

## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Native American Commission  
**FROM:** Catlyn Christie, Assistant Planner  
**DATE:** May 28, 2021  
**SUBJECT:** Fargo Native American Commission Meeting

The next meeting of the Fargo Native American Commission will be held on Thursday, June 3, at 12:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers at Fargo City Hall. If you are not able to attend, please contact staff at 701.241.1474 or [Planning@FargoND.gov](mailto:Planning@FargoND.gov). Thank you.

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### **NATIVE AMERICAN COMMISSION Thursday, June 3, 2021 Commission Chambers AGENDA**

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Approve Agenda & Minutes.....Action Item
3. Public Comment
4. Statement of Solidarity with FM Muslim Community (Continued).....Action Item
5. Bias Crime Ordinance Update
6. Indigenous Association Report
7. Subcommittee Reports
8. Announcements
9. Staff Report
10. Adjourn – Next Meeting: July 1, 2021

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**Item 1. Welcome and Introductions**

**Item 2. Approve Agenda & Minutes**

Chair King will seek two motions to approve or amend the agenda and minutes.

Recommended Action: Approve the June 3, 2021 agenda.

Recommended Action: Approve the May 6, 2021 meeting minutes.

**Item 3. Public Comment – Citizens to be Heard**

Chair King will open the floor to public comment. Speakers must state their name and will be limited to two minutes. Comments should not contain profanity or personal attacks. At the chair's discretion, an overall time limit may be placed on this agenda item. If time permits, the chair may choose to call on staff or liaisons to engage in dialog about any of the public comments received.

**Item 4. Statement on Hate Crime Against FM Islamic Community Center**

Vice Chair Whitney Fear will present a statement for the Native American Commission to approve to denounce the hate crime that occurred at the Moorhead-Fargo Islamic Community Center in April and stand in solidarity with Muslim community.

Recommended Action: Approve the statement as presented.

**Item 5. Bias Crime Ordinance Update**

Nancy Morris from the City Attorney's office will provide an update on the bias crime ordinance efforts at the City of Fargo as well as next steps for the ordinance.

**Item 6. Indigenous Association Report**

A representative of the Indigenous Association will provide an update.

**Item 7. Subcommittee Reports**

The Chair of each subcommittee will provide a progress report and present any action items recommended by their subcommittee.

**Item 8. Announcements**

Chair King will open the floor to commission members for any announcements. A flyer is attached about enrollment for Circles of Nations School for the upcoming school year.

**Item 8. Staff Report**

See attachment. Chair King will open the floor to commission member and staff for any questions or discussion related to the staff report.

**Item 9. Adjourn – Next Meeting: July 1, 2021**

Upon no further business, Chair King will adjourn the meeting.

## **BOARD OF NATIVE AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS MINUTES**

**Regular Meeting:**

**Thursday, May 6, 2021**

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Native American Commissioners of the City of Fargo, North Dakota, was held in the Commission Chambers at City Hall at 12:00 p.m., Thursday, May 6, 2021.

The Native American Commissioners present or absent were as follows:

Present: Sharon White Bear, John Strand, Sonya Donahue, Anna Johnson, Lenore King, Rebecca Knutson, Emily Sargent, Chalsey Snyder (via conference call)

Absent: Whitney Fear

### **Item 1. Welcome and Introductions**

Chair King welcomed Members to the meeting and introductions were made.

### **Item 2. Approve Order of Agenda & Minutes**

Member Johnson moved the Order of Agenda be approved as presented. Second by Member Knutson. All Members present voted aye and the motion was declared carried.

Member Johnson moved the minutes of the April 1, 2021 Native American Commission meeting be approved. Second by Member White Bear. All Members present voted aye and the motion was declared carried.

Member Sargent present.

Item 5 was heard before Item 3.

### **Item 3: Public Comment**

Tracey Wilke spoke in support of the local Muslim community.

