 60095
- Description: WINGS administers an Emergency Shelter Program for homeless women and their children. Funds will be used to provide safe, decent emergency shelter to women and children fleeing domestic violence from their homes in Schaumburg.
- Program Budget: \$963,174
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance WINGS				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	14	N/A	\$5,000	\$4,500
2014	14	3 as of 5/21/15	\$15,000	\$5,200
2013	8	8	\$15,000	\$3,800
2012	7	21	\$15,000	\$3,300
2011	19	35	\$15,000	\$4,500
2010	19	28	\$15,000	\$5,500
2009	14	58	\$15,000	\$5,200
2008	14	55	\$15,000	\$6,200
2007	16	27	\$15,000	\$7,225
2006	43	12	\$15,000	\$6,750
2005	30	38	\$15,000	\$7,000
2004	30	14	\$15,000	\$7,500
2003	28	18	\$15,000	\$8,500

2002	28	18	\$15,000	\$7,500
2001	28	26	\$25,000	\$7,500
2000	16	28	\$25,000	\$7,000
1999	16	20	\$20,000	\$12,500
1998	16	15	\$20,000	\$13,000
1997	20	12	\$17,000	\$11,000
1996	18	10	\$17,000	\$13,720
1995	15	26	\$12,000	\$12,000
1994	10	11	\$12,000	\$10,000

YMCA

- Administrative Location: 300 W. Wise Road, Schaumburg, IL 60193
- Description: The YMCA administers 3 child care programs (before and afterschool preschool and after kindergarten care and summer daycamp), which provide necessary childcare for parents that work, attend school or who have medical disabilities. Additionally, the afterschool program also provides homework assistance, reading enrichment, nutritious and health snacks and active play to encourage a healthy lifestyle. Fees are charged to clients on a sliding scale basis.
- Program Budget: \$1,500,000
- Reporting Requirement: Quarterly reports

Grant Performance YMCA				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	18	N/A	\$5,000	\$4,000
2014	22	17 as of 5/21/15	\$5,000	\$4,400
2013	14	22	\$5,000	\$3,200
2012	7	18	\$10,000	\$2,800
2011	6	13	\$10,000	\$1,900
2010	10	19	\$10,000	\$2,300
2009	5	30	\$20,000	\$2,000

Village-Administered Projects

First Time Home Homebuyer Program

The Village will allocate approximately \$72,260 for a first time homebuyer program. The program will provide down payment and closing cost assistance to first time homebuyers who are at or below 80 percent medium income. The maximum loan amount is \$10,000, which is provided in the form of a forgivable loan that is forgiven at a rate of 1/60th per month.

Grant Performance First Time Buyer's Program				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level

2015	7	N/A	\$72,260	\$72,260
2014	14	12 as of 5/21/15	\$138,551	\$138,551
2013	8	15	\$144,964	144,964
2012	8	10	\$102,441	\$102,441
2011	14	10	\$139,151	\$139,151
2010	6	7	\$100,226.57	\$100,226.57
2009	5	9	\$71,005.70	\$71,005.70
2008	5	7	\$61,456	\$61,456
2007	5	5	\$45,554	\$45,554
2006	5	6	\$36,382.24	\$36,382.24
2005	5	4	\$50,000	\$50,000

Residential Rehabilitation Program

The Community Development Department is recommending continuing the Residential Rehabilitation Program. The Village will contract out the Rehab Program to Northwest Housing Partnership. There will be a maximum cap of 15% of the Rehab Program budget or \$15,000. The maximum interest-free loan amount for one single-family home is \$25,000; the maximum loan amount for an attached home is \$15,000. Additionally a new component of the program involves weatherization testing to make weatherization improvement, which will help the homeowner save on energy costs. The Community Development Department is recommending allocating \$100,000 for the Village’s housing rehabilitation program. In addition, any program income received from the repayment of previous rehabilitation loans would also be available for this program. An average of \$41,097 has been repaid in loans over the past 5 years.

Grant Performance				
Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	4	N/A	\$100,000	\$100,000
2014	6	0 as of 5/21/15	\$150,000	\$150,000
2013	4	2	\$100,000	\$100,000
2012	4	2	\$107,771	\$107,771
2011	8	5	\$175,000	\$175,000
2010	4	4	\$149,352.85	\$149,352.85
2009	4	1	\$100,000	\$100,000
2008	6	5	\$127,380	\$127,380
2007	8	6	\$150,000.44	\$150,000.44
2006	10	8	\$105,120.36	\$105,120.36
2005	12	6	\$125,768	\$125,768
2004	10	11	\$111,850	\$111,850
2003	7	10	\$115,670	\$115,670
2002	5	11	\$69,977	\$171,680
2001	5	12	\$84,000	\$73,150
2000	7	8	\$37,478	\$37,478
1999	7	2	\$100,300	\$100,300

1998	n/a	6	n/a	n/a
1997	8	1	\$200,000	\$200,000
1994-1996	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Residential Rehabilitation Program Admin

The Village will contract with North West Housing Partnership who will administer this program. A fee of 15% of the budgeted amount for the Rehab Program will be paid to North West Housing Partnership for administration. With a budget of \$100,000 for the program, a total of \$15,000 will be paid to North West Housing Partnership.

Senior Repair Program

The Village will research and implement a Senior Repair Program to help seniors make necessary repairs. Repairs may include maintenance of fixtures (plumbing, electrical, etc.) and installation of ADA improvements. Replacement of items would not be allowed through this program. For the first year of program implementation, Staff recommends a total of \$3,000.

Grant Performance Senior Repair Program				
	Proposed # Served	Actual # Served	Funding Requested	Funding Level
2015	5	n/a	\$3,000	\$3,000

Capital Improvement Projects

Wise Road Sidewalk Gap Project

Along the south side of Wise Road (between the Spring South Road and the western boundary of Schaumburg), there are sections of sidewalk that do not currently exist. Staff recommends a total of \$155,000 for this project.

The primary area is located in a census tract that is low and moderate income (Census Tract 8048.04, Block Group 2), which is located south of Wise Road between the western border of the Village and Fairlane Drive. There are sections of sidewalk in this block group along Wise Road, which do not currently exist. Adjacent to the east of this census block group, is Census Tract 8048.03, Block Group 1. Although this is not a low-income area, Staff proposes to install sidewalk along the south side of Wise Road to connect the low and moderate income census tract to Spring South road for safe, pedestrian access. The combined percentage of these two Block Groups is 39.41%, which exceeds the exception criteria of 36.22%. It is anticipated that a total of 1,340 low- and moderate income persons will have access to this sidewalk.

Little City Foundation Group Home Renovation

Little City Foundation has requested funding for renovation of one of their group homes. Funds will be used to repair 2 bathrooms, including installation of a new tub surround and flood drains, and the hallway space located near each of the bathrooms. New flooring will also be installed in the laundry and living rooms. The group home houses 8 individuals with disabilities. The renovations will provide a safe

environment for residents, reduce bathroom flooding and reduce the chances of slipping and falling for the residents that live there. Staff recommends a total of \$17,500 for the renovation.

Activities Not Funded in 2015

All applications received will be funded.

Describe the reasons for allocation priorities and any obstacles to addressing underserved needs

Schaumburg's Annual Action Plan works to further the goals and objectives of the Consolidated Plan. The 2015 Action Plan seeks to fund projects that are able to meet the needs of the homeless, low income, youth, elderly, disabled and underserved. HUD allows entitlement communities to utilize a maximum of 15% entitlement funds plus 15% of the previous year's program income for public service projects. The sub-recipients provide invaluable services and activities for the low- and moderate-income residents of Schaumburg; therefore, the Village will continue to monitor sub-recipients to ensure that CDBG funds are used efficiently and that the underserved needs of Schaumburg are effectively being met.

AP-50 Geographic Distribution - 91.420, 91.220(f)

Description of the geographic areas of the entitlement (including areas of low-income and minority concentration) where assistance will be directed

Programs will be available Village-wide with a few exceptions.

1. Public Service Agency District 211 will provide services to Schaumburg residents who are included within the District 211 boundaries.
2. The Wise Road Sidewalk Project will install sidewalk in the southeast corner of Schaumburg. Census Tract 8048.04, Block Group 2 and Census Tract 8048.03, Block Group 1 will be targeted for assistance.
3. The Little City Group Home renovations will be funded at one location in Schaumburg.

Rationale for the priorities for allocating investments geographically

There are no target areas identified within the Village per HUD's definition. Investment is based on applications received from non-profits. Additionally, the Village will be utilizing funds to install a sidewalk where none currently exists.

AP-85 Other Actions - 91.420, 91.220(k)

Introduction

Actions planned to address obstacles to meeting underserved needs

Schaumburg's Annual Action Plan works to further the goals and objectives of the Consolidated Plan. The 2015 Action Plan seeks to fund projects that are able to meet the needs of the homeless, low income, youth, elderly, disabled and underserved. HUD allows entitlement communities to utilize a maximum of 15% entitlement funds plus 15% of the previous year's program income for public service projects. The subrecipients provide invaluable services and activities for the low- and moderate-income residents of Schaumburg; therefore, the Village will continue to monitor sub-recipients to ensure that CDBG funds are used efficiently and that the underserved needs of Schaumburg are effectively being met.

Another obstacle to meeting undeserved needs is the limited amount of developable land, rental units, and affordable housing for low- and moderate-income residents, which limits the opportunities for new construction projects. The legislation enacted by the State of Illinois under the Affordable Housing Act lists approximately 24% of Schaumburg's units as affordable and the administration of the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and the First Time Homebuyer's Program does assist eligible residents with necessary housing costs, but the Village must still be proactive to identify barriers to affordable housing.

Actions planned to foster and maintain affordable housing

Below is a table of the 1-year goals for the number of homeless, non-homeless, and special needs households to be provided affordable housing.

Agency	Classification	Proposed # Served	Amount of Assistance	Rehabilitation of Existing Units	Acquisition of Existing Units
FHC	Non-Homeless	13	\$5,000	\$0	\$0
Journeys the Road Home	Homeless	33	\$3,300	\$0	\$0
Northwest Compass	Non-Homeless	80	\$10,000	\$0	\$0
RCL	Special Needs	5	\$2,800	\$0	\$0
WINGS	Homeless	14	\$4,500	\$0	\$0
Little City Group Home Renovation	Special Needs	8	\$0	\$17,500	\$0
TOTAL		164	\$25,600	\$17,500	\$0

Another program goal is to foster decent and affordable housing through the Residential Rehabilitation Program and the First Time Homebuyer's Program. Through the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program, the Village is able to foster and maintain affordable housing by reducing the cost burden for residents who would not be able to afford to rehab their homes without CDBG assistance. During

program year 2015, the Village plans to rehabilitate 4 homes through the Residential Rehabilitation Program. Additionally a new component of the program involves an energy audit to make weatherization improvements which will help the homeowner save on energy costs.

The First Time Homebuyer’s Program was created to enable low-income residents overcome the hurdle of a downpayment by providing downpayment and closing cost assistance. During 2015, the Village plans to assist 7 homebuyers through the First Time Homebuyer’s Program.

The Village also proposes to implement a Senior Repair Program to assist with eligible minor repairs and ADA improvements.

Program	Proposed # Served	Repair of Assistance	Rehabilitation of Existing Units	Acquisition of Existing Units
First Time Homebuyer’s Program	7	\$0	\$0	\$72,260
Residential Rehab Program	4	\$0	\$100,000	\$0
Senior Repair Program	6	\$3,000	\$0	\$0
Total	17	\$3,000	\$100,000	\$72,260

Actions planned to reduce lead-based paint hazards

The Village of Schaumburg has implemented HUD’s lead-based paint regulations for the Village-administered programs. Both the Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program and the First Time Buyer’s Program inform anyone requesting an application of the dangers of lead-based paint. Additionally, if the dwelling was built prior to 1978, then the dwelling is inspected and monitored to identify any possible hazards. Should any lead-based paint hazards be present in the dwelling, safe work practices or abatement may be necessary depending on the cost of assistance.

Additionally, lead-based paint testing may be necessary as part of the Environmental Review Record for the proposed public facility projects depending on if the building was constructed prior to 1978.

Actions planned to reduce the number of poverty-level families

The 2015 Action Plan is also designed to assist low- and moderate-income residents through the various programs funded by CDBG. Through the funding of the public service agencies, the homeless and poverty-level families are assisted by these organizations and their programs. The Village works to coordinate these activities so that a continuum of care is available to every person in need no matter what stage of the continuum they are in. By funding different agencies with unique programs, the residents are able to work their way from homelessness to self-sufficiency. In addition to providing housing and homeless assistance, the Village will also fund other agencies that provide services to Schaumburg’s low- and moderate- income residents:

Agency	Proposed # Served	Amount
Access To Care	8	\$6,600
CHASI	30	\$6,900
Children’s Advocacy	14	\$2,000

Little City Foundation	8	\$2,000
Township High School 211	153	\$1,500
YMCA	18	\$4,000
TOTAL	231	\$23,000

These funded programs reach out to those in need and monitor each case in hopes of reducing the number of persons below the poverty line

Actions planned to develop institutional structure and actions planned to enhance coordination between public and private housing and social service agencies

The Village of Schaumburg is involved in all aspects of providing community development services to the residents of Schaumburg. The Village also provides the administrative services that are necessary to ensure the effectiveness of the program through other Village Divisions and Departments. In regards to CDBG-funded programs, there are several Divisions and Departments involved. The Residential Rehabilitation Program is directly administered by the Planning Division; however, both the Code Enforcement Division and the Building Division are involved in conducting inspections of the homes that are being rehabilitated. Any construction permit fees up to \$2,500 are waived for any CDBG-funded projects. The Finance Department assists with the handling of CDBG funds. Additionally, the Village’s CDBG Subcommittee, Health and Human Services Committee, Plan Commission, and Village Board all have a role in approving the Action Plan. Additionally, the Subcommittee, Committee, Commission and Board are all comprised of Schaumburg residents.

The Village also provides direct services to persons in need without the use of CDBG funds:

- ❖ The Police Department’s Multi-Family Crime Free Housing Program is designed to assist tenants, owners, and managers of rental property in keeping drugs and other illegal activity away from their properties. Topics such as Housing Choice Vouchers and Fair Housing are included in the program. assist tenants, owners, and managers of rental property in keeping drugs and other illegal activity away from their properties. The benefits of the program allow for a stable, more satisfied tenant base, increased demand for rental units, lower maintenance and repair costs, increased property values, improved personal safety for tenants, landlords and managers, and peace of mind that comes when spending more time dedicated to routine management and less time on crisis control
- ❖ The Social Workers assist the homeless, abused, elderly and other persons that need immediate help. Direct programs provided by the Social Workers include the Cell Phone Loan Program. Some of the valuable services provided by the Social Workers to these people include transportation to a shelter, legal assistance, or money for emergency assistance.
- ❖ The Village’s Public Health and Nursing Division provides a variety of services to promote the physical and emotional well-being of our residents. Services include TB Testing, Flu Clinics, Home Care, Cholesterol Screen, a Medical Lending Closet, and Wellness Clinics, where nurses are available for blood pressure screenings, diabetes and anemia screening, and general health questions.
- ❖ The Village of Schaumburg Barn serves as a second home for many of the Village’s residents. The Barn houses the Teen Center, Family Counseling Center and several senior programs including the

Community Nutrition Network's Senior Meal Program, free health clinics, intergenerational, programs with local youth, medical seminars, financial seminars, and social activities.

