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US Department of Housing and Urban Development
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

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

Name, Address, Zip Code of Grant Recipient

Luna County NOTICE
700 South Silver Ave. P.O. Box 551 Date of Publication: July 20, 2021
Deming, NM 88031

Telephone Number

575-546-0494 Application/Grant Number: 20-C-RS-I-01-G-20

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about (*minimum 15 days after date of publication or 18 days after posting*) August 9, 2021 the (*name of grantee*) Luna County will request the US Department of Housing and Urban Development to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) for the following project:

PROJECT TITLE OR NAME: Luna County Health Complex Renovations and Expansion Improvement
PURPOSE OR NATURE OF PROJECT: Health Complex Renovations and Expansion of facility
LOCATION OF PROJECT: 1510 Slate Street, Deming, NM 88031
(Street Address or Name of Neighborhood/District)

City of Deming, Luna County, New Mexico
City, County, State

Census Tract(s)

ESTIMATED COST OF PROJECT: \$1,670,077.00

PROJECT SUMMARY: Luna County, NM intends to complete renovations and expansion improvements to the existing Physical Therapy Building located at 1510 Slate Street in Deming, NM. The Luna County Health Complex Renovations & Expansion Improvements project will be constructed on property owned by Luna County. The proposed project area is located within Township 24 South, Range 9 West, Section 3. The approximate latitude and longitude coordinates are - 32 degrees 15 minutes 12.41 seconds N, 107 degrees 45 minutes 59.82 seconds W. The proposed improvements will consist of plan, design, construct, renovate/remodel, and expand an existing 6,500 square foot building to accommodate the Public Health Office Services; Luna County offices for Children's Medical Services and Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program; Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) program; and Parents as Teachers. The proposed expansion is approximately 2,450 square feet. The project may also include exterior improvements to pave the existing parking lot and provide site lighting if funding is available.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

An environmental review of the project has been made by the Grantee and is available for public examination and copying at the office noted above. Based on this review, the Grantee has determined that a request for release of project funds will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment and hence, an environmental impact statement will not be undertaken under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-910).

The reasons for the decision not to prepare an environmental impact statement are as follows:

The project will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

Public Comment on Finding

All interested agencies, groups or persons disagreeing with these decisions are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the Grantee by *date August 6, 2021*. All comments must clearly specify which decision they object to - The Finding of No Significant Impact or the Request for Release of Funds. All comments so received will be considered by the Grantee prior to its taking any administrative action or requesting release of funds on the date listed immediately above.

RELEASE OF GRANT FUNDS

The Grantee will undertake the project described above with Block Grant funds from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The grantee is certifying to HUD that the Luna County and Chris Brice, County Manager in his/her official capacity, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision-making and action, and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, the Grantee may use the Block Grant funds, and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities listed in 24 CFR Part 58. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases:

(a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the Chief Executive Officer or other officer of the Grantee **(b)** that the environmental review record for the project indicated omission of a required decision finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process, or **(c)** another federal agency has submitted written comments pursuant to Section 309 of the Clear Air Act or Section 102(c) of NEPA. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58), and may be addressed to HUD or LGD/DFA, Room 202 Bataan Memorial Bldg., Santa Fe, NM 87501. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD or LGD/DFA. No objection received after 15 days from the date of request for funds listed above will be considered by HUD or LGD/DFA.


Signature – Chris Brice

County Manager/ CEO

Title

700 South Silver Avenue, Deming, NM 88031

Address of Certifying Officer