## COMMUNITY MEETINGS







# How Will Federal Funds Transform Your Community?

Last October, you told the City of Los Angeles how Federal funds should be spent to improve your neighborhoods, such as more affordable housing, job training, and street repairs.

The City heard you and has included many of your ideas in a plan that will make these improvements, and more, possible in your community. Please join City representatives at any of the meetings listed to hear about the proposed plan and to tell us what you think.









#### **WEST LA AREA**

**Oakwood Recreation Center** 767 California Avenue Venice, CA 90291

**Wednesday, January 23, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

#### **EAST LA AREA**

Boyle Heights Technology Youth Center 1600 East 4th Street Los Angeles, CA 90033 Thursday, January 24, 2013

**Thursday, January 24, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

#### **CENTRAL LA AREA**

**St. Barnabas Senior Center** 675 S. Carondelet Street Los Angeles, CA 90057

**Tuesday, January 29, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

#### **SOUTH VALLEY AREA**

Marvin Braude Constituent Service Center 6262 Van Nuys Boulevard Van Nuys, CA 91401

**Wednesday, January 30, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

#### **SOUTH LA – WATTS AREA**

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Southeast Los Angeles YouthSource Center 1513 East 103rd Street Los Angeles, CA 90002

**Tuesday, February 5, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

#### **HARBOR AREA**

Wilmington Senior Center Center 1371 Eubank Avenue Wilmington, CA 90744

**Wednesday, February 6, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

#### **NORTH VALLEY AREA**

Northeast Valley City Hall 13520 Van Nuys Blvd., Pacoima, CA 91331

**Thursday, February 7, 2013** 6:30 – 8:30 PM

ADDITIONAL MEETINGS BEING PLANNED

All sites are ADA accessible. Please contact the Commission for Community and Family Services at (213) 744-9058 or the Community Development Department at (213) 744-7333 for additional information, or to request language interpretation. Language interpretation must be requested at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting.

If you are unable to attend a meeting, please email your comments to cdd.planning@lacity.org or send them to: Community Development Department, 1200 West 7th Street, 6th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90017, Attention: Planning, Research and Evaluation Section.

### CONSOLIDATED PLAN FACT SHEET

#### What is the Consolidated Plan?

Every five years, the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires the City of Los Angeles to develop a plan that guides how it will spend its annual Federal grants that assist very-low, low-, and moderate-income communities around the city. The Consolidated Plan sets out the funding for programs that help: businesses create jobs, and provide job training for adults and youth; improve neighborhoods by eliminating slum and blight; fund gang and homeless prevention programs; create affordable housing; and, provide services for seniors and the disabled.

#### Why are we holding community meetings?

As part of the city's planning process, we need your opinions on how the Federal funds should be spent. HUD and the City want to hear from you about what you believe the needs and strengths are in your communities, so that, together, we will develop plans that will best put these grant funds to use in your neighborhoods.

#### With so much need in the city, how will these funds be targeted?

Under the Consolidated Plan, Federal funds will be targeted to create more livable and healthy communities with more affordable housing and jobs, etc. Your comments will help us determine what's most important to you and help us to create a plan that guides how we achieve those goals over the next five years.