- ❖ The Transportation Department administers the Senior and Disabled Tax Program, which provides subsidies in cooperation with license tax companies. Seniors age 65 or older or persons with a medically-certified disability who reside in Schaumburg may be eligible for this program.

There are several non-profit groups that provide housing and social services to Schaumburg residents. These groups include Northwest Compass, Journeys the Road Home, the Little City Foundation, Kenneth Young Center, and WINGS to name a few.

The Village and non-profit organizations rely on private corporations, banks and individuals to supply the needed funds. An example of a partnership between the Village and private sector community is the First Time Homebuyer's Program. Through the program, the Village provides down payment and closing cost assistance to low- and moderate-income homebuyers; however, the majority of the financing for the purchase comes from private sector lenders. The Village is flexible in letting the applicant select the financial institution whose program best fits the applicant's needs. As part of the program, the Village requires homebuyer's counseling through a private agency to prepare the homeowner in selecting the right institution. Oftentimes, private lenders provide homebuyers programs as part of their Community Reinvestment Act efforts.

Program Specific Requirements

AP-90 Program Specific Requirements - 91.420, 91.220(I)(1,2,4)

Introduction

The Village will comply with the CDBG Program specific requirements. It is anticipated that 100% of CDBG funds will be utilized for low- and moderate-income persons. All projects identified within the plan will be utilized for CDBG-eligible persons, households or areas.

Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG) Reference 24 CFR 91.220(I)(1)

Projects planned with all CDBG funds expected to be available during the year are identified in the Projects Table. The following identifies program income that is available for use that is included in projects to be carried out.

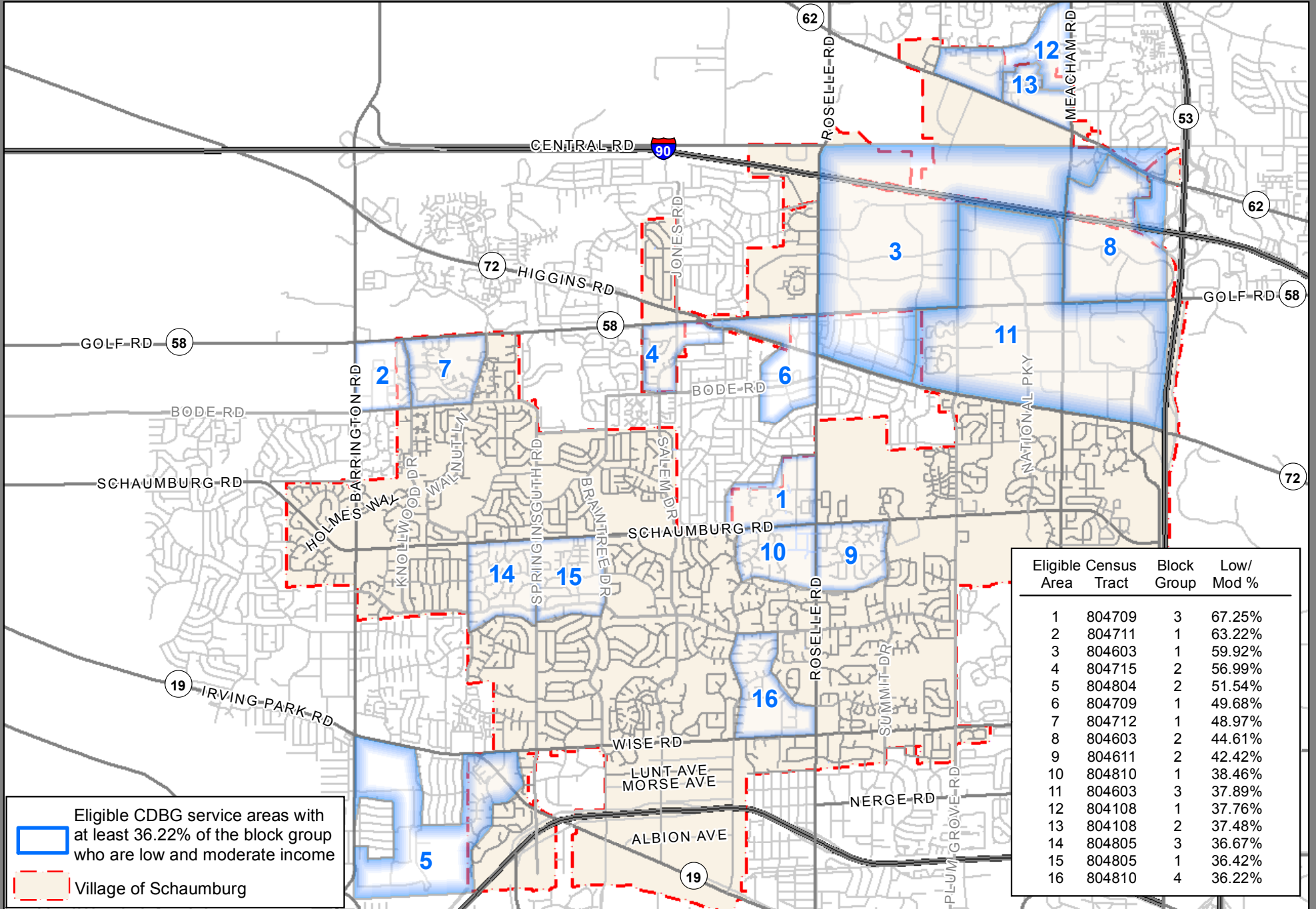
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2. The amount of proceeds from section 108 loan guarantees that will be used during the year to address the priority needs and specific objectives identified in the grantee's strategic plan.	0
3. The amount of surplus funds from urban renewal settlements	0
4. The amount of any grant funds returned to the line of credit for which the planned use has not been included in a prior statement or plan	0
5. The amount of income from float-funded activities	0
Total Program Income:	0

Other CDBG Requirements

1. The amount of urgent need activities	0
2. The estimated percentage of CDBG funds that will be used for activities that benefit persons of low and moderate income.	100%
3. Overall Benefit - A consecutive period of one, two or three years may be used to determine that a minimum overall benefit of 70% of CDBG funds is used to benefit persons of low and moderate income. Specify the years covered that include this Annual Action Plan.	2015

2014 Low Income Map

2014 Census Low and Moderate Income Block Groups



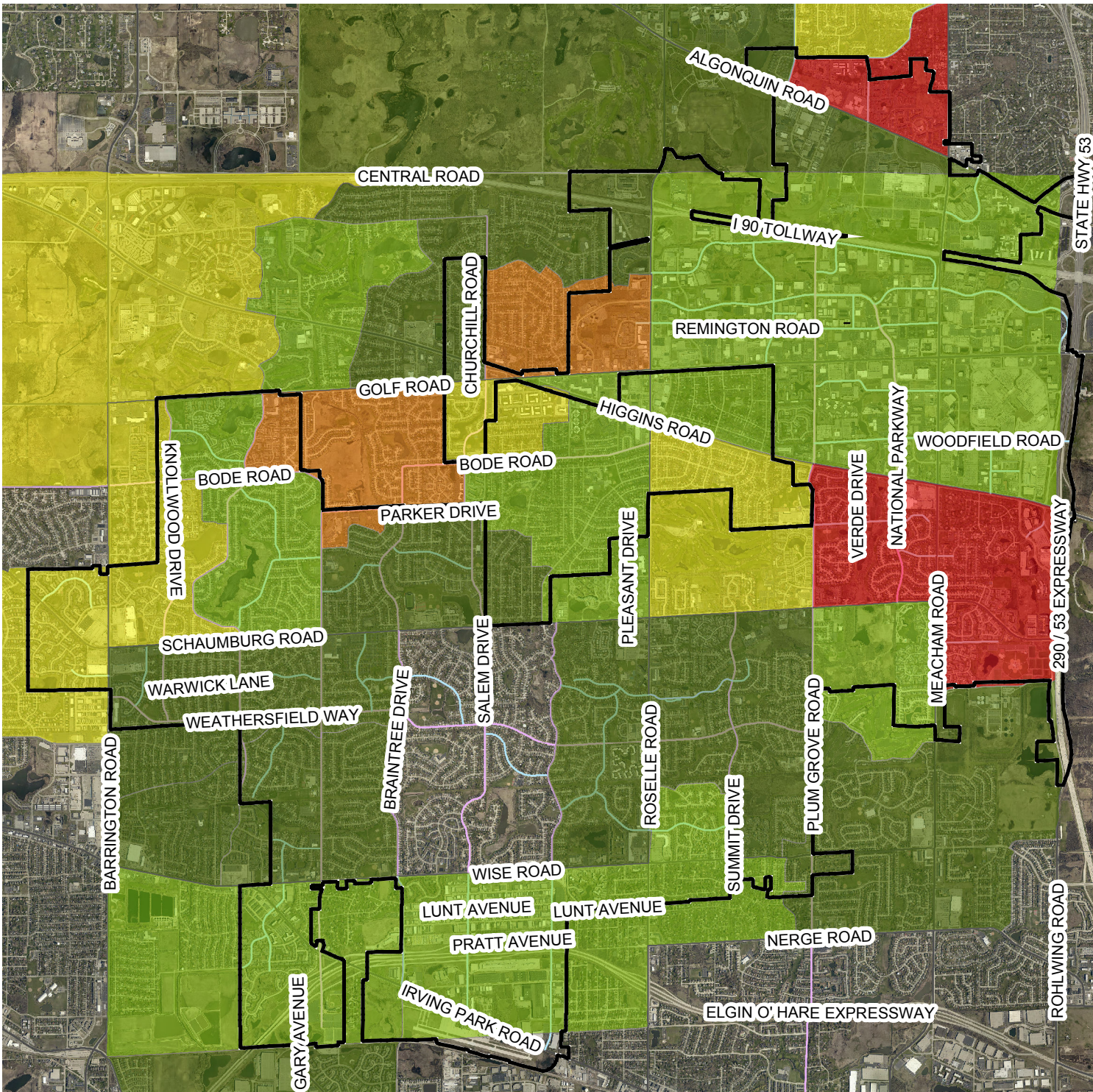
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Asian Population Map

Village of Schaumburg

Asian Population Areas of Concentration by Census Tract*



Legend

Asian Population DP0080006 / DP0080001

- 10%-15.73%
- 15.74% - 20.9%
- 20.91% - 26.07%
- 26.08% - 31.23%
- 31.24% - 36.4%

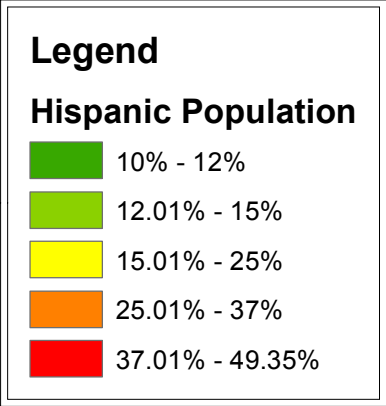
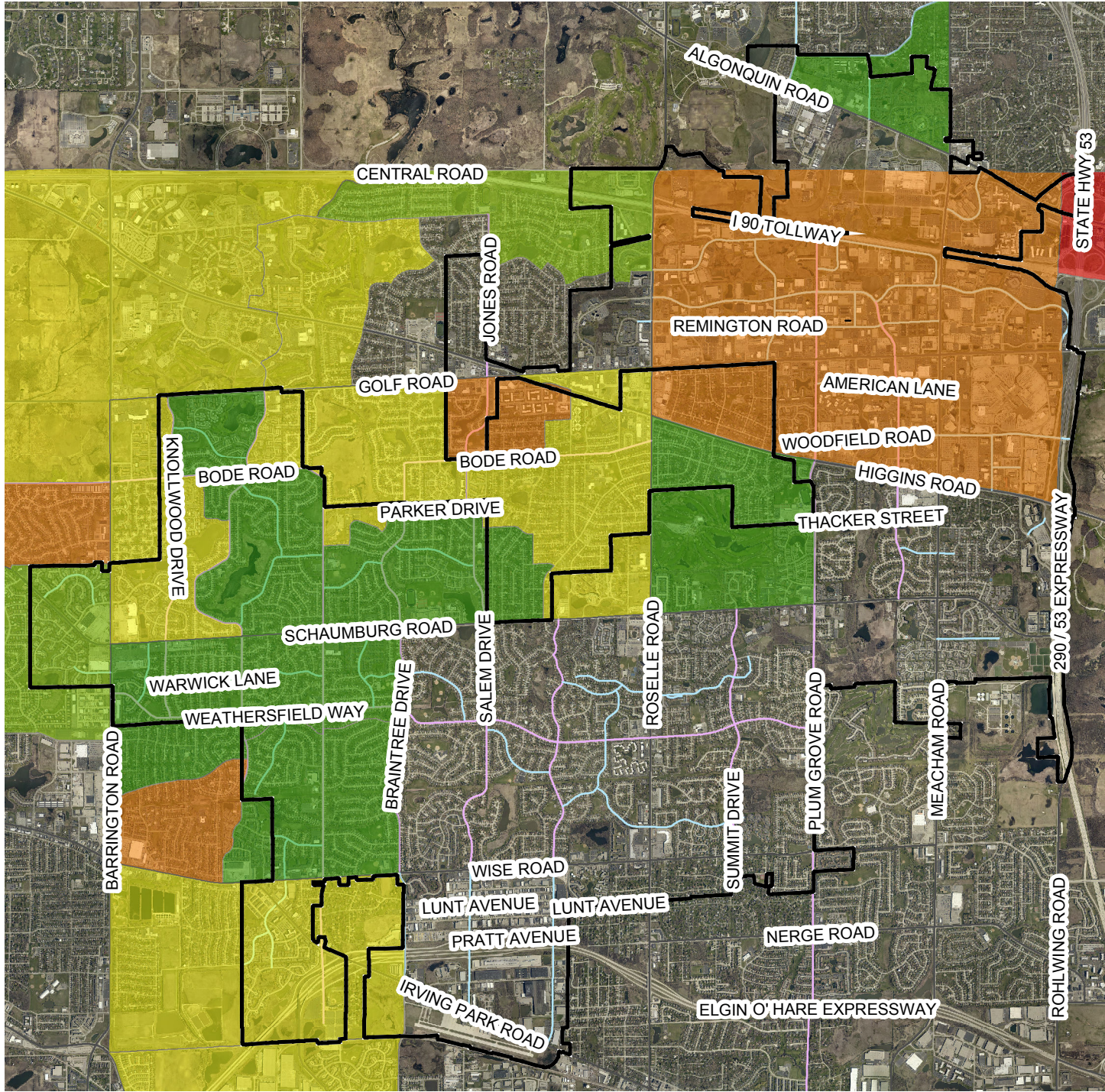


*An area of concentration is considered to be 10% or greater of the total population.

