

PUBLIC NOTICE

HOME-ARP Citizen Participation Hearing

The American Rescue Plan (ARP) provides \$5 billion to assist individuals or households who are homeless, at risk of homelessness, and other vulnerable populations, by providing housing, rental assistance, supportive services, and non-congregate shelter, to reduce homelessness and increase housing stability across the country. These grant funds will be administered through HUD's HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME).

The Urban County and City of O'Fallon were recently notified that they will receive HOME-ARP funds in the amount of **\$1,467,362** and **\$338,622** respectively. These funds will need to benefit the residents of Urban County (the cities of St. Peters, St. Charles, Lake Saint Louis, Cottleville, Wentzville, Weldon Spring, New Melle, St. Paul, Dardenne Prairie, and unincorporated areas of St. Charles County) and the City of O'Fallon.

St. Charles Urban County and City of O'Fallon seek your opinions to determine the most effective use of HOME-ARP funds to provide housing stability across the County. The community's opinions and perceptions are an important part of this planning process, and everyone is invited to participate. Your feedback will be used to help the Urban County and the City of O'Fallon decide how best to create programs and allocate funds. Public hearing and consultation are scheduled for the following date, time, and location:

25 May 2022, Wednesday
5:00-7:00 pm
(you can arrive any time)

***St Charles County Spencer Road Branch – Community Commons,
427 Spencer Road, Room 240 & 243
St. Charles, MO 63376***

If you need special accommodations for the public hearing, including Limited English Proficiency assistance, please email planning@sccmo.org or call (636) 949-7335 at least 48 hours in advance to assure that accommodations may be made. The meeting will be held at an accessible location and the County will make every effort possible to provide reasonable accommodations.

Saint Charles County offers all interested citizens the opportunity to give written and/or verbal comments on public matters. The written comments may be mailed to the Department of Community Development, 201 N. Second Street-Suite 410, St. Charles, MO 63301, or sent by email to email planning@sccmo.org or call (636) 949-7335. All comments should be received post marked by **June 10, 2022**.

