

**Polk County Board of County Commissioners**  
**Announces**  
**Request for Applications (RFA) for Public & Homeless Services**  
CDBG (Community Development Block Grant)  
ESG (Emergency Solutions Grant Funding)  
2022-2023 Annual Action Plan

**Virtual Workshop for Technical Assistance**  
**Tuesday, February 22, 2022, at 9:30 a.m.**

The Polk County Housing & Neighborhood Development Office is Requesting Applications (RFA) for – FY 2022-2023 for Public Services and Homeless Services using Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds. A virtual workshop will be held **Tuesday, February 22, 2022, at 9:30 a.m.** to review and discuss the application process.

The Polk County Housing and Neighborhood Development Office is **seeking qualified** organizations to administer public/homeless services programs that meet the following priority community needs: serves disabled persons, prevents child abuse or neglect, serves homeless persons, assists victims of domestic violence, provides youth services, provides senior services, provides health services or provides employment and skills training opportunities to low- and moderate-income persons and households in FY 2022-2023.

Polk County anticipates awarding an estimated amount of funds up to **\$600,000** from the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and up to **\$302,050** from the Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) depending on funding availability. Interested **non-profit organizations** are invited to apply to implement public/homeless services programs using these funds.

This application will be submitted electronically utilizing Neighborly Software. To be added as a vendor or for additional information, email [HNDRequests@polk-county.net](mailto:HNDRequests@polk-county.net). Completed proposals must be submitted into Neighborly Portal online no later **4:59 P.M., Wednesday, March 23, 2022.**

Applicants are encouraged to attend the virtual technical assistance workshop via Zoom on, **Tuesday, February 22, 2022**, at 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. prior to applying in the Neighborly Portal. For interested persons, please join the Zoom by clicking on the meeting link or call in:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85846777246?pwd=OXB3d2s1d2xWNlZPb0JjTHBEVkJZaZz09>

Meeting ID: 858 4677 7246

Passcode: 746339

Dial by your location  
301-715-8592 US (Washington DC)  
646-558-8656 US (New York)

For questions or comments about these programs contact Nancy Hurley, Housing Compliance Manager, at (863) 534-5244 or email [NancyHurley@polk-county.net](mailto:NancyHurley@polk-county.net). For limited English proficiency - Para información en español, puede comunicarse con Idalia Gonzalez al (863) 534-5240.

This information is available in ADA accessibility format that incorporates the needs of persons with disabilities in accessing the information provided. The link to this information on the HND website is <https://www.polk-county.net/housing-and-neighborhood-development>.

In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing special accommodations to participate in this proceeding should contact the Communications Office not later than forty-eight hours prior to the proceeding. Their offices are located in the Polk County Administration Building, 330 West Church Street in Bartow. Telephone (863) 534-6090, TDD (863) 534-7777 or 1-800-955-8771, Voice Impaired 1-800-955-8770 via Florida Relay Service.



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