Hispanic Population Map

Village of Schaumburg

Hispanic Population Areas of Concentration by Census Tract*



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CDBG Funding Application

**APPLICATION FOR
FEDERAL ASSISTANCE**

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8. TYPE OF APPLICATION: <input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation <input type="checkbox"/> Revision If Revision, enter appropriate letter(s) in box(es) (See back of form for description of letters.) <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	7. TYPE OF APPLICANT: (See back of form for Application Types) Other (specify)
9. NAME OF FEDERAL AGENCY:	

10. CATALOG OF FEDERAL DOMESTIC ASSISTANCE NUMBER: TITLE (Name of Program): □□-□□□□	11. DESCRIPTIVE TITLE OF APPLICANT'S PROJECT:
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12. AREAS AFFECTED BY PROJECT (Cities, Counties, States, etc.):
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13. PROPOSED PROJECT Start Date: Ending Date:	14. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF: a. Applicant b. Project
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15. ESTIMATED FUNDING:	16. IS APPLICATION SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY STATE EXECUTIVE ORDER 12372 PROCESS?
a. Federal \$.00	a. Yes. <input type="checkbox"/> THIS PREAPPLICATION/APPLICATION WAS MADE AVAILABLE TO THE STATE EXECUTIVE ORDER 12372 PROCESS FOR REVIEW ON DATE:
b. Applicant \$.00	b. No. <input type="checkbox"/> PROGRAM IS NOT COVERED BY E. O. 12372
c. State \$.00	<input type="checkbox"/> OR PROGRAM HAS NOT BEEN SELECTED BY STATE FOR REVIEW
d. Local \$.00	17. IS THE APPLICANT DELINQUENT ON ANY FEDERAL DEBT?
e. Other \$.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes If "Yes" attach an explanation. <input type="checkbox"/> No
f. Program Income \$.00	
g. TOTAL \$.00	

18. TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, ALL DATA IN THIS APPLICATION/PREAPPLICATION ARE TRUE AND CORRECT. THE DOCUMENT HAS BEEN DULY AUTHORIZED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE APPLICANT AND THE APPLICANT WILL COMPLY WITH THE ATTACHED ASSURANCES IF THE ASSISTANCE IS AWARDED.

a. Authorized Representative		
Prefix	First Name	Middle Name
Last Name		Suffix
b. Title		c. Telephone Number (give area code)
d. Signature of Authorized Representative		e. Date Signed

CDBG-Required Certifications

CERTIFICATIONS

In accordance with the applicable statutes and the regulations governing the consolidated plan regulations, the jurisdiction certifies that:

Affirmatively Further Fair Housing -- The jurisdiction will affirmatively further fair housing, which means it will conduct an analysis of impediments to fair housing choice within the jurisdiction, take appropriate actions to overcome the effects of any impediments identified through that analysis, and maintain records reflecting that analysis and actions in this regard.

Anti-displacement and Relocation Plan -- It will comply with the acquisition and relocation requirements of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended, and implementing regulations at 49 CFR 24; and it has in effect and is following a residential antidisplacement and relocation assistance plan required under section 104(d) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, in connection with any activity assisted with funding under the CDBG or HOME programs.

Anti-Lobbying -- To the best of the jurisdiction's knowledge and belief:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of it, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement;
2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, it will complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions; and
3. It will require that the language of paragraph 1 and 2 of this anti-lobbying certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Authority of Jurisdiction -- The consolidated plan is authorized under State and local law (as applicable) and the jurisdiction possesses the legal authority to carry out the programs for which it is seeking funding, in accordance with applicable HUD regulations.

Consistency with plan -- The housing activities to be undertaken with CDBG, HOME, ESG, and HOPWA funds are consistent with the strategic plan.

Section 3 -- It will comply with section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and implementing regulations at 24 CFR Part 135.

Signature/Authorized Official

Date

Specific CDBG Certifications

The Entitlement Community certifies that:

Citizen Participation -- It is in full compliance and following a detailed citizen participation plan that satisfies the requirements of 24 CFR 91.105.

Community Development Plan -- Its consolidated housing and community development plan identifies community development and housing needs and specifies both short-term and long-term community development objectives that provide decent housing, expand economic opportunities primarily for persons of low and moderate income. (See CFR 24 570.2 and CFR 24 part 570)

Following a Plan -- It is following a current consolidated plan (or Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy) that has been approved by HUD.

Use of Funds -- It has complied with the following criteria:

1. Maximum Feasible Priority. With respect to activities expected to be assisted with CDBG funds, it certifies that it has developed its Action Plan so as to give maximum feasible priority to activities which benefit low and moderate income families or aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight. The Action Plan may also include activities which the grantee certifies are designed to meet other community development needs having a particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community, and other financial resources are not available);
2. Overall Benefit. The aggregate use of CDBG funds including section 108 guaranteed loans during program year(s) _____ , _____ (a period specified by the grantee consisting of one, two, or three specific consecutive program years), shall principally benefit persons of low and moderate income in a manner that ensures that at least 70 percent of the amount is expended for activities that benefit such persons during the designated period;
3. Special Assessments. It will not attempt to recover any capital costs of public improvements assisted with CDBG funds including Section 108 loan guaranteed funds by assessing any amount against properties owned and occupied by persons of low and moderate income, including any fee charged or assessment made as a condition of obtaining access to such public improvements.

However, if CDBG funds are used to pay the proportion of a fee or assessment that relates to the capital costs of public improvements (assisted in part with CDBG funds) financed from other revenue sources, an assessment or charge may be made against the property with respect to the public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds.

The jurisdiction will not attempt to recover any capital costs of public improvements assisted with CDBG funds, including Section 108, unless CDBG funds are used to pay the proportion of fee or assessment attributable to the capital costs of public improvements financed from other revenue sources. In this case, an assessment or charge may be made against the property with respect to the public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds. Also, in the case of properties owned and occupied by moderate-income (not low-income) families, an assessment or charge may be made against the property for public improvements financed by a source other than CDBG funds if the jurisdiction certifies that it lacks CDBG funds to cover the assessment.

Excessive Force -- It has adopted and is enforcing:

1. A policy prohibiting the use of excessive force by law enforcement agencies within its

jurisdiction against any individuals engaged in non-violent civil rights demonstrations; and

2. A policy of enforcing applicable State and local laws against physically barring entrance to or exit from a facility or location which is the subject of such non-violent civil rights demonstrations within its jurisdiction;

Compliance With Anti-discrimination laws -- The grant will be conducted and administered in conformity with title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC 2000d), the Fair Housing Act (42 USC 3601-3619), and implementing regulations.

Lead-Based Paint -- Its activities concerning lead-based paint will comply with the requirements of 24 CFR Part 35, subparts A, B, J, K and R;

Compliance with Laws -- It will comply with applicable laws.

Signature/Authorized Official

Date

Title

**OPTIONAL CERTIFICATION
CDBG**

Submit the following certification only when one or more of the activities in the action plan are designed to meet other community development needs having a particular urgency as specified in 24 CFR 570.208(c):

The grantee hereby certifies that the Annual Plan includes one or more specifically identified CDBG-assisted activities which are designed to meet other community development needs having a particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community and other financial resources are not available to meet such needs.

Signature/Authorized Official

Date

Title

Specific HOME Certifications

The HOME participating jurisdiction certifies that:

Tenant Based Rental Assistance -- If the participating jurisdiction intends to provide tenant-based rental assistance:

The use of HOME funds for tenant-based rental assistance is an essential element of the participating jurisdiction's consolidated plan for expanding the supply, affordability, and availability of decent, safe, sanitary, and affordable housing.

Eligible Activities and Costs -- it is using and will use HOME funds for eligible activities and costs, as described in 24 CFR § 92.205 through 92.209 and that it is not using and will not use HOME funds for prohibited activities, as described in § 92.214.

Appropriate Financial Assistance -- before committing any funds to a project, it will evaluate the project in accordance with the guidelines that it adopts for this purpose and will not invest any more HOME funds in combination with other Federal assistance than is necessary to provide affordable housing;

Signature/Authorized Official

Date

Title

ESG Certifications

The Emergency Solutions Grants Program Recipient certifies that:

Major rehabilitation/conversion – If an emergency shelter’s rehabilitation costs exceed 75 percent of the value of the building before rehabilitation, the jurisdiction will maintain the building as a shelter for homeless individuals and families for a minimum of 10 years after the date the building is first occupied by a homeless individual or family after the completed rehabilitation. If the cost to convert a building into an emergency shelter exceeds 75 percent of the value of the building after conversion, the jurisdiction will maintain the building as a shelter for homeless individuals and families for a minimum of 10 years after the date the building is first occupied by a homeless individual or family after the completed conversion. In all other cases where ESG funds are used for renovation, the jurisdiction will maintain the building as a shelter for homeless individuals and families for a minimum of 3 years after the date the building is first occupied by a homeless individual or family after the completed renovation.

Essential Services and Operating Costs – In the case of assistance involving shelter operations or essential services related to street outreach or emergency shelter, the jurisdiction will provide services or shelter to homeless individuals and families for the period during which the ESG assistance is provided, without regard to a particular site or structure, so long the jurisdiction serves the same type of persons (e.g., families with children, unaccompanied youth, disabled individuals, or victims of domestic violence) or persons in the same geographic area.

Renovation – Any renovation carried out with ESG assistance shall be sufficient to ensure that the building involved is safe and sanitary.

Supportive Services – The jurisdiction will assist homeless individuals in obtaining permanent housing, appropriate supportive services (including medical and mental health treatment, victim services, counseling, supervision, and other services essential for achieving independent living), and other Federal State, local, and private assistance available for such individuals.

Matching Funds – The jurisdiction will obtain matching amounts required under 24 CFR 576.201.

Confidentiality – The jurisdiction has established and is implementing procedures to ensure the confidentiality of records pertaining to any individual provided family violence prevention or treatment services under any project assisted under the ESG program, including protection against the release of the address or location of any family violence shelter project, except with the written authorization of the person responsible for the operation of that shelter.

Homeless Persons Involvement – To the maximum extent practicable, the jurisdiction will involve, through employment, volunteer services, or otherwise, homeless individuals and families in constructing, renovating, maintaining, and operating facilities assisted under the ESG program, in providing services assisted under the ESG program, and in providing services for occupants of facilities assisted under the program.

Consolidated Plan – All activities the jurisdiction undertakes with assistance under ESG are consistent with the jurisdiction’s consolidated plan.

Discharge Policy – The jurisdiction will establish and implement, to the maximum extent practicable and where appropriate policies and protocols for the discharge of persons from

publicly funded institutions or systems of care (such as health care facilities, mental health facilities, foster care or other youth facilities, or correction programs and institutions) in order to prevent this discharge from immediately resulting in homelessness for these persons.

Signature/Authorized Official

Date

Title

HOPWA Certifications

The HOPWA grantee certifies that:

Activities -- Activities funded under the program will meet urgent needs that are not being met by available public and private sources.

Building -- Any building or structure assisted under that program shall be operated for the purpose specified in the plan:

1. For at least 10 years in the case of assistance involving new construction, substantial rehabilitation, or acquisition of a facility,
2. For at least 3 years in the case of assistance involving non-substantial rehabilitation or repair of a building or structure.

Signature/Authorized Official

Date

Title

APPENDIX TO CERTIFICATIONS

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING LOBBYING:

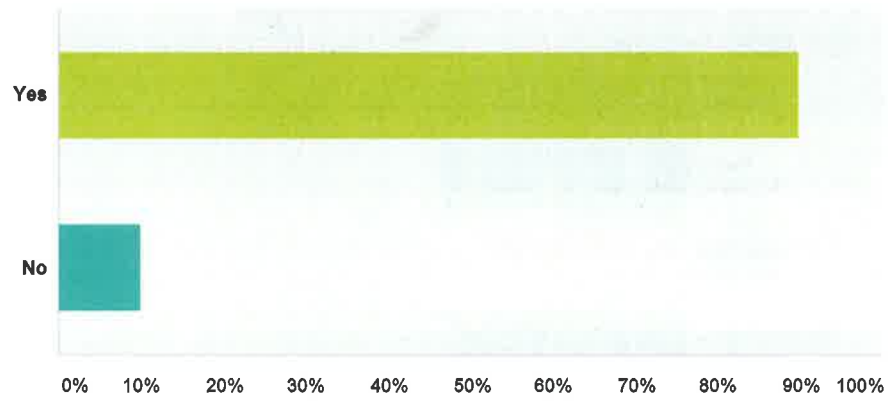
A. Lobbying Certification

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Resident Survey Results

Q1 Are you a Village of Schaumburg Resident?

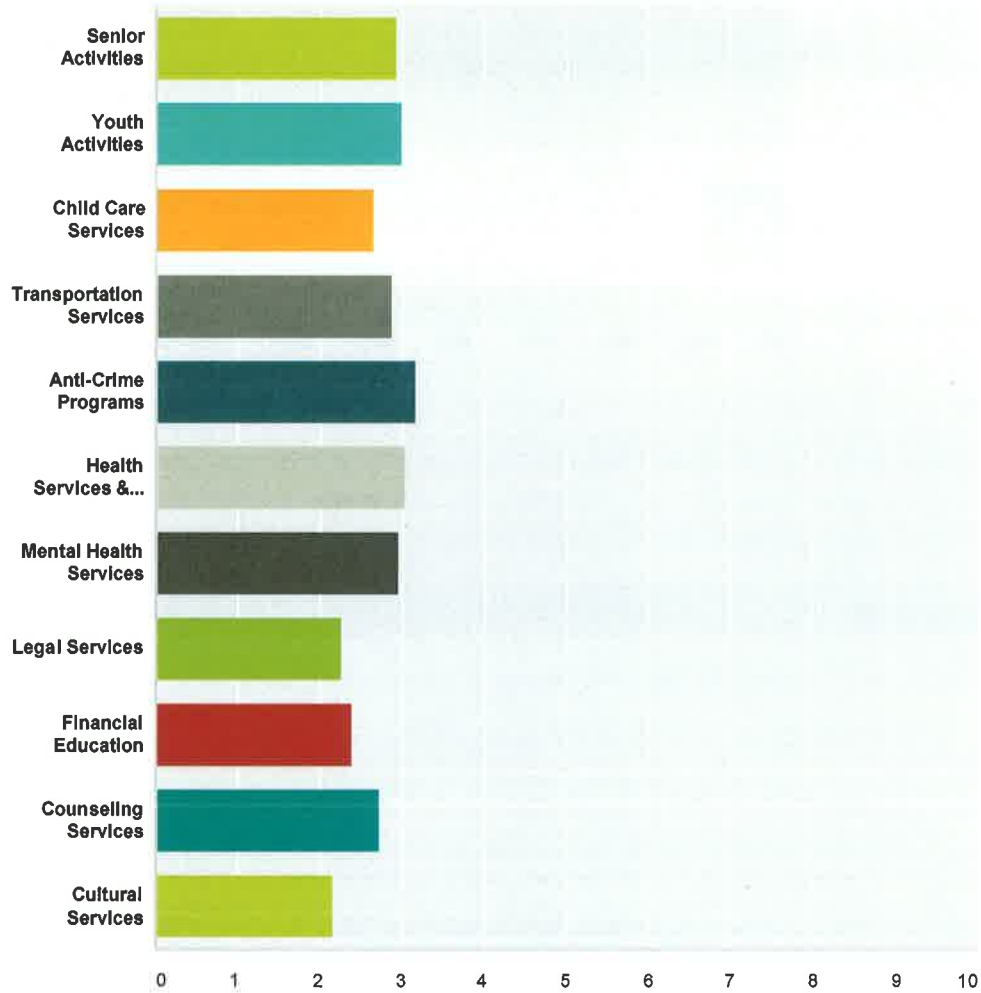
Answered: 288 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	90.28% 260
No	9.72% 28
Total	288

