

# City of Newburgh

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### City of Newburgh Issues Request for Proposals For Community Development Block Grant Funding for Youth Programs

The City of Newburgh has identified youth services as a priority and has designated a portion of the fiscal year 2007 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding to be utilized as grants to Newburgh non-profit organizations serving City of Newburgh youth. A Request for Proposals (RFP) has been issued so eligible service providers can apply for CDBG funding for youth programs.

In order to receive funding, all applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

- Lead applicant must be a non-profit organization with 501 (C) (3) tax exempt designation
- The program requesting funding must serve youth (under age 21) who are residents of the City of Newburgh
- Additional consideration will be provided for applicants who attend any of the Capacity Building Seminars offered by the City of Newburgh
- Collaborative programs and partnerships are strongly encouraged to apply and will receive additional consideration during the selection process.

For application forms or more information, please call Lourdes Zapata-Perez , Community Development Director, at 569-9400 or e-mail at [lperez@cityofnewburgh-ny.gov](mailto:lperez@cityofnewburgh-ny.gov) , or stop by the Department of Planning & Development, City Hall, 83 Broadway, Newburgh, N.Y. 12550. Applications and information can also be found on the City website, [www.cityofnewburgh-ny.gov](http://www.cityofnewburgh-ny.gov).

Information on remaining Capacity Building seminars can be found in the RFP Application and on the City website.

Completed Requests for Proposals must be submitted to Lourdes Zapata-Perez, City of Newburgh, 83 Broadway, Newburgh, NY. 12550 by 3 p.m., Friday, April 20.