

**NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND  
NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST A RELEASE OF FUNDS**

**Date of Notice: September 10, 2020**

**Responsible Entity: City of League City**

**Address: 300 West Walker  
League City, TX 77573**

**Phone: 281-554-1098**

**These notices shall satisfy the two separate but related procedural environmental requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of League City for Program Year 2020.**

**NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT**

**The City of League City has determined that the projects to be undertaken in PY 2020 will have no significant impact on the natural or human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Assessment nor an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) are required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at the City of League City's Planning and Development Services office at 500 W. Walker and may be examined or copied Monday through Thursday between 8:00 A.M and 5:00 PM.**

**The PY 2020 activities are:**

**Public Services Exempt from an Environmental Assessment, including \$67,547 for:**

- **Counseling services for elementary, intermediate and high school students**
- **Food Pantry services**
- **Emergency rent and utility assistance**

**Public Infrastructure Project: Reconstruction of Third Street from Wisconsin Ave. to Alabama Ave. utilizing \$292,708 in HUD CDBG funds, with no change in the size, configuration or use of the existing roadway, and determined to be Categorically Excluded from an Environmental Assessment but requiring a Request for Release of Funds.**

**REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS**

**On or about October 16, 2020, the City of League City will submit a request to the U.S. Department of HUD, Fort Worth Regional Office for the release of PY 2020 CDBG funds under U.S. Housing Act of 1937 as amended, and in compliance with 24 CFR 58 to undertake the Public Infrastructure Project known as Third Street Reconstruction for the purpose of milling and repaving a section of Third Street between Wisconsin Avenue and Alabama Avenue, utilizing \$292,708 in HUD CDBG funds.**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**Anyone may submit written comments on the ERR to the Planning and Development Services Department. All comments received by October 19, 2020 will be considered by the City of League City.**

## **ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION**

**The City of League City certifies to the U.S. Department of HUD that John Baumgartner in his capacity as City Manager consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. U.S. Department of HUD's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City of League City to use Program funds.**

## **OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS**

**U.S. Department of HUD will accept objections to its release of fund and the City of League City's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City of League City; (b) the City of League City has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by the U.S. Department of HUD; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to the U.S. Department of HUD's Houston Field Office located at 1301 Fannin Street, Suite 2200, Houston, Texas 77002. Potential objectors should contact the U.S. Department of HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.**

**John Baumgartner, City Manager**