



Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Commission

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

5:00 PM

Hybrid Meeting: City-County Building, Room 321

A. Call To Order & Roll Call

Vice-Chair Jeremiah DeGollon called the meeting to order at 5:00pm with a quorum present.

Staff Present: Joanna Cervantes, Cindy Grady, Michelle Bozeman-Brown, Baltazar De Anda Santana, Barrett Decker

Present 8 - RON JOHNSON, Vice Chair JEREMIAH DEGOLLON, KATHERINE KAMP, MARTIN LACKEY, Supervisor MICHAEL ENGELBERGER, TED GUNDERSON, ANTHONY DARE, and TIM KREFT

Excused 5 - Chair TAYLOR BROWN, Supervisor JEFF GLAZER, CHRISBELLY ANTIMO, DONALD DANTZLER JR, and LOREEN GAGE

B. Consideration of Minutes

1. 3/17/2026 CDBG Commission Meeting Minutes

[2025](#)
[MIN-682](#)

3/17/2026 CDBG COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Attachments: [3.17.2026 CDBG Commission Minutes Draft](#)

Motion was made by Commissioner Tim Kreft and seconded by Supervisor Michael Engelberger to approve the minutes from the March 17, 2026 CDBG Commission meeting. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

C. Reports to Committee

1. CDBG/HOME Program Updates
 - a. 2026 Federal Grant Awards
 - b. 2027 RFP Workshops

Cindy Grady gave an update on the CDBG and HOME grant programs. HUD released the 2026 CDBG and HOME grant award amounts: Dane County will receive \$1,162,167.00 in CDBG funds, and \$589,677.59 in HOME funds. This is an increase from the 2025 CDBG and HOME grant awards.

The CDBG team is hosting two RFP Workshops for the 2027 CDBG and HOME funds: April 23, 2026, in person; and April 24, 2026 virtually. This will allow any interested applicant to learn more about the upcoming 2027 RFPs, program areas being funded, and the evaluation criteria used to score the applications. CDBG Commissioners are encouraged to attend.

CDBG Commission meeting ended at 5:15pm due to lack of quorum. The below items were moved for consideration at the April 21, 2026 CDBG Commission meeting.

D. Action Items

1. 2027 CDBG/HOME RFP & Application Process Updates

[2025](#) 2027 CDBG/HOME RFP & APPLICATION PROCESS UPDATES
[ACT-454](#)

Attachments: [2027 RFP & Application Process Updates - Final v2](#)

2. 2027 CDBG/HOME Application Evaluation Criteria

[2025](#) 2027 CDBG/HOME APPLICATION EVALUATION CRITERIA
[ACT-455](#)

Attachments: [2027 CDBG-HOME Application Evaluation Criteria - Final Draft rev 4.9.2026](#)

E. Future Meeting Items and Dates

May 5, 2026, 5:00pm

F. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

G. Adjourn

Minutes respectfully submitted by Barrett Decker pending Commission approval