

AMENDMENT TO THE FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2021 COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT ALLOCATION PLAN

Offered by the Department of Social Services

- Adjust the allocation plan to reflect that \$8,230,307 is available in resources for the FFY 21 CSBG payments to eligible entities rather than \$8,070,487. This is due to the finalization of the FFY 2020 CSBG award and results in an additional \$159,820 being distributed to eligible entities. This change would need to be made in the following sections of the current plan:
 - Section E, “Grants to Eligible Entities” for FFY 2021 Proposed Expenditure changes from \$8,070,487 to \$8,230,307
 - Table A, “Grants to Eligible Entities” for FFY21 Proposed Expenditures changes from \$8,070,487 to \$8,230,307
 - Table D, “Formula Allocations- Total” for FFY21 Proposed Expenditures and under “Grants to Eligible Entities” for FFY21 proposed (90% only) changes from \$8,070,487 to \$8,230,307
 - Table D footnote 1, “Grants to Eligible Entities” for the Difference Between proposed and final 90% amount – FFY20 changes from \$159,532 to \$239,442, FFY 2021 proposed changes from \$7,910,955 to \$7,990,865 and total FFY 2021 proposed changes from \$8,070,487 to \$8,230,307
- Change the following sentence on page 3 as follows:
 - Section 210 of the federal Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 requires that at least ninety percent (90%) of the CSBG funds made available to the state are to be used to make grants to CAAs or LPAs. Accordingly, the Department proposes that ninety percent (90%) or \$7,990,865 of the estimated FFY-~~2020~~ 2021 block grant funding will be distributed through grants to CAAs and LPAs in Connecticut. Of the remaining ten percent (10%) of the FFY ~~2020~~ 2021 block grant funds or \$887,874, the state plans to retain 5% (\$443,937) for administration and 5% (\$443,937) for discretionary projects.