

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with 24 CFR 91.105(d) and 91.520 the City of Birmingham, Alabama (hereinafter referred to as "the City") has prepared its Program Year (PY) 2008 Proposed Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for the period July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009.

The Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report includes a summary of programmatic accomplishments and an assessment of progress toward the priorities identified in the City's U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) PY 2005-2010 approved five year strategic plan and PY 2008 Action Plan. To do so, the report is essentially composed of an executive summary, a series of general questions relating to overall program performance; narrative statements which provide the status of actions taken during the year to implement the City's overall strategy; and a self evaluation which evaluates progress made during the past year in addressing identified priority needs and objectives.

The HUD Integrated Disbursement & Information System (HUD-IDIS) provides the following reports which have been downloaded and are also available for review. They are as follows:

* Summary of Accomplishments Report (CO4PR23): Presents data on the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Home Investment Partnership (HOME) program activity counts and disbursements by priority need categories. It also contains data on CDBG accomplishments by various units of measure and housing units by racial/ethnic categories and HOME housing units by various income groups.

* Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (C04PR06): Tracks progress in implementing projects identified in the City's PY 2008 Action Plan. This report lists all projects for a plan year in sequence by project number. Disbursements are summarized by program for each project's activities. Accomplishments reported for the program year are summarized for each program area.

* Summary of Activities (CO4PR03): Lists each CDBG activity which was open during the PY 2008 program year. For each activity the report shows the status, accomplishments, and program year narrative and program year expenditures. For each activity the report also shows the activity code, regulation cite and characteristics of the beneficiaries.

* Financial Summary Report: The report has been prepared using HUD Form 4949-3 and by following the procedures described in Appendix 3 of the HUD Grantee Performance Report Handbook (Handbook 6510.2 Rev-2). This report shows the obligations, expenditures which the City has made for PY 2008. The expenditures are

summarized to determine the relevant indicators for low-and moderate-income, planning/administration, public service activities and economic development. This report contains program year information on statutory requirements regarding overall percentage for low-and moderate income benefit.

Copies of the report are available for inspection at the address listed below between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays. The City encourages citizens to review and provide written comments on the report. All comments should be submitted in writing **on or before Tuesday, September 25, 2009; 5:00 p.m., to the following address:**

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The City will consider all timely written views and comments received in developing its Final PY 2008 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report.

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