

## **CDBG Funds Are Available To Primarily Help Low and Moderate Income Persons**

Gila County is expected to apply for approximately \$100,000.00 in federal Community Development Block Grant funds and approximately \$300,000 in CDBG State Special Projects Funds (SSP) from the Arizona Department of Housing for FY 2014. These funds must be used to benefit low-income persons and areas, alleviate slum and blight or address urgent needs. Public hearings will be held to gather citizen input on the use of the CDBG funds.

Examples of the priority activities for use of the funds are as follows:

- 1) Public Infrastructure (e.g. water system improvements, wastewater systems, solid waste disposal facilities; road/street improvements);
- 2) Community Facilities (e.g. standalone activities for any community/supportive housing facility, Senior Centers, Homeless facilities.);
- 3) Public Services (e.g. services for seniors, services for homeless persons, emergency assistance not to exceed a single 3 month period, lead hazard screening)
- 4) Housing (e.g. owner occupied or multi-family rehab, rental housing rehabilitation, homeless prevention and rapid rehousing);
- 5) Planning and Capacity Building (e.g. comprehensive plans, housing plans and other such functional plans in certain areas (land use, transportation, historic preservation, etc.), neighborhood revitalization)

Please come to one or both of the public hearings listed below to discuss community needs and possible projects:

Dates:	Monday April 15, 2013	Tuesday, April 16th, 2013
Times:	4:00 pm	4:00 pm
Locations:	Payson Board of Supervisors Hearing Room 610 E. Highway 260 Payson, AZ 85541	Gila County Community Services Division 5515 S. Apache Ave. Globe, AZ 85501

For more information regarding the meetings and for information about how Gila County can help you if you have an idea for a possible project, please contact Malissa Buzan at 928-425-7631, Ext. 8693.

If you have a disability and require a reasonable accommodation such as a sign interpreter, please call TDD (928) 425-0839 as soon as possible.