**Q2 Please rate the level of need for
community services with 1 being the lowest
and 4 being the highest.**

Answered: 259 Skipped: 29



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Senior Activities	8.27% 21	20.87% 53	40.16% 102	30.71% 78	254	2.93
Youth Activities	6.88% 17	19.43% 48	41.30% 102	32.39% 80	247	2.99
Child Care Services	12.55% 31	34.41% 85	28.74% 71	24.29% 60	247	2.65
Transportation Services	9.27% 23	20.56% 51	43.95% 109	26.21% 65	248	2.87
Anti-Crime Programs	6.77% 17	17.53% 44	28.29% 71	47.41% 119	251	3.16

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Health Services & Clinics	5.22% 13	23.69% 59	33.73% 84	37.35% 93	249	3.03
Mental Health Services	8.94% 22	21.95% 54	34.15% 84	34.96% 86	246	2.95
Legal Services	21.29% 53	41.77% 104	26.51% 66	10.44% 26	249	2.26
Financial Education	19.43% 48	37.25% 92	28.34% 70	14.98% 37	247	2.39
Counseling Services	8.57% 21	33.47% 82	35.10% 86	22.86% 56	245	2.72
Cultural Services	29.72% 74	36.95% 92	20.88% 52	12.45% 31	249	2.16

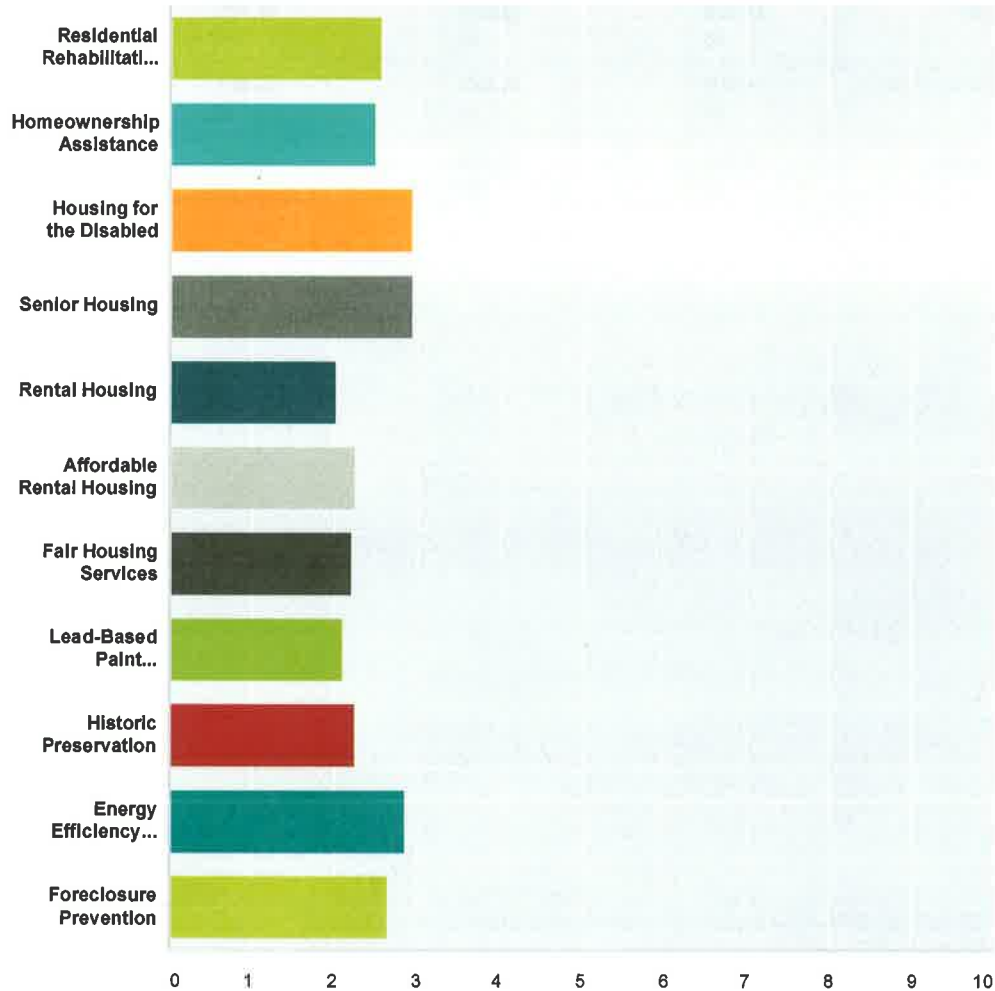
Q3 Please write in any Community Service needs not listed:

Answered: 22 Skipped: 266

#	Responses	Date
1	Educational Services about General Governance of VoS	1/4/2015 12:31 AM
2	Employment	1/3/2015 4:18 AM
3	Safety Education	1/2/2015 12:38 PM
4	All ages technology training. ALL AGES.	1/2/2015 11:14 AM
5	Fire prevention education	1/2/2015 11:14 AM
6	Youth programs that join with law enforcement such as Explorers. Schaumburg cut this great program for youth to see all the ins and outs of the job. Look at our neighboring cities like Hoffman Estates. They have an Explorer program and they fundraiser for all competitions and events. I highly suggest you look into this more.	1/2/2015 11:01 AM
7	Education relating to the United States Constitution, Bill of Rights, and the Declaration of Independence . Also, what it means to be a responsible citizen of America.	12/26/2014 2:21 PM
8	Dental services BEYOND just preventive for low income. MAJOR dental services such as crowns/root canals are not offered by the Village OR the Township--dental health impacts medical health. Also Vision services for low income, prohibitively expensive even for middle income families.	12/14/2014 1:13 PM
9	Assistance with utilities--gas, water, electric, garbage removal	12/12/2014 10:16 AM
10	Better snow removal; storm water/street flooding	12/12/2014 8:46 AM
11	Hunger support (i.e. food pantry, food bank)	12/7/2014 10:30 PM
12	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:50 AM
13	help the homeless children in grade schools and high schools. The need shelter, clothing and food.	12/5/2014 8:59 AM
14	Adult day care Addiction recovery help	12/5/2014 8:51 AM
15	Continue to inform citizens of services Village offers. Make the Village services easy to navigate such as permits, health care, etc. Communicate by booklet format all of the Village services, requirements, and departments at least once a year.	12/5/2014 8:50 AM
16	I think the Grant should be used to subsidize the cost of current Schaumburg employee(s) who provide services to low-income people (ie Food Shelter staff) without increasing the number of government employees or services provided to low income people.	12/5/2014 8:33 AM
17	Benches, shelters & pavement for bus stops, especially along Golf Road.	12/5/2014 7:39 AM
18	Food Pantry	12/5/2014 7:16 AM
19	Donations to the food pantry. NUTRITIOUS food is needed. (i.e. peanut butter, milk, fresh fruits and vegetables.)	12/4/2014 10:15 AM
20	Teen activities	12/4/2014 8:50 AM
21	Before and after school meal programs	12/3/2014 3:45 PM
22	Handicapped services	12/3/2014 1:04 PM

**Q4 Please rate the level of need for housing
with 1 being the lowest and 4 being the
highest.**

Answered: 247 Skipped: 41



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Residential Rehabilitation Assistance	17.60% 41	27.90% 65	37.34% 87	17.17% 40	233	2.54
Homeownership Assistance	21.10% 50	29.96% 71	28.27% 67	20.68% 49	237	2.49
Housing for the Disabled	8.12% 19	21.37% 50	41.03% 96	29.49% 69	234	2.92
Senior Housing	8.40% 20	20.59% 49	40.34% 96	30.67% 73	238	2.93
Rental Housing	35.93% 83	35.93% 83	19.91% 46	8.23% 19	231	2.00

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Affordable Rental Housing	33.19% 77	26.72% 62	23.71% 55	16.38% 38	232	2.23
Fair Housing Services	31.33% 73	30.47% 71	25.75% 60	12.45% 29	233	2.19
Lead-Based Paint Testing/Abatement	32.90% 76	35.50% 82	21.65% 50	9.96% 23	231	2.09
Historic Preservation	27.43% 65	34.60% 82	25.32% 60	12.66% 30	237	2.23
Energy Efficiency Improvements	14.77% 35	18.99% 45	35.02% 83	31.22% 74	237	2.83
Foreclosure Prevention	16.74% 39	27.90% 65	30.47% 71	24.89% 58	233	2.64

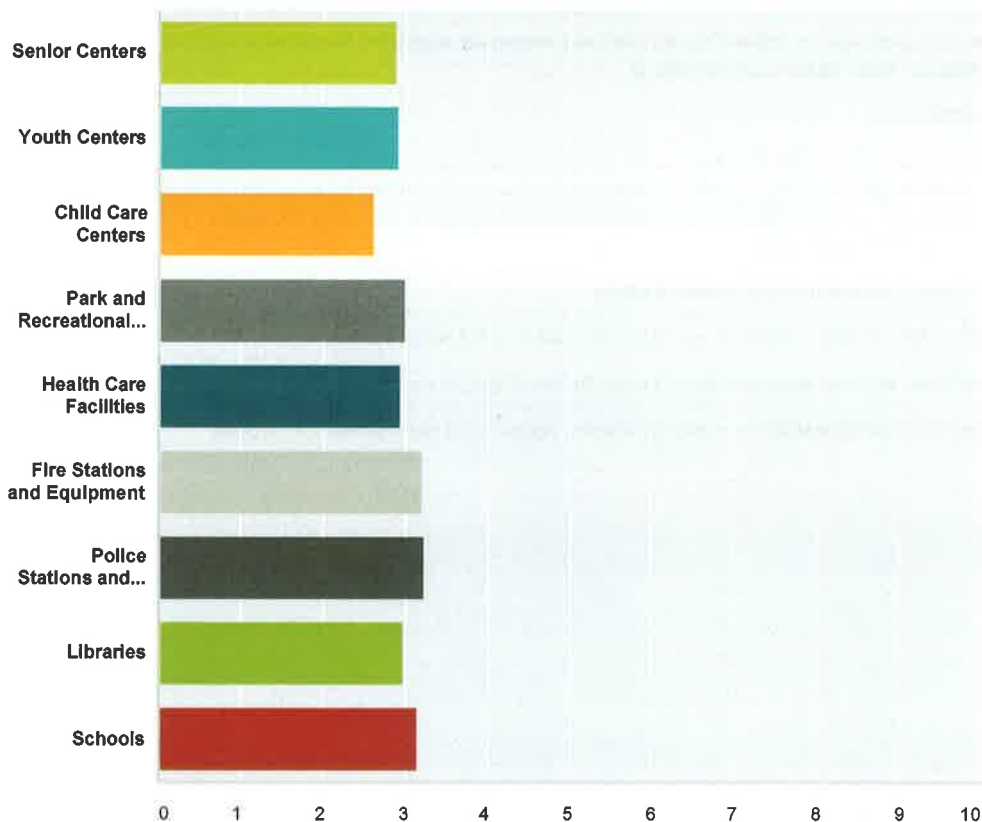
Q5 Please write in any Housing needs not listed:

Answered: 7 Skipped: 281

#	Responses	Date
1	There is a great need for help with the homeless who I have seen soliciting at the entrance to 53 and in the Jewel parking lot. There need to be shelters set up.	12/12/2014 10:18 AM
2	tax assistance	12/6/2014 8:50 AM
3	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:50 AM
4	Lawn care & snow removal for disabled & elderly	12/5/2014 9:12 AM
5	Shelters for bus riders, make them architecturally creative, hold a design contest.	12/5/2014 7:40 AM
6	Help those with noise abatement who live under the new O'Hare runway patterns.	12/5/2014 7:32 AM
7	Home improvement assistance - especially exterior - maybe that is rehab assistance - not sure	12/3/2014 3:47 PM

**Q6 Please rate the level of need for
community facilities with 1 being the lowest
and 4 being the highest.**

Answered: 245 Skipped: 43



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Senior Centers	8.82% 21	23.53% 56	36.97% 88	30.67% 73	238	2.89
Youth Centers	8.12% 19	20.94% 49	43.16% 101	27.78% 65	234	2.91
Child Care Centers	16.81% 39	27.16% 63	34.91% 81	21.12% 49	232	2.60
Park and Recreational Facilities	8.47% 20	18.64% 44	38.56% 91	34.32% 81	236	2.99
Health Care Facilities	9.32% 22	21.61% 51	36.02% 85	33.05% 78	236	2.93
Fire Stations and Equipment	6.67% 16	14.58% 35	31.25% 75	47.50% 114	240	3.20
Police Stations and Equipment	6.28% 15	15.06% 36	28.87% 69	49.79% 119	239	3.22

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Libraries	10.74% 26	18.60% 45	34.30% 83	36.36% 88	242	2.96
Schools	10.50% 25	12.61% 30	30.67% 73	46.22% 110	238	3.13

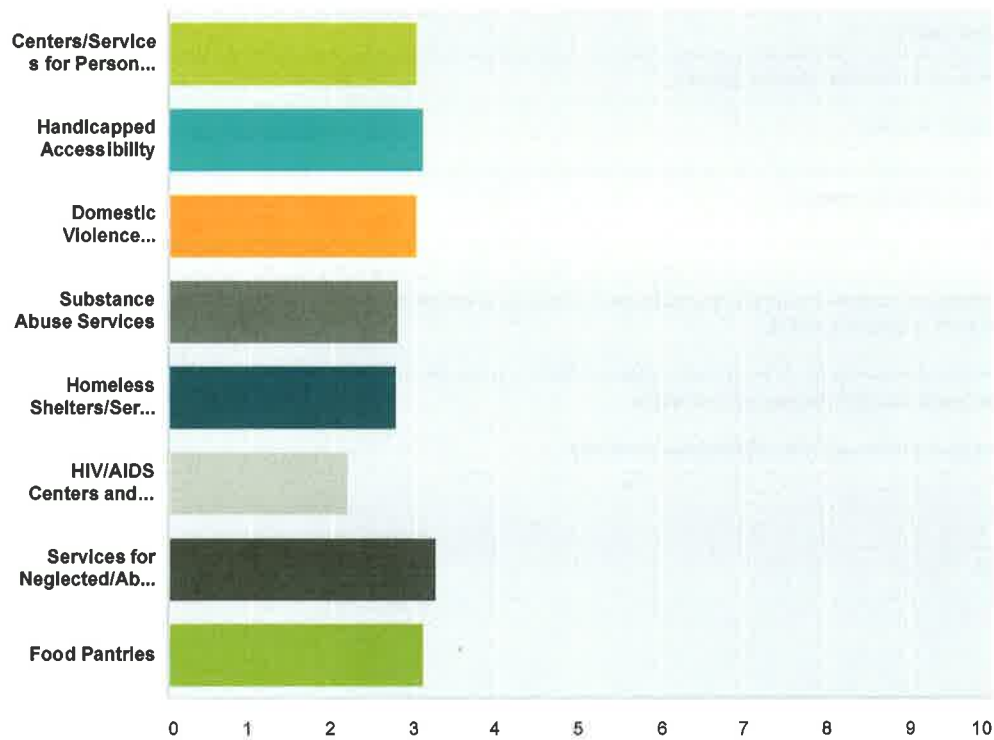
**Q7 Please write in any Community Facility
needs not listed:**

