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# NEWS

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**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING # 2**  
**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT**

**COMMUNITY ACTION**

The County of Noble intends to apply to the Ohio Department of Development for funding under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Small Cities Program, a federally funded program administered by the State. The county is eligible for approximately \$75,000 of FY 2016 CDBG funding, providing the county meets applicable program requirements.

On April 20, 2016, the county conducted its first public hearing to inform citizens about the CDBG program, how it may be used, what activities are eligible, and other program requirements. Based on both citizen input and local officials' assessment of the county's needs, the county is proposing to undertake the following CDBG activities for Fiscal Year 2016.

Activity	Amount	National Obj	Funding
#1 Belle Valley VFD Fire Protection Equipment	\$21,000	LMI	CDBG Allocation
#2 Caldwell VFD Fire Protection Equipment	\$21,000	LMI	CDBG Allocation
#3 Noble County Administration	\$ 6,000	LMI	CDBG Allocation
#4 Noble County Fair Housing	\$ 2,000	LMI	CDBG Allocation

\$25,000 of allocation money will also be used for the Neighborhood Revitalization Program that the county will apply for.

A second public hearing will be held on Wednesday, June 1, 2016, 4:30 P.M. at the Joyce M. Davis Senior Center, 300 Cumberland Street, Caldwell, Ohio to give citizens an adequate opportunity to review and comment on the county's proposed CDBG application, including proposed activities summarized above, before the county submits its application to the Ohio Department of Development.

Citizens are encouraged to attend this meeting to express their views and comments on the county's proposed CDBG application.

The GMN Tri-County CAC is a private, non-profit, community action agency. The agency strives, in cooperating with business, labor, government, and community organizations, to improve the quality of life for low-income residents of Guernsey, Monroe, and Noble Counties. GMN CAC offers programs in Direct Employment, Head Start, Home Energy Assistance, Senior Services, Senior Companions, Weatherization, Information and Referral, and several other programs. GMN CAC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.