

**NOTICE OF PLAN AVAILABILITY AND COMMENT PERIOD  
ERIE COUNTY AND ERIE COUNTY "OBO"  
CDBG CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN**

It is the public policy of the County of Erie to provide for and encourage citizen participation in the planning, implementation and assessment of the County's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program and the CDBG programs of four (4) entitlement municipalities (*commonly referred to as "On Behalf Of" or "OBO" municipalities*) which the County administers: 1) Girard Township, 2) McKean Township, 3) North East Borough, and 4) Edinboro Borough.

To facilitate this policy, the County has developed a new "CDBG Citizen Participation Plan" which sets forth the policies and procedures to maximize opportunity for citizen participation in the community development process. This proposed new plan, if adopted by County Council, will supersede all other CDBG Citizen Participation Plans which may have been adopted by the County of Erie.

Notice is hereby given that the proposed new CDBG Citizen Participation Plan is available for review from March 25 to April 25, 2014 at [www.eriecountyplanning.org](http://www.eriecountyplanning.org), and at the Erie County Department of Planning, Erie County Courthouse, Room 111, 140 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA 16501.

Any persons, groups, or agencies wishing to comment on the Plan should write to the Erie County Department of Planning at the above address or contact the ECDP by phone: (814) 451-6016; fax (814) 451-7000, or email: [jberdis@eriecountygov.org](mailto:jberdis@eriecountygov.org).

After taking into consideration the public comments, the Plan will be forwarded to County Council for adoption at either the May 6 or May 19, 2014 County Council meeting.

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