Answered: 8 Skipped: 280

#	Responses	Date
1	Mayor Al Larson favors the fire dept over the police dept. Schaumburg Fire Dept is always getting the new rigs, equipment, and manpower. However Sxhaumburg Police has malfunctioning squad cars that are maxing out on miles, old police equipment, and struggle with manpower. Not to mention the whole issue with them getting cameras and tasers. Thankful for that federal grant that allowed the police to obtain tasers for its officers.	1/2/2015 11:07 AM
2	Park and Recreational facilities are abundant so I rated them as a lower priority. However, Senior Center and Senior Services are woefully out of date when compared to surrounding communities.	12/14/2014 1:13 PM
3	I feel there needs to be shelter facilities along with mental health care for homeless individuals and their families. This has become a major issue here.	12/12/2014 10:19 AM
4	hard of hearing services	12/6/2014 8:51 AM
5	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:50 AM
6	Schools expand for youth and child care. Healthcare - we now have ACA!!	12/5/2014 8:58 AM
7	Park & Recreational Facilities should be more affordable very low cost to residents who already are taxed for the facilities, ideally all of these facilities should be free to residents.	12/5/2014 8:53 AM
8	Bus stops, Pace buses are increasing in usage. Give the people a place to stand.	12/5/2014 7:40 AM

Q8 Please rate the level of need for special needs services with 1 being the lowest and 4 being the highest.

Answered: 239 Skipped: 49



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Centers/Services for Persons with Disabilities	4.74% 11	21.55% 50	41.81% 97	31.90% 74	232	3.01
Handicapped Accessibility	5.58% 13	18.88% 44	36.05% 84	39.48% 92	233	3.09
Domestic Violence Services	4.72% 11	25.75% 60	34.33% 80	35.19% 82	233	3.00
Substance Abuse Services	10.48% 24	26.64% 61	37.12% 85	25.76% 59	229	2.78
Homeless Shelters/Services	13.04% 30	24.35% 56	36.96% 85	25.65% 59	230	2.75
HIV/AIDS Centers and Services	24.45% 56	42.36% 97	24.45% 56	8.73% 20	229	2.17
Services for Neglected/Abused Children	4.29% 10	14.59% 34	34.76% 81	46.35% 108	233	3.23
Food Pantries	2.95% 7	21.10% 50	39.24% 93	36.71% 87	237	3.10

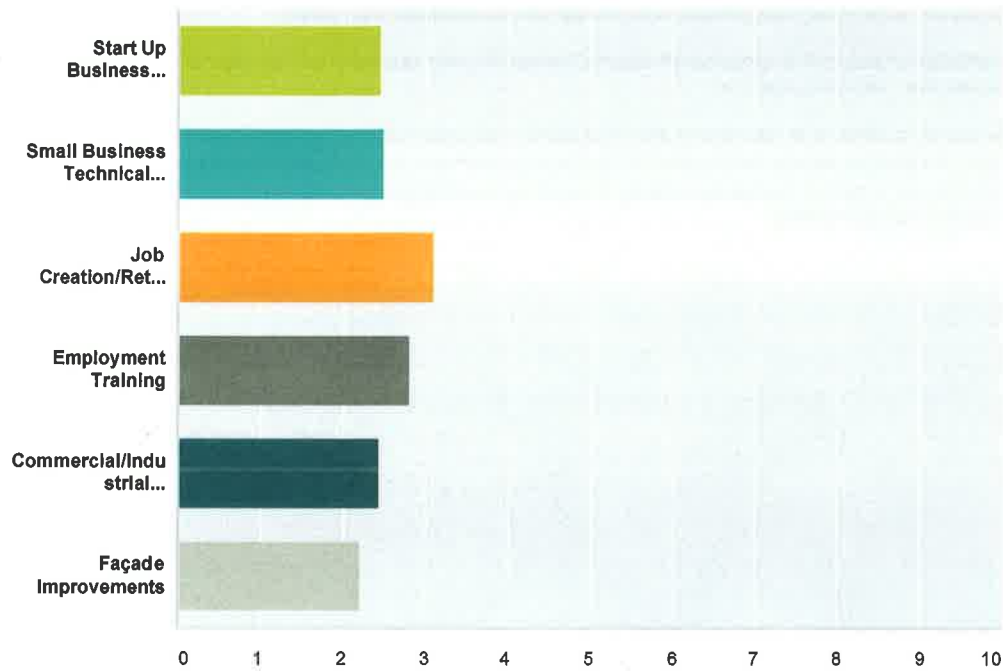
**Q9 Please write in any Special Needs
Services not listed:**

Answered: 7 Skipped: 281

#	Responses	Date
1	Mental health	1/2/2015 1:12 PM
2	Emphasls on domestic violence services.	1/2/2015 11:08 AM
3	Chaplain services.	12/26/2014 2:24 PM
4	We are a wealthy community and not enough ls being done for those who are homeless and especially the children of the homeless.	12/12/2014 10:20 AM
5	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which It was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:51 AM
6	We cannot be the answer to everyone's problems. We have to use resources with wisdom and compassion. The elderly and youngest are the most vulnerable.	12/5/2014 9:02 AM
7	Homeless families and their children need more help	12/5/2014 9:00 AM

**Q10 Please rate the level of need for jobs
and businesses with 1 being the lowest and
4 being the highest.**

Answered: 232 Skipped: 56



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Start Up Business Assistance	21.49% 49	30.70% 70	28.95% 66	18.86% 43	228	2.45
Small Business Technical Assistance	18.42% 42	32.02% 73	32.89% 75	16.67% 38	228	2.48
Job Creation/Retention	10.92% 25	10.92% 25	36.24% 83	41.92% 96	229	3.09
Employment Training	10.92% 25	25.76% 59	35.81% 82	27.51% 63	229	2.80
Commercial/Industrial Rehabilitation	22.57% 51	26.99% 61	34.96% 79	15.49% 35	226	2.43
Façade Improvements	28.51% 65	35.53% 81	24.12% 55	11.84% 27	228	2.19

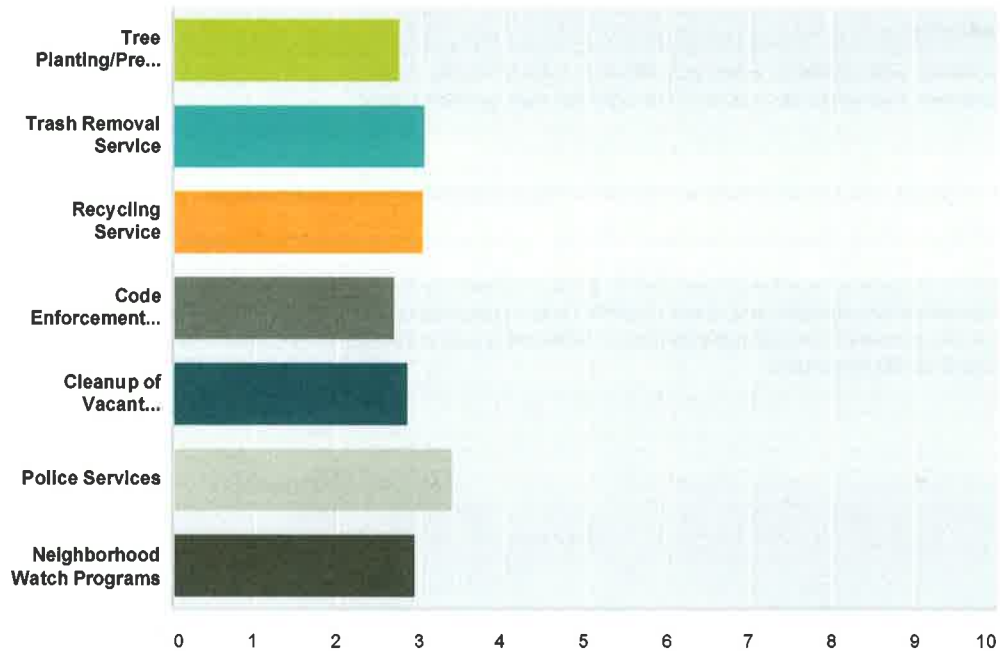
**Q11 Please write in any Jobs & Business
Assistance needs not listed:**

Answered: 3 Skipped: 285

#	Responses	Date
1	Advocacy to let the Federal Government know that has not been small business friendly!	12/26/2014 2:31 PM
2	Financial aid for people of all ages who are returning to school to enhance or finish their educations. This is our most important community resource.	12/12/2014 10:21 AM
3	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:51 AM

Q12 Please rate the level of need for neighborhood services with 1 being the lowest and 4 being the highest.

Answered: 239 Skipped: 49



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Tree Planting/Preservation	15.45% 36	22.75% 53	34.76% 81	27.04% 63	233	2.73
Trash Removal Service	7.56% 18	21.85% 52	28.15% 67	42.44% 101	238	3.05
Recycling Service	9.32% 22	21.61% 51	27.12% 64	41.95% 99	236	3.02
Code Enforcement Services	13.91% 32	30.87% 71	28.70% 66	26.52% 61	230	2.68
Cleanup of Vacant Lots/Buildings	12.02% 28	26.18% 61	27.90% 65	33.91% 79	233	2.84
Police Services	5.91% 14	10.13% 24	23.21% 55	60.76% 144	237	3.39
Neighborhood Watch Programs	8.15% 19	24.89% 58	33.48% 78	33.48% 78	233	2.92

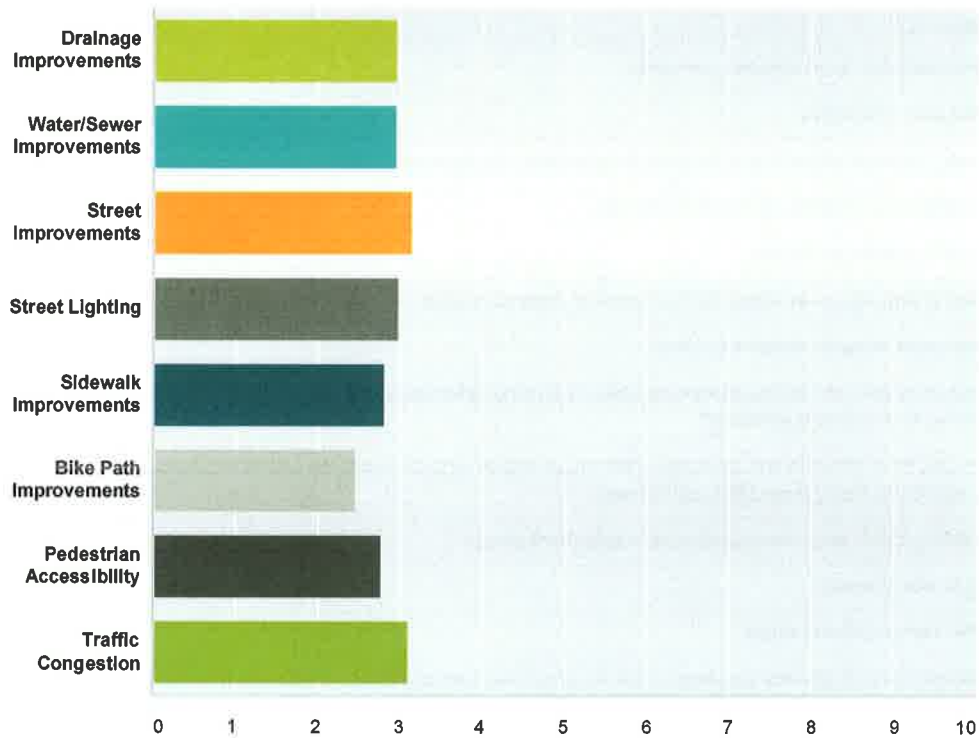
**Q13 Please write in any Neighborhood
Service needs not listed:**

Answered: 5 Skipped: 283

#	Responses	Date
1	Community centers staffed by some police officers to make community connections and to get low income people away from gangs, etc. and into sports, volunteer work (gardening, etc.)	1/2/2015 1:19 PM
2	Police services and neighborhood watches are highly important.	1/2/2015 11:10 AM
3	Animal control, including enforcement of violators of village ordinances relating to control of dogs.	12/26/2014 2:33 PM
4	Possibly make trash & recycling more efficient with truck loading containers rather than hand loaded	12/5/2014 2:59 PM
5	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:51 AM

Q14 Please rate the level of need for infrastructure with 1 being the lowest and 4 being the highest.

Answered: 237 Skipped: 51



	1 - Low Priority	2 - Somewhat Low Priority	3 - Somewhat High Priority	4 - High Priority	Total	Weighted Average
Drainage Improvements	7.02% 16	23.68% 54	37.28% 85	32.02% 73	228	2.94
Water/Sewer Improvements	8.26% 19	23.91% 55	33.04% 76	34.78% 80	230	2.94
Street Improvements	6.01% 14	16.74% 39	34.76% 81	42.49% 99	233	3.14
Street Lighting	9.96% 23	17.75% 41	37.23% 86	35.06% 81	231	2.97
Sidewalk Improvements	7.66% 18	32.34% 76	33.62% 79	26.38% 62	235	2.79
Bike Path Improvements	19.05% 44	34.63% 80	28.57% 66	17.75% 41	231	2.45
Pedestrian Accessibility	10.53% 24	28.07% 64	36.84% 84	24.56% 56	228	2.75
Traffic Congestion	7.79% 18	20.78% 48	25.11% 58	46.32% 107	231	3.10

**Q15 Please write in any Infrastructure needs
not listed:**

Answered: 14 Skipped: 274

#	Responses	Date
1	Fix all pot holes. Remove leaves from curbs.	1/8/2015 6:11 PM
2	Need more street lights	1/8/2015 6:00 PM
3	Roads, pot holes behind TI Amo Restuarant they fill them one day and the next day they are pot holes again.	1/8/2015 5:58 PM
4	Training enable people to work, how to interview	1/8/2015 5:46 PM
5	Snow Plowing Improvements	1/8/2015 5:40 PM
6	Make all stop signs more visible. No tree branch or shrub obstruction.	1/8/2015 2:59 PM
7	Keep up the Mosquito Abatement Control	1/8/2015 2:35 PM
8	What will Happen at Roselle/Schaumburg when the building development is finished? Will the Streets be widened to accomodate additional?	1/8/2015 12:57 PM
9	Crossing Plum Grove Rd and Schaumburg Rd is really difficult as is Crossing Meacham rd and Schaumburg Rd. Or even Schaumburg Rd and National Parkway!	1/8/2015 10:37 AM
10	street improvements for bumpy/pot-holed neighborhood streets.	12/31/2014 7:55 AM
11	rail service to airports	12/10/2014 1:23 PM
12	public transportation to airport	12/6/2014 8:53 AM
13	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:51 AM
14	Can we please get a right turn lane installed on southbound Roselle to westbound Schaumburg? With the redevelopment of that parcel of land (northwest corner of the intersection), now is the time! It would go a long way toward improving traffic flow through the area.	12/3/2014 1:36 PM

Q16 Mark the top ten priorities that should be addressed in the Village of Schaumburg. Please number them from 1-least important to 10-most important.

