



2023-24 Annual Action Plan Comment & Project Bid Invitation

Greetings,

Sarasota's Office of Housing and Community Development is accepting input regarding potential projects that benefit low-income households countywide and meet the priority needs described in the Sarasota County Five Year Consolidated Plan for the years 2021-2025. These needs are:

High Priority:

- Production and rehabilitation of affordable housing
- Neighborhood improvement

Low Priority:

- Parks, recreation, or community facilities
- Special needs facilities and services
- Water/sewer improvements
- Homeless outreach and case management
- Public services-general public services such as food pantries

IMPORTANT: Funding for public services is limited by the public services cap of 15% of the grant funding received in a year. For projects that involve construction, the project must be shovel-ready and able to be completed between October 1, 2023, and September 30, 2024. Proposals for funding must be received by March 24, 2023, to be considered for funding during the October 1, 2023-September 30, 2024, program year. Proposals should be submitted to 2023-24ActionPlanComments@sarasotaf1.gov and must include the following:

- Amount of funding requested
- Project preliminary budget
- Project description
- Priority need addressed by the project
- Project location
- Project timeline

Thank you!