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**Town of Ware
Proposed Regional CDBG-CV Application**

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Public Hearing Notice

The Ware Community Development Advisory Committee will conduct a public hearing regarding its proposed regional Community Development Block Grant- CV application to the Massachusetts Community Development Block Grant Program. The hearing will be conducted remotely via Zoom at **6:30pm on Wednesday, June 10th, 2020. Zoom.com** (Join a Meeting: Meeting ID: **784 604 1861** or Call in: **929 205 6099**)

The public is encouraged to join a meeting regarding HUD's CARES Act for CDBG Funds. The purpose of this hearing will be to consider a grant application to the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development in response to available funding through the CARES Act of 2020. The grant application will likely seek funds for Domestic Violence Victim Safety Enhancement Program, The Literacy Project and a Senior Outreach Service Program. The public hearing will offer residents of the participating towns the opportunity to comment on the proposed projects. Participating towns included in the application are: Agawam, Belchertown, Blandford, Brimfield, Chester, East Longmeadow, Granby, Granville, Hadley, Holland, Huntington, Middlefield, Monson, Montgomery, Russell, South Hadley, Southwick, Ware, Hardwick, Warren, Chesterfield, Palmer, and Plainfield. Towns presumed to be participants include: Easthampton, Hampden, Hatfield, Ludlow, Southampton, Wales, Westhampton, and Amherst. If awarded, the Town of Ware (as lead community) will be responsible for administration of the grant program, with assistance from the Pioneer Valley Planning Commission.

All persons with questions or comments regarding the grant application will have an opportunity to submit comments up until and through the public hearing. Please submit comments to either Stuart Beckley @ sbeckley@townofware.com or John O'Leary @ joleary@pvpc.org.