Answered: 226 Skipped: 62

Answer Choices	Responses	
Senior Citizens	71.24%	161
Youth Programs	62.83%	142
Child Care	44.69%	101
Crime	73.01%	165
Health Services	65.49%	148
Cultural Services	24.78%	56
Residential Rehabilitation	36.28%	82
Affordable Housing	42.04%	95
Historic Preservation	26.99%	61
Alternative Energy	29.20%	66
Energy Efficiency	44.69%	101
Foreclosures	38.94%	88
Code Enforcement Services	31.42%	71
Education	61.06%	138
Employment Training	43.36%	98
Business Assistance	31.42%	71
Drainage	39.38%	89
Traffic Congestion	60.18%	136
Pedestrian Accessibility	28.32%	64
Recycling & Trash Service	46.02%	104
Landscaping	29.65%	67
Vacant lots/buildings	34.51%	78
Police Services	68.58%	155
Handicapped Accessibility	34.07%	77
Homelessness	46.90%	106
Substance Abuse	32.30%	73

Q17 Please enter any other priorities:

Answered: 53 Skipped: 235

#	-	Date
1	Public Transportation (3)	2/9/2015 4:51 PM
2	Public Transportation (5)	1/8/2015 6:20 PM
3	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 6:19 PM
4	Public Transportation (7)	1/8/2015 6:17 PM
5	Public Transportation (2)	1/8/2015 6:14 PM
6	Public Transportation (7)	1/8/2015 6:05 PM
7	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 6:03 PM
8	Public Transportation (7)	1/8/2015 5:56 PM
9	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 5:54 PM
10	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 5:51 PM
11	Public Transportation (8)	1/8/2015 5:48 PM
12	Public Transportation (3)	1/8/2015 5:46 PM
13	Public Transportation (5)	1/8/2015 5:44 PM
14	Public Transportation (2)	1/8/2015 5:38 PM
15	Public Transportation (4)	1/8/2015 5:35 PM
16	Public Transportation (4)	1/8/2015 5:32 PM
17	Public Transportation (4)	1/8/2015 5:26 PM
18	Public Transportation (4)	1/8/2015 5:19 PM
19	Public Transportation (7)	1/8/2015 3:05 PM
20	Public Transportation (8)	1/8/2015 3:00 PM
21	Public Transportation (2)	1/8/2015 2:48 PM
22	Public Transportation (9)	1/8/2015 2:36 PM
23	Public Transportation (9)	1/8/2015 2:28 PM
24	Public Transportation (9)	1/8/2015 2:16 PM
25	Public Transportation (7)	1/8/2015 12:46 PM
26	Public Transportation (7)	1/8/2015 12:43 PM
27	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 12:21 PM
28	Public Transportation (2)	1/8/2015 11:04 AM
29	Public Transportation (1)	1/8/2015 10:42 AM

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30	PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION (10)	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
31	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
32	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 10:38 AM
33	Public Transportation (10)	1/8/2015 10:37 AM
34	transportation	1/3/2015 4:27 AM
35	restaurant inspection of food service	1/3/2015 12:04 AM
36	Food Inspection	1/2/2015 11:53 PM
37	Citizen Awareness and Responsibilites	12/26/2014 3:16 PM
38	PUBLIC TRANSPORTATIONIII	12/16/2014 5:31 PM
39	detective services for computer hacking, etc.	12/12/2014 10:27 AM
40	SUPPORTIVE HOUSING FOR THOSE LIVING WITH MENTAL ILLNESS	12/11/2014 12:34 PM
41	Counseling Center	12/8/2014 10:17 AM
42	Senior center	12/6/2014 7:36 AM
43	Property tax reduction	12/5/2014 6:24 PM
44	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:52 AM
45	Reduce government spending on programs that directly benefit only segments of our society	12/5/2014 8:45 AM
46	Benches, shelter & pavement for Pace bus stops	12/5/2014 7:52 AM
47	Noise abatement	12/5/2014 7:39 AM
48	I would like to see a grocery store put back in the village square	12/5/2014 7:22 AM
49	Connecting bike paths	12/4/2014 9:38 PM
50	City as internet provider	12/4/2014 1:52 PM
51	Nutritious Food For The Food Pantry	12/4/2014 10:21 AM
52	Parks and Recreation facilities	12/4/2014 8:12 AM
53	10 - Road maintenance	12/3/2014 1:13 PM
#	-	Date
1	fire prevention inspection	1/3/2015 12:04 AM
2	mental health assistance for homeless	12/12/2014 10:27 AM
3	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:52 AM
4	Use Federal, State and County funding to the best advantage to reduce the need of local budgetary spending	12/5/2014 8:45 AM
#	-	Date
1	rental housing inspection	1/3/2015 12:04 AM
2	child development education	12/12/2014 10:27 AM
3	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:52 AM

Q18 Do you know of a specific need(s) or service(s) not addressed by housing, homelessness, or special needs services? If Yes, please explain:

Answered: 57 Skipped: 231

#	Responses	Date
1	Car repair - Many people cannot afford the costs and miss work, which can lead to job loss	1/9/2015 10:27 AM
2	Affordable Senior Housing	1/8/2015 6:17 PM
3	No Snow removal from end of driveway	1/8/2015 6:12 PM
4	Physical Improvement - start enforcing law - no blocking or parking cars on sidewalks.	1/8/2015 6:06 PM
5	we need to improve enforcement of traffic laws especailly speeding	1/8/2015 5:52 PM
6	Where do the homeless go? What about summer months?	1/8/2015 5:47 PM
7	Part time jobs and training	1/8/2015 2:43 PM
8	my daughter is disabled - i wish there were more social activities to meet others instead of just seeing doctors and counselors	1/8/2015 2:38 PM
9	families in Schaumburg have a difficult time finding housing that is affordable on one income. Single parents and individuals have a hard time renting or purchasing homes due to housing costs.	1/8/2015 2:16 PM
10	More Shelters for the Homeless during the Winter Time.	1/8/2015 10:40 AM
11	TRANSPORTATION	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
12	Limited Homeless Shelters Available	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
13	Don't try to kick out or relocate those who commit smaller crimes, especially juvenile due to lack of effective parenting. Come up with a few innovative methods to fill the gap of parenting.	1/4/2015 12:46 AM
14	Tranportation and housing for young adults on the autism spectrum	1/3/2015 4:29 AM
15	Make restraint reports public	1/3/2015 12:06 AM
16	Rent is way too high.	1/2/2015 1:10 PM
17	Safety, emergency preparedness , volunteer opportunities.	1/2/2015 12:46 PM
18	No	1/2/2015 11:31 AM
19	Help homeless people obtain a job and affordable home. Do not allow them to sleep at the police dept or village hall.	1/2/2015 11:16 AM
20	Seniors with disabilities have few affordable care & housing options. Schaumburg's Friendship Village quoted my 84 year old disabled Mother an entrance fee of \$600,000 with expensive monthly fees for a horrible small "hospital-like" room. If she could walk they offered beautiful senior living options at a reasonable rate. We found this same pattern for every senior living home in the surrounding communities. It appears the business trend is to cater to the active "well-to-do" senior rather than provide a service to those in need.	1/2/2015 9:47 AM
21	Making sure that senior citizens that are living alone are keep in mind, e.g., wellness checks during extreme conditions, i.e., weather, pending natural disasters, etc.	12/26/2014 3:21 PM
22	women issues	12/19/2014 3:55 PM
23	Medical and Dental	12/14/2014 1:24 PM
24	no	12/12/2014 9:59 PM
25	1412 Norwell Lane	12/12/2014 11:01 AM

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26	Job placement for special needs people.	12/12/2014 10:39 AM
27	I see people at the entrance of 53 and was solicited by a homeless woman in the Jewel parking lot. These issues continue to get worse.	12/12/2014 10:30 AM
28	Transportation services for disabled residents	12/12/2014 8:54 AM
29	SUPPORTIVE HOUSING FOR THOSE LIVING WITH MENTAL ILLNESS	12/11/2014 12:38 PM
30	homeless school age children	12/10/2014 1:26 PM
31	Are Mental Health Services available in the Village of Schaumburg? If not, may I suggest that they become available?	12/8/2014 5:06 PM
32	Regular PADS site	12/8/2014 3:04 PM
33	No	12/7/2014 12:12 PM
34	No	12/6/2014 3:22 PM
35	A PADS shelter site needs to be established at one of the churches in Schaumburg. With 75,000 residents, it is unfortunate that none of the churches in Schaumburg is a PADS site.	12/6/2014 12:08 PM
36	Centralization of senior services	12/6/2014 7:37 AM
37	No, none.	12/5/2014 6:53 PM
38	No.	12/5/2014 5:35 PM
39	We need a Sun City, and make it affordable.	12/5/2014 4:34 PM
40	I believe that if we would spend time enforcing some of the ordinances that we have had on the books we would vastly improve our overall appearance in town.	12/5/2014 3:31 PM
41	lack of voice and choice.	12/5/2014 2:52 PM
42	No	12/5/2014 1:00 PM
43	?	12/5/2014 10:33 AM
44	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:53 AM
45	need more dial-a-ride, specifically to go to and from the (3) hospitals that serve Sch. Alexian Bros., St. Alexius, NWCH	12/5/2014 9:19 AM
46	no	12/5/2014 9:02 AM
47	No	12/5/2014 8:41 AM
48	Benches, shelters, & pavement for bus stops. Take the unused benches from Wise Road & Schaumburg Road, move them to Golf Road for the bus riders.	12/5/2014 7:55 AM
49	Noise abatement for the new O'Hare runways. Our house was built before thermo pane windows and the additional noise is making us consider moving. The noise was bearable when the plane flew over the Elgin-O'Hare and an occasional plane when overhead. But now, with the new runways, there are time when the planes are directly overhead ever 2-3 minutes, for those is us on the SE part of Schaumburg.	12/5/2014 7:49 AM
50	Churches are great places that offer many things for people who are homeless or poor	12/5/2014 7:49 AM
51	Minimum wage is not a livable wage	12/5/2014 7:32 AM
52	ALLOW PRIVATE SENIOR CARE HOMES IN RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS SO SENIORS CAN LIVE A MORE NORMAL FULFILLED LIVE IN THE COMMUNITIES THAT THEY HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THEIR ENTIRE LIVES. THERE ARE MANY SUCH SENIOR GROUP HOMES IN ST CHARLES AND GENEVA THEIR COMMUNITIES HAVE EMBRACED THIS MODEL.	12/5/2014 7:16 AM
53	No.	12/4/2014 9:01 AM
54	1142 Jamestown	12/3/2014 10:09 PM

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55	Would like to see a Village wide implementation of before and after school meal programs for kids in poverty.	12/3/2014 3:55 PM
56	My husband and I are disabled and could use assistance maintaining the inside of our home. We're not looking for a handout, but some lower cost and dependable providers.	12/3/2014 1:23 PM
57	367 Greystone ct. A2	12/3/2014 9:36 AM

**Q19 What are the primary obstacles facing
the low- and moderate-income residents in
the Village of Schaumburg?**

Answered: 108 Skipped: 180

#	Responses	Date
1	Food - Health	2/9/2015 4:51 PM
2	Income - job security - Finding a full time job. Affordable housing for low income families, grants to help those in need through non-profit agencies	1/9/2015 10:27 AM
3	Transportation	1/8/2015 6:17 PM
4	Tax for house	1/8/2015 6:12 PM
5	JOBS	1/8/2015 5:54 PM
6	do we really want to attract low income residents to schauburg?	1/8/2015 5:52 PM
7	Paying Apartment Rents	1/8/2015 5:42 PM
8	Joblessness	1/8/2015 3:06 PM
9	Apt. Rentals, Internet	1/8/2015 2:57 PM
10	Ability to hold/find a job	1/8/2015 2:53 PM
11	High Taxes, High Home Prices	1/8/2015 2:49 PM
12	Jobs. Income flow. job Training	1/8/2015 2:43 PM
13	to be frank taxes (property) my taxes went up approx. \$1,500 a year, a few years ago and it has been very difficult as a senior.	1/8/2015 2:38 PM
14	Not able to afford - over 65 years old	1/8/2015 2:30 PM
15	Sales Tax, cook county affiliation	1/8/2015 2:26 PM
16	Health Services	1/8/2015 2:21 PM
17	Affordability and accessibility. In some of the areas where the housing is a little more affordable they aren't as safe and secure.	1/8/2015 2:16 PM
18	Not Enough Job Ministry Centers	1/8/2015 12:59 PM
19	Transportation to Ensure Accessibility to and From Work	1/8/2015 12:22 PM
20	Affordable Housing	1/8/2015 10:54 AM
21	Lack of knowledge of places they can go for help and types of services available. Fear of being disrespected.	1/8/2015 10:50 AM
22	Need more Jobs (locally).	1/8/2015 10:40 AM
23	HOUSING	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
24	Transportation, Affordable Housing	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
25	Dining Tax	1/8/2015 10:38 AM
26	Cook County Taxes keep going up. Our taxes have gone up 50% which makes us re-consider living in Schaumburg.	1/8/2015 10:37 AM
27	Underwater Home Loans.	1/4/2015 12:46 AM
28	rent is high	1/3/2015 12:06 AM
29	Taxes are to high	1/2/2015 8:15 PM

