

In the next year, the city will...

Make repairs to

335

housing units



Assist

4,078

seniors through aging in place programs



Assist

65

people through public facility and infrastructure projects



Provide

361

clients with poverty reduction and household stabilization services



Help provide

2,684

persons experiencing homelessness with overnight shelter services

Prevent

60

people from experiencing homelessness



Assist

200

first-time home buyers with homebuyer education and housing counseling



Provide

303

households with housing services for persons living with HIV/AIDS

Help

932

children with youth training and mentorship programs



Save-the-Dates

Grants 101 Training

Provides an opportunity for currently active social service agencies and nonprofit organizations interested in applying for HUD grant funds to learn more about the application process and meet city staff.

NOTE: Grants 101 Training is ideally designed to benefit agencies in operation and providing services for at least one year.

When: 9 a.m.- noon Oct. 19 OR 1-4 p.m. Oct. 20

Where: Como Community Center, 4660 Home St., Fort Worth

Consolidated Annual Performance & Evaluation Report (CAPER)

The city's year-end report on accomplishments and progress toward Consolidated Plan goals. Residents are invited to provide feedback during a public comment period and at a public hearing.

When: 6:30 p.m. Dec. 14

Where: City Council Conference Room 290, 200 Texas St.

For more information on these programs contact Sharon Burkley at 817-392-5785 or Sharon.Burkley@fortworthtexas.gov

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FortWorthTexas.gov/Departments/Neighborhoods/Services/Grants

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2022-2023 HUD ANNUAL ACTION PLAN At-A-Glance



October 1, 2022 - September 30, 2023

What is the Action Plan?

Submitted each August to the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD), the Annual Action Plan provides a summary of the actions the City of Fort Worth will take in the coming year to help low- and moderate-income residents. This document details how funds for the following HUD grant programs will be spent to carry out these actions:

- **Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)** funds are used to develop viable urban communities by providing decent housing, a suitable living environment and expanded economic opportunities for low- and moderate-income residents.
- **HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME)** funds are used to create affordable housing for low-income households by building, buying or rehabilitating affordable housing.
- **Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)** funds are used to provide services and housing for the homeless and those at risk of becoming homeless with a goal of achieving permanent housing.
- **Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)** funds are used for projects that benefit low-income persons living with HIV/AIDS and their families.

Each year's Action Plan serves as a status update on the goals outlined in the city's five-year Consolidated Plan. This larger plan describes the city's community development priorities and multiyear goals based on an assessment of housing and community development needs and an analysis of market conditions.

Development of the Consolidated Plan also involves community engagement and collaboration with other entities.

Partner Agencies

To achieve Consolidated Plan goals, the city partners with local agencies that apply to receive HUD grant funding. Agency proposals are reviewed by the city's Community Development Council. Once selected, agencies use the funding to administer programs that benefit the community in a variety of ways.

Agency	Program
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	
AB Christian Learning Center	After School Program
Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Tarrant County, Inc.	After School Program (Eastside Branch)
Fortress Youth Development	Fortress Preschool
Girls Incorporated of Tarrant County	Leadership Program
United Community Centers, Inc.	Educational Enrichment
YMCA of Metropolitan Fort Worth	Y Achievers
Center for Transforming Lives	Level Up Microenterprise
Easter Seals North Texas	Employment Training
The Ladder Alliance	Computer skills training
The Women's Center	Working Families Success
Housing Channel	Homebuyer education and housing counseling services
Guardianship Services, Inc.	Financial Exploitation Prevention Center
Meals On Wheels, Inc. of Tarrant County	Nutrition and Transportation Programs
Presbyterian Night Shelter of Tarrant County	Case Management - Homeless Services
REACH, Inc.	Project Ramp
Trinity Habitat for Humanity	Cowtown Brush-Up Paint Program
United Way of Tarrant County	Architectural Barrier Removal Program
HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME)	
Development Corporation of Tarrant County	Single Family Housing Development
Fort Worth Housing Solutions	Stop Six Choice Neighborhood Initiative Grant - Hughes House
Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)	
Center for Transforming Lives	Rapid Rehousing
Presbyterian Night Shelter of Tarrant County	Shelter operations and services
SafeHaven of Tarrant County	Shelter operations and services
The Salvation Army	Homelessness prevention
True Worth Place	Day Shelter operations and services
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	
AIDS Outreach Center	Short-term rent/mortgage, utility assistance and supportive services
Tarrant County Samaritan Housing, Inc.	Supportive services, facility-based housing operations and tenant-based rental assistance

Fortress Youth Development Center

Fortress Preschool
www.fortressfw.org/

Fortress Preschool began as a twice-weekly Mother's Day Out program for the moms who had grown up in Fortress Church. Building Blocks, as it was called, quickly evolved to meet the demand and needs of the neighborhood and transformed from a daycare to a functional preschool focused on school readiness and social learning. After years of operating with a waiting list of 40+, Fortress opened a licensed, full-time preschool in 2016 and now can enroll 80 children ages 6 weeks to 4 years. Fortress Preschool is open to children who are zoned for Van Zandt-Guinn Elementary School or who reside in the 76104 ZIP code.



Center for Transforming Lives

Level Up Microenterprise
www.transforminglives.org/Level-Up

The Level Up Program is designed to support Tarrant County entrepreneurs with children. The CTL team leverages trusted community partnerships to create a pipeline for underserved small business owners and help them navigate local support services.



Meals On Wheels, Inc. of Tarrant County

Nutrition Programs
www.mealsonwheels.org

The Meals On Wheels Nutrition Program provides home-delivered meals, supplemental nutrition, and congregate meals to disadvantaged older adults in Fort Worth. Community needs to be addressed include malnutrition, food insecurity, social isolation and poor mental and physical health.

