

Second Public Hearing
Mecklenburg County Small Business Recovery Assistance Program

The County of Mecklenburg will hold a public hearing on **July 1, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.** via virtual meeting to solicit public input on the proposed COVID-19 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application submitted to the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development (VDHCD) for COVID-19 Emergency response for small businesses negatively impacted by the current pandemic.

To participate virtually, please connect via Zoom using the **Meeting ID# 996 2284 4803** and **Password# 052157**. To participate without internet, please call **(301) 715 8592** and use the Meeting ID and Password # above.

The Mecklenburg County Small Business Recovery Assistance Project application will include the following activities: Grant assistance to small businesses adversely impacted by COVID-19 in the form of space and technology upgrades, sanitation supplies, job training/technical assistance, rent/mortgage assistance, and utility assistance.

A detailed fact sheet will be presented for comment along with information on the amount of funding available, eligible businesses, eligible and ineligible activities, the application process, and the disbursement of funds. Citizens will also be given the opportunity to comment on the County's past use of CDBG funds.

Businesses interested in participating should visit www.mecklenburgva.com to review the fact sheet and fill out the interest form. For additional information, contact Sangi Cooper, Southside Planning District Commission, 200 S. Mecklenburg Ave., South Hill, VA 23970, by phone: (434) 447-7101 ext. 203, or by email: scooper@southsidepdc.org.

Comments and grievances can be submitted in writing to the County of Mecklenburg at P.O. Box 307, Boydton, VA 23917 or by phone at 434-738-6191 and/or Virginia Relay 7-1-1 until July 1, 2020.

If you plan to attend and have any special needs requirements, please call the number listed above.