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30	High property taxes	1/2/2015 3:43 PM
31	Mental health services are not being covered, or are capped out, by insurance plans. This puts the whole community at risk. We don't want a school or mall massacre in this town.	1/2/2015 1:43 PM
32	There are no affordable places to live. If you are on section 8, great. But for people who choose to work for a living, it is like we are being pushed out. You either have the wealthy or moochers.	1/2/2015 1:10 PM
33	Housing, foreclosures affecting values, home associations not allowing rentals so forced to stay or foreclose.	1/2/2015 12:46 PM
34	high property taxes	1/2/2015 11:31 AM
35	Work.	1/2/2015 11:21 AM
36	no comment	1/2/2015 11:16 AM
37	Education and job training	12/26/2014 3:21 PM
38	I think finding information about services available and the high cost of goods and services in this area are obstacles.	12/26/2014 10:28 AM
39	Village of Schaumburg has so much to offer; Name itself is a Brand; Proud to be a Resident. Residents should have jobs so they can pay their bills	12/19/2014 3:55 PM
40	Getting good jobs	12/18/2014 5:08 PM
41	Taxes	12/18/2014 12:41 PM
42	There is a severe lack of public transportation in the village. The Pace buses do not run on the main village arteries. They should certainly run down Schaumburg Road and that should be a priority.	12/16/2014 5:34 PM
43	healthcare, child care, and consistent employment	12/15/2014 11:24 AM
44	Property tax rates are a barrier to home ownership	12/14/2014 1:24 PM
45	Keeping property taxes low.	12/13/2014 4:46 PM
46	high real estate taxes	12/12/2014 9:59 PM
47	SCHOOL TAXES!!!!!! TOTALLY OUT OF CONTROL AND REALITY	12/12/2014 11:20 AM
48	High prices - Taxes	12/12/2014 11:01 AM
49	Appearance of their homes. One bad home makes the whole block look like crap.	12/12/2014 10:39 AM
50	Financial education, learning how to budget and save. Library programs may not be reaching those who need it most.	12/12/2014 10:30 AM
51	low income housing	12/12/2014 9:56 AM
52	Transportation and employment that pay a living wage	12/12/2014 8:54 AM
53	LACK OF AVAILABILITY	12/11/2014 12:38 PM
54	Housing, Food, Health Services	12/8/2014 5:06 PM
55	transportation, health/mental health services	12/8/2014 3:04 PM
56	Mental health is an issue in Schaumburg that, if left untreated, can be a primary obstacle keeping low- and moderate- income residents from being able to improve their lives and becoming better community members. The Family Counseling Center services many of these community members and greatly helps in often unseen ways.	12/8/2014 10:20 AM
57	My sense would be that transportation may be challenging. If someone does not have a car, it can be quite difficult to get around. Pace/Metra fill some of the gap...increasing awareness/visibility of existing transp routes would help as well as increasing awareness/availability of other non-car options.	12/7/2014 10:57 PM
58	Shortage of affordable housing and lack of employment opportunities	12/7/2014 12:12 PM
59	I do not know, I am not in that category	12/6/2014 3:22 PM
60	Lack of affordable rental housing.	12/6/2014 12:08 PM

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61	taxes high rent	12/6/2014 8:56 AM
62	rental affordability	12/6/2014 8:35 AM
63	Paying their bills	12/6/2014 7:37 AM
64	Paying for property taxes if they are homeowners	12/5/2014 11:06 PM
65	The price of the homes. Low income folks don't have the down payment and can't afford the monthly payments for most homes in Schaumburg.	12/5/2014 6:53 PM
66	Living Wage jobs and the fact that everything else is going up but salaries are not	12/5/2014 5:36 PM
67	Jobs and job training.	12/5/2014 5:35 PM
68	Social Services. Remove the services after a period of time so they do not become dependent on them. Motivation.	12/5/2014 5:20 PM
69	housing prices	12/5/2014 4:34 PM
70	I believe that the housing that is used as rentals for low or moderate income residents are properties that are somewhat ignored by owners and allowed to become eyesores to the overall community	12/5/2014 3:31 PM
71	lack of voice and choice.	12/5/2014 2:52 PM
72	N/A	12/5/2014 1:00 PM
73	transportation to areas of business in Schaumburg in a timely manner	12/5/2014 12:56 PM
74	Availability of housing and public transportation	12/5/2014 12:41 PM
75	The cost to live in this area and transportation difficulties	12/5/2014 12:16 PM
76	high property value and taxes	12/5/2014 11:55 AM
77	Not enough support	12/5/2014 11:02 AM
78	The level of taxes are burdening the low and moderate income residents until they are unable to keep their homes resulting in an inordinate amount of rentals (no real attachment to the community).	12/5/2014 10:45 AM
79	High taxes	12/5/2014 10:33 AM
80	high property tax	12/5/2014 10:03 AM
81	Residents not willing to work - collecting aid	12/5/2014 10:00 AM
82	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:53 AM
83	housing cost	12/5/2014 9:27 AM
84	not enough of it	12/5/2014 9:19 AM
85	Being motivated	12/5/2014 9:18 AM
86	Housing - since rents and ownership costs are high compared to low and moderate incomes.	12/5/2014 9:13 AM
87	Affordable housing.	12/5/2014 9:06 AM
88	cook county taxes	12/5/2014 9:02 AM
89	Lack of affordable housing	12/5/2014 9:01 AM
90	Jobs	12/5/2014 8:41 AM
91	paying taxes and utilities	12/5/2014 8:16 AM
92	Taxes	12/5/2014 7:55 AM
93	High Property Taxes. We have lived here for 15 years and our Property Taxes have doubled. Now that I am unemployed, we can't afford to live in area due to this and we are forced to move.	12/5/2014 7:49 AM

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94	not being able to get loans to repair homes due to home values dld not recover from pre 2007 levels	12/5/2014 7:37 AM
95	Minimum wage is not enough to get by	12/5/2014 7:32 AM
96	Increasing property taxes and fees	12/5/2014 7:28 AM
97	High Taxes & utilities, affordable internet and TV....can't we start a program similar to the one the village has with Com Ed? That one was great!	12/5/2014 7:20 AM
98	PROPERTY TAXES ARE TOO HIGH TO MAKE INVESTORS BUY SUCH PROPERTIES AND THEN RENT THEM AT BELOW MARKET RATES TO MAKE A PROFIT. PROVIDE SUBSIDIES FROM THE HUD GRANT TO SUPPLEMENT RENTS.	12/5/2014 7:16 AM
99	High prices	12/4/2014 1:54 PM
100	JOBS.	12/4/2014 10:30 AM
101	Education	12/4/2014 10:22 AM
102	Safety and crime prevention in lower income residential areas.	12/4/2014 9:01 AM
103	Food, paying bills	12/3/2014 3:55 PM
104	Maintaining property is difficult for some low and moderate income people. Maintaining the inside as well as outside.	12/3/2014 1:23 PM
105	Rentals tend to be high, a lot of people can not get mortgages because they can not save for a down payment when they live paycheck to paycheck, its hard to find a decent sized rental for families that you are not paying all your income to rent. Landlords have to sometimes charge more because they decide to rent out due to moving but not getting values of home and have to pay the extra taxes as well. the trickle effect...	12/3/2014 12:57 PM
106	living in Schaumburg is expensive. buying anything here is costly.	12/3/2014 12:49 PM
107	i do not believe that electric, water or gas service should ever be turned off. To me this is a safety issue.	12/3/2014 11:54 AM
108	If they have no car it is hard to get to places in a spread out suburban area	12/3/2014 11:48 AM

Q20 How can the Village of Schaumburg help improve the local economic situation?

Answered: 98 Skipped: 190

#	Responses	Date
1	stop the tear downs so neighborhoods don't change too soon	1/8/2015 6:17 PM
2	Lower House Tax	1/8/2015 6:12 PM
3	Lower School Taxes	1/8/2015 5:59 PM
4	Review and determine if business regulations remain needed.	1/8/2015 5:52 PM
5	Reduce High Cost of Commodities and Taxes	1/8/2015 5:42 PM
6	Get more Business/ jobs to our area	1/8/2015 3:06 PM
7	Create Jobs	1/8/2015 2:53 PM
8	Some Incentive to increase homeownership	1/8/2015 2:49 PM
9	Keep village clean and a desirable place to live.	1/8/2015 2:43 PM
10	I think all the new rentals and homes under construction will hopefully bring in more taxes and give us residents some relief.	1/8/2015 2:38 PM
11	By providing more low income housing options, financial and homebuying assistance and workshops. Providing employment Opportunities.	1/8/2015 2:16 PM
12	Continue as Mayor Larson has done. Bring small business. replace dominicks at Roselle/Schaumburg Rd with a Grocery Business.	1/8/2015 12:59 PM
13	Continue to think out of the box and focus on the big picture.	1/8/2015 12:43 PM
14	Increase ability for Business Ownership	1/8/2015 12:22 PM
15	Education of Residents on Resources Available and job opportunities for all in the Village.	1/8/2015 10:50 AM
16	Hire the Jobless and the Homeless!	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
17	Continue drawing in new businesses	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
18	Do not allow undocumented immigrants	1/8/2015 10:38 AM
19	Lower the Taxes! I'd rather pay for my garbage removal and Sticker than Village Taxes for things I/my family don't even use.	1/8/2015 10:37 AM
20	Promote Small Business Opportunities in a creative ways.	1/4/2015 12:46 AM
21	Advertise radio	1/3/2015 12:06 AM
22	Lower tax rate	1/2/2015 8:15 PM
23	It can't. Government cannot regulate economics or grow an economy. You can increase services available to disabled/elderly and increase food at the pantry. That is about it.	1/2/2015 1:10 PM
24	improve schools, keep taxes low, limit section 8 when possible.	1/2/2015 12:46 PM
25	Maybe assistance with first year rent/lease for new businesses like Bartlett. I heard this, not sure if it's true or not. I'm talking about new small businesses not near the woodfield area. Look at the vacant spots in strip malls. I would love to open a business but can't afford the rent for what I want to start.	1/2/2015 12:29 PM
26	lower property taxes	1/2/2015 11:31 AM
27	Make the village more attractive. Aesthetically and financially. And not just the same area that always gets all the improvements. Everything else follows from this.	1/2/2015 11:21 AM

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28	no comment	1/2/2015 11:16 AM
29	provide businesses incentives to want to have their business here and offer high-quality jobs -- not store cashiers for minimum wage.	1/2/2015 9:47 AM
30	By being business friendly, especially small businesses.	12/26/2014 3:21 PM
31	Jobs are the key. Maybe provide incentives for area businesses to hire residents (especially older workers)? I lost my full-time job at age 62. I've been actively searching and interviewing, but it's been very difficult. Age discrimination is alive and well.	12/26/2014 10:28 AM
32	Bringing more corporates to Schaumburg	12/19/2014 3:55 PM
33	Doing very good job bringing new businesses to area. Keep it up!	12/19/2014 10:40 AM
34	lower taxes	12/18/2014 5:08 PM
35	attract new small business	12/15/2014 11:24 AM
36	Village is going a good job of attracting businesses, however when businesses get property tax breaks that cause the property tax of residents to rise disproportionately, it adversely effects both residents AND businesses as residents have less \$\$ to spend.	12/14/2014 1:24 PM
37	Fill unoccupied stores/businesses	12/13/2014 4:46 PM
38	set limits on 611 and 54 raising taxes	12/12/2014 9:59 PM
39	Keep taxing bodies from over taxing small business with restrictions and regulations Stop catering to the big corporations, leaving the small business owner to fail.	12/12/2014 11:20 AM
40	Get more businesses in Schaumburg - offer more tax incentives.	12/12/2014 11:01 AM
41	status quo	12/12/2014 10:39 AM
42	Financial assistance to residents for increased education. Education is the long-term answer to the economic standstill and lack of growth.	12/12/2014 10:30 AM
43	Has improved already	12/12/2014 9:56 AM
44	Ease traffic congestion, cut down on crime, more patrols in the neighborhoods, better snow removal in winter so people can actually get to their homes and businesses.	12/12/2014 8:54 AM
45	WORK ACTIVELY TO PROVIDE NEEDED SERVICES	12/11/2014 12:38 PM
46	Entice larger companies to move to Schaumburg. Convince Motorola to sell some of their property. Bring in manufacturers to give people higher wages and ability to stay in their homes. Loss of manufacturing in this country has destroyed the middle class.	12/10/2014 9:56 AM
47	I would prefer to fully review the current plans for this topic before I would be able to provide an educated answer.	12/8/2014 5:06 PM
48	Keep working to develop non-Woodfield mall type of development...diversify our tax base and find other ways to use vacant space.	12/7/2014 10:57 PM
49	Review regulations that may be burdensome to start up businesses.	12/7/2014 12:12 PM
50	More local business	12/6/2014 3:22 PM
51	Encourage more businesses to move to Schaumburg. Schaumburg needs a supermarket to replace the empty former Dominick's location next to the Schaumburg Township District Library. it has been almost a year now that Dominicks has left that location, and the residents of central Schaumburg could really use a supermarket there. Kudos to the Village of Schaumburg for getting a Trader Joes Supermarket to open this spring at Golf and Meacham Roads!	12/6/2014 12:08 PM
52	cut costs of village employees	12/6/2014 8:56 AM
53	Focus on assistance for small business formation and support. Small businesses turn into medium businesses then big ones	12/6/2014 8:35 AM
54	Eliminate the property tax levy. The economy is back and sales tax revenues are also back. Put the property tax levy back to where it was - 0%!	12/5/2014 11:06 PM

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55	Transportation. Congestion might discourage additional businesses. Therefore VoS needs to make sure that traffic flows.	12/5/2014 6:53 PM
56	Keep property taxes low.	12/5/2014 6:28 PM
57	Don't prey on it's citizens - gambling. Run things like you would your own home - with integrity and not overspending or skimming.	12/5/2014 5:36 PM
58	Continue to have a good business environment, especially for small businesses. Also, do everything possible to improve job training.	12/5/2014 5:35 PM
59	Reduce taxes. Remove crime. Encourage small business start ups. Remove strip malls and create destination locations.	12/5/2014 5:20 PM
60	I think that some of the taxes are hurting us, for example the taxes at restaurants are higher than neighboring towns. I am referring to family type establishments not "expense account" type venues.	12/5/2014 3:31 PM
61	educate & provide resources to engage forward movement.	12/5/2014 2:52 PM
62	Business development	12/5/2014 1:00 PM
63	Shuttle buses that go from neighborhoods to the transportation center and the malls so people can work at P/T jobs. For example, I was without a car for 6 weeks and I walked and took the bus and transportation time took 4X my normal travel time (in a car) because the buses don't run close to neighborhoods at frequent times. Maybe a shuttle like the one that goes through for festivals hourly? I think that would get more people working those hard to fill jobs.	12/5/2014 12:56 PM
64	attract additional businesses and retailers for vacant sites especially in areas outside of Woodfield. Job creation for professional, technology and managerial professionals.	12/5/2014 12:26 PM
65	Continue to support businesses	12/5/2014 12:16 PM
66	Provide assistance to those facing the loss of their homes.	12/5/2014 10:45 AM
67	Encourage more business	12/5/2014 10:37 AM
68	?	12/5/2014 10:33 AM
69	bring in more unique/ specialized stores, not just the big train stores or hotels that are also doing business/ have stores in other towns.	12/5/2014 10:03 AM
70	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:53 AM
71	reduce sales tax	12/5/2014 9:19 AM
72	help businesses - advertise, cooperation programs, endorsements	12/5/2014 9:18 AM
73	Schaumburg already does a great job of improving our economy by attracting and retaining a variety of businesses. Simply maintaining this priority will be key.	12/5/2014 9:13 AM
74	Make it easier for businesses & current employers to hire people.	12/5/2014 9:06 AM
75	?	12/5/2014 9:02 AM
76	Encourage new business	12/5/2014 9:01 AM
77	The best way to improve the local economy is by continuing to foster a strong business presence in the community - something Schaumburg has done very well at. Equally important is to keep spending down to support low property and sales taxes.	12/5/2014 8:51 AM
78	Improve the F grade intersection of Schaumburg & Roselle Road.	12/5/2014 8:50 AM
79	More jobs are needed. Jobs pay for housing and healthcare.	12/5/2014 8:41 AM
80	Many grocery stores in the area have closed, so replace the grocery stores that have closed with chain stores that have affordable prices.	12/5/2014 8:16 AM
81	Don't charge a village real estate tax.	12/5/2014 7:55 AM

