



2026 Program Year Community Development Block Grant Application Evaluation Criteria

Was the CDBG application submitted complete, with all required sections, attachments, and supporting documentation included?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the independent audit report provide sufficient evidence that the organization is financially viable—demonstrating sound fiscal management, a stable financial position, and the ability to meet its ongoing obligations?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the project address a High Priority need as identified in the 2025–2029 Anoka County Consolidated Plan?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is the project classified as a Public Service activity under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) regulations?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the project meet one of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) National Objectives as defined under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the project budget demonstrate a clear alignment between the identified sources of funding and the proposed uses of funds, with total revenues equaling total expenditures? Yes (10) Points	
Does the project include leveraged resources in the budget to support the proposed activities? 0-25% (0) Points 26-50% (5) Points 51-75% (10) Points 76-100% (15) Points	
Will the project be fully completed by: December 31, 2026, with all funds expended no later than March 1, 2027? (15) Points July 1, 2027, with all funds expended no later than September 1, 2027? (10) Points	
Has the applicant received funding from the Anoka County CDBG Program in previous program years? 2025 (0) Points 2024 (5) Points 2023 (10) Points 2022 or Earlier (15) Points	
Has the applicant received funds but were unable to expend them, so they were recaptured in the last five years? If yes, <i>minus</i> the following 15% of original award unexpended (-5) Points 20% of original award unexpended (-10) Points	
What is the applicant’s level of experience in managing Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds? Select the number of CDBG grants the applicant has managed: 1 or less (0) Points 2-3 (5) Points 4-5 (10) Points 6 or More (15) Points	
What is the anticipated impact of the project on individuals or households? Low-Mod Clientele 0-15 (0) Points 16-25 (5) Points 26-40 (10) Points 41 or over (15) Points Low-Mod Area 0-1000 (0) Points 1001-2500 (5) Points 2501-5000 (10) Points 5001 or over (15) Points	