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Community Development Block Grants Available

PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – March 7, 2013 – The application process for Calvert County organizations interested in applying for a Fiscal Year 2014 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) has opened and notifications of potential application are due to the Calvert County Department of Community Resources by March 25.

The Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development oversees the program. In order to apply, organizations are required to submit a Notification of Potential Application to the Calvert County Department of Community Resources and then attend mandatory CDBG training.

The completed notification must be submitted by close of business March 25 to Maureen Hoffman, Director of the Calvert County Department of Community Resources, PO Box 90, Prince Frederick, Md. 20678. For a notification form or more information, contact Curt Hules, CDBG coordinator, at 410-535-4370. The form is available online at www.co.cal.md.us/CDBG.

CDBG provides communities with resources to address a wide range of unique community development needs. CDBG also provides annual grants with the purpose of ensuring decent affordable housing and services to the most vulnerable in the community, as well as creating jobs through expansion and retention of businesses. Eligible recipients include local governments and nonprofit agencies in good standing with the State of Maryland. More information can be found at www.neighborhoodrevitalization.org/programs/CDBG/CDBG.aspx.

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The mandatory CDBG training is set for 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 2, in the main conference room of the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development, 100 Community Place, Crownsville, Md. Registration is required. Those wishing to attend must fax their name, title, organization, address, email address and phone number to La Wanda Potter at 410-514-7925, or register online at

www.neighborhoodrevitalization.org/Programs/Catalyst/Catalyst.aspx#Trainings.

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