First Public Hearing Notice Template

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of Public Hearing
Name of Community

Name of Community will hold a public hearing on *Date and Time of Public Hearing (Hearing should be held at a time accessible and convenient to residents)* at *Location of Hearing (Hearing should be held in a publically accessible location)* for the purpose of hearing public comments on the *Name of Community's* community development needs, and to discuss the possible submission of one or more Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) applications for the *Current Year* program year. The CDBG program is administered by the New York State Office of Community Renewal (OCR), and will make available to eligible local governments approximately *Provide program year funding amount listed in current NOFA* for the *Current Program Year* program year for housing, economic development, public facilities, public infrastructure, and planning activities, with the principal purpose of benefitting low/moderate income persons. The hearing will provide further information about the CDBG program and will allow for citizen participation in the development of any proposed grant applications and/or to provide technical assistance to develop alternate proposals. Comments on the CDBG program or proposed project(s) will be received at this time. The hearing is being conducted pursuant to Section 570.486, Subpart I of the CFR and in compliance with the requirements of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended.

The *location of hearing* is/*is not* accessible to persons with disabilities. If special accommodations are needed for persons with disabilities, those with hearing impairments, or those in need of translation from English, those individuals should contact *list contact name* at *list contact information*, at least one week in advance of the hearing date to allow for necessary arrangements. Written comments may also be submitted to *list contact name and contact information* until *last date to receive comments.*