

# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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## **CITY OF McALLEN HOMELESS PREVENTION AND RAPID RE-HOUSING PROGRAM (HPRP) REQUEST FOR FUNDS APPLICATION**

The City of McAllen Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Department is now accepting applications for the Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP). Applicants with programs specifically designed to meet HPRP objectives are encouraged to obtain an application at the Community Development Office located at 200 S. 10<sup>th</sup> St., Ste. 1300, McAllen, Texas, by calling (956) 972-7241 or by downloading an application from [www.mcallen.net](http://www.mcallen.net).

The deadline for submission of applications and related materials is Monday, August 10, 2009 by 4:00 P.M.

HPRP funds were made available to the City through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009. All expenditures and reporting are subject to maintaining transparency and posting on the ARRA website. 60% of the City's allocation of \$733,518 must be expended within 2 years with the remaining balance liquidated by the 3<sup>rd</sup> year.

HPRP is divided into: (1) Homeless Prevention: individuals and families who are currently in rental units and (2) Rapid Re-Housing: individuals and families who meet HUD's definition of homeless, including persons living in shelters or in places not meant for human habitation. HPRP clients must be at or below 50% of HUD's area median income limit and be threatened with homelessness.

HPRP funds may be used for:

- rental and utility assistance
- security deposits
- moving costs
- credit repair
- hotel vouchers
- case management
- housing placement costs
- HMIS operating costs
- staff salaries
- administrative expenses

If you have any questions, please call the Community Development Office at (956) 972-7241.