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82	When a business posts a job, provide them an incentive to hire older and unemployed people.	12/5/2014 7:49 AM
83	Don't add anymore section 8 housing!	12/5/2014 7:49 AM
84	help with developing large big box stores that are vacant	12/5/2014 7:37 AM
85	Keep taxes low	12/5/2014 7:28 AM
86	Let Harper College use the rooms of local high schools for satellite classes. They're open in the evening's anyway and they can be used for job training without having to build any more schools.	12/5/2014 7:20 AM
87	CREATE MORE TIF AREAS - ESPECIALLY AROUND THE LIBRARY THIS AREA IS A GHOST TOWN.	12/5/2014 7:16 AM
88	Further development of transportation modes including connecting bike paths, reducing traffic congestion, and enhancing airport facilities.	12/4/2014 9:41 PM
89	City provides internet services that we buy - instead of using comcast.	12/4/2014 1:54 PM
90	Lower local taxes on property. Encourage lower property taxes through lower pension liability on public union employees within the village.	12/4/2014 10:30 AM
91	more public transportation to help people get to jobs locally	12/4/2014 9:01 AM
92	I think we can offer a tax abatement program to prospective new businesses entering the area and to businesses looking to leave the area for lower taxes. We have many empty commercial buildings that would be more likely filled with a program such as this.	12/4/2014 8:21 AM
93	Education, Jobs, offer start-up access to vacant business till they are rented out.	12/3/2014 10:09 PM
94	Again, the meal program in the schools is a huge need. Help those in need prepare budgets, pay bills. Work with those in pre-foreclosure or unemployed to keep their homes at all costs.	12/3/2014 3:55 PM
95	1) Keep the village stake in the convention center; it will pay off! 2) Focus some effort on filling the large retail vacancies, like the former Dominick's locations at Higgins/Meacham and Roselle/Schaumburg; 3) Incentivize local businesses to commit to paying higher than minimum wage; this is the key to increasing consumer spending.	12/3/2014 1:42 PM
96	Bring more businesses to the community and more jobs	12/3/2014 1:26 PM
97	maybe by helping with after school care for a lower cost for lower income families, or assistance or a loan program for rental deposit that sometimes people can not afford, clubs for kids to go play basketball. offer substance abuse awareness, the dare program seems to only cover marijuana, cigarettes and alcohol, harsher drugs such as meth and heroin are taking over and we need to make the youth aware how highly addictive these drugs are and how they can ruin their lives, also things like food pantries are great but maybe some sort of delivery to those who are need do to disability, injury, no transportation to pantry. I think its more important to help the residents than to add landscaping and making the village beautiful unless offering it as a volunteer service or as a community service for juveniles who get in trouble in or out of school	12/3/2014 12:57 PM
98	Ongoing and continuous effort to encourage businesses to locate in Schaumburg.	12/3/2014 9:36 AM

Q21 How can the Village improve awareness about programs that benefit residents?

Answered: 91 Skipped: 197

#	Responses	Date
1	Newsletter, twitter, social media	1/9/2015 10:27 AM
2	Let us know what we have available.	1/8/2015 6:12 PM
3	advertise not all have email or smart phone.	1/8/2015 5:54 PM
4	spots on TV	1/8/2015 5:52 PM
5	Training programs	1/8/2015 5:47 PM
6	Provide or Benefit on Senior Discounts on all products and purchases.	1/8/2015 5:42 PM
7	Keep neighborhood Watch programs! They work!	1/8/2015 3:06 PM
8	I think the village does a good job communicating with its residents.	1/8/2015 2:53 PM
9	Send letters, emails with available programs.	1/8/2015 2:49 PM
10	Let humans operate the Village, not electronic prompts on recorded messages. Put People to work!	1/8/2015 2:43 PM
11	i think the village does pretty well now with this.	1/8/2015 2:38 PM
12	Fliers and pamphlets distributed to homes, not all have computers. Also, have information at September fest.	1/8/2015 2:30 PM
13	more frequent brief flyers / mailings, easy to read	1/8/2015 2:26 PM
14	Sending out information via newsletters, email, etc.	1/8/2015 2:16 PM
15	Keep putting info on the website.	1/8/2015 12:59 PM
16	Address the programs and program of work in the Village by putting the news on the local T.V. as the Schaumburg Library does.	1/8/2015 12:47 PM
17	Provide more meetings, speak with local community members and agencies to help get the word out	1/8/2015 12:22 PM
18	Schedule Outreach events - Grocery Stores, Beauty Parlors, etc.	1/8/2015 10:54 AM
19	Door Hangers. Posting in Grocery stores and pharmacies, especially for women and children who are being abused and feel hopeless with no knowledge of where to turn.	1/8/2015 10:50 AM
20	List the Programs in the "Crier" / And on the Village Website	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
21	Advertise on Village Website. Have information available at Library, Township Offices.	1/8/2015 10:39 AM
22	Include them with park district catalog	1/8/2015 10:37 AM
23	Conduct regular sessions and reach out community associations to bring awareness in better ways and effectively keep up with these efforts	1/4/2015 12:46 AM
24	Social Media	1/2/2015 8:15 PM
25	Send out informational flyers more frequently. Make the (current) booklets with fewer pages.	1/2/2015 1:43 PM
26	Newsletters via email	1/2/2015 12:46 PM
27	Flyers in windows of local businesses.	1/2/2015 12:29 PM
28	include it in the Cracker Barrel	1/2/2015 11:31 AM
29	Facebook, Twitter, direct email campaigns.	1/2/2015 11:21 AM

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30	more community events!	1/2/2015 11:16 AM
31	Provide an Information Fair during the winter when families are looking for activities. It could be held at the Prairie Center or a park district building, or the library. Have booths setup for answering questions about the service or with pamphlets of information. Provide a few small kid friendly activities (meet the crime dog mascot, an area where they can put on a fireman's hat and take their picture, meet a fireman or policeman, have a corner where a few members of the youth orchestra play music, provide free small bags of popcorn, or a balloon, etc.). This encourages a family friendly environment that gets parents in the door. If held at a larger location you could reach out to the Schaumburg businesses who could have the opportunity to have a booth and sell snack foods, give away sample products, coupons, while promoting their business. Continue with typical media: Newspapers, Village Website, Facebook, and twitter. Pamphlets left at public places like our library, the village buildings or stores. One example is Whole foods provides an area for pamphlets at the exit. Temporary information booths set up in Grocery store, Walgreen's, the Park district, or library that provide a small give-away for children (even a piece of candy, magnet, something small) with an employee who could provide information on that topic and pass out pamphlet.	1/2/2015 9:47 AM
32	I think the Village of Schaumburg does an outstanding job in keeping its citizens informed of all the services and programs available to them, e.g., Cracker Barrel, Online Newsletter, etc.	12/26/2014 3:21 PM
33	I learned about things through the Newsletter and the Town Crier; I really appreciate those.	12/26/2014 10:28 AM
34	outreach	12/19/2014 3:55 PM
35	Post in newsletters.	12/19/2014 10:40 AM
36	communicate through churches and community centers	12/15/2014 11:24 AM
37	Complete info should be available via websites/social media. Very spotty info in some instances. People need to know income qualifications at the very least. Also outreach programs at events and libraries.	12/14/2014 1:24 PM
38	the village is doing a great job with the web site	12/12/2014 9:59 PM
39	Use USPS	12/12/2014 11:20 AM
40	Advertise more	12/12/2014 11:01 AM
41	They are doing well with this now.	12/12/2014 10:39 AM
42	By targeting individuals and their specific needs. In other words, if a person goes to a bank for a loan on a house, the bank could tell about classes.	12/12/2014 10:30 AM
43	A monthly fliers with reminders.	12/12/2014 9:56 AM
44	Make services more prominent on the website, put out special mailings on programs, get out into low income areas go door to door	12/12/2014 8:54 AM
45	THE VILLAGE ALREADY HAS SEVERAL VENUES - WEBSITE, NEWSLETTER, CRACKER BARREL	12/11/2014 12:38 PM
46	The VOS has a wonderful weekly newsletter in & has greatly improved their Social Media presence over the past year.	12/8/2014 5:06 PM
47	Consider using special emails to residents highlighting only programs that may benefit residents. Also do same in special section of Cracker Barrel.	12/7/2014 12:12 PM
48	Using the Schaumburg Newsletter and website	12/6/2014 3:22 PM
49	Make sure all information is available on both the Village web site and the Village of Schaumburg's Facebook page. I think the Village of Schaumburg does a good job of keeping residents informed.	12/6/2014 12:08 PM
50	better newsletter website???	12/6/2014 8:56 AM
51	feature them in articles in weekly emails to residents, (believe it or not we do actually read the articles) Link and create short U tube videos that feature services.	12/6/2014 8:35 AM
52	The newsletter and news releases to the Daily Herald.	12/5/2014 11:06 PM
53	The weekly e-newsletter is great. Very efficient.	12/5/2014 6:53 PM
54	All social media avenues - email, robo calls	12/5/2014 5:36 PM
55	Through the local media, Cracker Barrel, and Schaumburg's e-newsletter.	12/5/2014 5:35 PM

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56	This survey is a good start. My guess is that the persons needing assistance will not take the time to explain what they need. I'd be curious to see the results of the survey and how many people complete it and then how the village decides to fund the programs based on the results.	12/5/2014 5:20 PM
57	What programs? I read the Cracker Barrel and Newsletter. I can think of fresh food for Seniors during the summer and dial a ride but am drawing a blank on other services. Maybe I don't notice them seeing I don't have children.	12/5/2014 4:34 PM
58	It would behoove the elected officials to get out and walk the neighborhoods at some time other than election time, and because of no opposition they don't even do it then.	12/5/2014 3:31 PM
59	ask for people to share what has been gained by overcoming and publicize.	12/5/2014 2:52 PM
60	N/A	12/5/2014 1:00 PM
61	This survey is a good start! Love the e-mail newsletter! More postings at the Library?	12/5/2014 12:56 PM
62	Through articles in the press.	12/5/2014 12:16 PM
63	more emails to residents who subscribe to village newsletter	12/5/2014 11:55 AM
64	More emails, mailing to all	12/5/2014 11:02 AM
65	More emails addressing problems. Perhaps more community meetings.	12/5/2014 10:45 AM
66	News letter	12/5/2014 10:33 AM
67	If Schaumburg officials truly love America and the principles of personal freedom upon which it was founded, they will wholeheartedly reject any and all funds from the Federal government due to the fact that by accepting those funds they are complicit in binding the residents of Schaumburg against their will to UN Agenda 21 and violating residents constitutional rights.	12/5/2014 9:53 AM
68	continue promoting about and on social media and emails	12/5/2014 9:27 AM
69	notes with water bills	12/5/2014 9:19 AM
70	Maybe develop a theme that's catchy...think seasonally or by sports...get creative!	12/5/2014 9:18 AM
71	Expanded social media presence; direct mailings; perhaps make informational brochures available at local businesses to reach patrons and employees	12/5/2014 9:13 AM
72	Throw up some signs in major traffic areas like grocery stores, etc. How about an electric sign that states services. Hoffman Ests has a new one now & it's nice.	12/5/2014 9:06 AM
73	?	12/5/2014 9:02 AM
74	Annually send residents a handbook about what, how, where, when to access Village services.	12/5/2014 9:01 AM
75	Find ways to encourage people to use Schaumburg's local website and regular e-mail communications. The e-mails are great. This where I get my local information from.	12/5/2014 8:51 AM
76	Continue to advertise services and programs in the weekly or monthly Village and Township newsletters.	12/5/2014 8:50 AM
77	Offer occasional informational programs at the library that introduce these Village programs to new and uninformed residents.	12/5/2014 8:16 AM
78	Continually put items in the newsletters and online as what I don't need today, I may need month.	12/5/2014 7:49 AM
79	Website posts	12/5/2014 7:32 AM
80	State where the center of town is at and have information brochures and an information attendant to assist. Schaumburg needs to develop one area that is considered the town center. It has never been clear and I have lived here since 1987.	12/5/2014 7:28 AM
81	e-mail is probably the best way for most residents.	12/5/2014 7:20 AM
82	HOLD MORE TOWN HALL TYPES OF MEETING WITH AN OPEN INFORMAL FORUM WITH NO AGENDA. HAVE VILLAGE OFFICIALS VISIT COMMUNITY AREAS WHERE THE RESIDENTS CONGREGATE SUCH AS THE GYMS, PRESCHOOLS WHERE PARENTS DROP OFF KIDS EVERY MORNING, LIBRARY. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE MAYOR, FEW RESIDENTS KNOW WHO THEIR TOWN OFFICIALS ARE.	12/5/2014 7:16 AM
83	social media	12/4/2014 9:01 AM

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84	An integrated online system, phone app and email system newsletter/information system that residents can receive push notifications from.	12/4/2014 8:21 AM
85	Good question! Provide a place to sign-up and create a tip of the day that provide awareness about programs to residents.	12/3/2014 10:09 PM
86	Communications -- Pickle Barrel, etc.	12/3/2014 5:06 PM
87	Village wide mailers - just like Cracker Barrel or the Park district book - send out something 4 times a year with information on how to seek help and what is available.	12/3/2014 3:55 PM
88	Through village texts, Facebook, tv station?	12/3/2014 1:26 PM
89	I believe the village does a good job. It might help if you used social media better, specifically Facebook. I noticed that your Facebook links to twitter frequently and a lot of people still don't use or understand how to use twitter.	12/3/2014 1:23 PM
90	include them on the website, send flyers in the monthly flyer	12/3/2014 12:57 PM
91	I think the village does an excellent job letting residents know what's available .	12/3/2014 11:54 AM

Q22 Thank you for taking the survey. If you have questions about the survey, please contact the Community Development Department at 847-923-4430 or at mwarneke@villageofschaumburg.com. If you wish to be contacted about the results of the survey, please provide your contact information below.

Answered: 36 Skipped: 252

Answer Choices	Responses	
Name (Optional):	86.11%	31
Email (Optional):	100.00%	36
Phone (Optional):	55.56%	20

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