

STATE OF ILLINOIS PUBLIC NOTICE

State of Illinois Disaster Recovery Action Plan Amendment for
Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) Program
Pursuant to Federal Register Notice FR-5696-N-09.

On June 3, 2014, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) announced a supplemental allocation of \$6,800,000 of Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds to support the State of Illinois continued recovery efforts from disasters occurring in 2011, 2012 and 2013.

Prior to releasing the funds, HUD requires that grantees create an Action Plan Amendment that documents the proposed use of funds, and publish it for public input. HUD approved the State's initial Action Plan prior to release of the June 3, 2013 Federal Register.

The most recent amendment, Action Plan is available for public review. The Action Plan is available on the State's website at <http://www.illinois.gov/dceo/CommunityServices/DisasterRecovery/Pages/2013CDBGDR.aspx>. Copies of the Action Plan Amendment are also available without charge, to anyone requesting copies by calling:

**DCEO CDBG PROGRAM OFFICE-SPRINGFIELD
(217) 785-6174;
TDD: (800) 785-6055**

Please take notice that the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) Office of Community Development will hold a public hearing on **Thursday, October 2, 2014 from 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm** to give all interested persons an opportunity to present oral and written comments on the Action Plan Amendment.

To ensure maximum convenience for the public, the hearing will be held at:

Illinois State Library
300 South 2nd Street
1st Floor, Illinois Authors Room
Springfield, Illinois 62701

Comments may also be submitted in writing at the public hearing, by e-mail at Kirsti.carter@illinois.gov, or by mail to the attention of Frankie Atwater, Assistant Deputy Director office of Community Development 500 E. Monroe Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701. Comments received after 5:00 pm on October 2, 2014 will not be considered.

The public hearings are accessible to people who are mobility impaired. Sign language interpreter services and/or other interpretation services will be provided, upon advance request by contacting our office at (217)558-4106 or email Kirsti.carter@illinois.gov three (3) days before the hearing for which the services are being requested.

Information regarding any change in the hearing schedule will be posted at the above mentioned website at least two hours before the scheduled start time of the hearing.