Ambrosia Yellow Bird shared information on a march happening tomorrow, May 7, 2021 for Murdered, Missing, and Indigenous Persons (MMIP). She noted the event will be held at Island Park, beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Fargo Police Lt. Bill Ahlfeldt stated he would like to work with Ms. Yellow Bird to ensure safety at the event.

### **Item 4: Statement of Solidarity with FM Muslim Community**

Chair King noted that Member Fear was to present this item, however is absent.

**Item 5. Legislative Update**

Representative Ruth Buffalo provided an update on the legislative session highlighting approved legislation.

**Item 6. Indigenous Association Report**

Member Johnson noted the new location is located in the Plains Art Museum and stated a new Executive Director has been hired.

**Item 7. Subcommittee Reports**

Member White Bear spoke on behalf of the housing subcommittee noting they have been in contact with the Cass Clay Community Land Trust, and shared intent to partner with them.

Member Johnson spoke on behalf of the education subcommittee.

Member Snyder noted that Fargo Public Schools Indian Education Department has their newsletter available.

**Item 8. Announcements**

Chair King noted the packet contains a flier for a healing event being held June 5 at Bonanzaville.

Chair King also shared that The Human Family is hiring a North Dakota Human Rights Film Festival Native American Programs Director, and additional information is in the packet.

Member Johnson shared additional information on the June 5 event at Bonanzaville.

**Item 9. Staff Report**

Chair King stated the staff report is included in the packet.

Lt. Bill Ahlfeldt introduced himself and Sgt. Mike Bernier as the new liaisons to the Native American Commission from the Fargo Police Department. Lt. Ahlfeldt shared that a suicide awareness video will be released by the Fargo Police Department on May 10.

Fargo Police Chief Dave Zibolski introduced himself to the Board.

Member Snyder stated she is excited to see some of the initiatives to address Native American bias in the community, and would like to know more about the process and timeline.

Chief Zibolski highlighted that the Fargo Police department will be taking part in a 6-hour implicit bias training in the upcoming weeks. He also stated the Police Department liaisons to the Native American Commission have the knowledge to address concerns and build trust in the community.

Member Snyder moved to table Item 4 to the next meeting. Second by Member Johnson. All Members present voted aye and the motion was declared carried.

Discussion was held on advocating for the community and having no room in Fargo for hate.

**Item 10. Adjourn – Next Meeting: June 3, 2021**

The time of adjournment was 12:43 p.m.



# Circle of Nations School

832 8<sup>th</sup> St N Wahpeton ND 58075

## Now accepting applications for the 2021-2022

For registration questions, please contact Brenda Cox at

701-642-3796 ext. 222 or email [brendacox@circleofnations.org](mailto:brendacox@circleofnations.org)

For more information please visit [www.circleofnations.org](http://www.circleofnations.org)

**CNS serves Native American  
students in grades 4-8**

***The mission of the Circle of Nations School  
is to build academic achievement and foster  
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**Native American Commission**

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Email: [planning@FargoND.gov](mailto:planning@FargoND.gov)[www.FargoND.gov](http://www.FargoND.gov)**Statement of Solidarity with FM Muslim Community**

As a board that was formed in the pursuit of social equity and in keeping true to the cultural values of Indigenous people, the members of the Fargo Native American Commission wish to formally attest our solidarity for the Muslim community of Fargo-Moorhead in the wake of the vandalism that took place at the Moorhead-Fargo Islamic Community Center on April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Additionally, we would like to thank law enforcement who pursued justice swiftly in that matter. Your dedication to addressing the criminal acts against our Muslim community members sent a clear message to those who would feel so bold to act in a similar manner that such acts will not be tolerated in our community.

The Fargo Native American Commission wishes to formally extend an offer of support, solidarity and collaboration with the Muslim community in the FM Metro. In this, we also wish to make it clear to those who share the same ideals as the individual accused of the vandalism of the Mosque that although our ethnic backgrounds, spiritual beliefs, culture, etc. may be different from our Muslim neighbors, they do not stand alone. As the descendants of the original inhabitants of Turtle Island, we welcome the members of the Muslim community to the land of our people and hope to walk hand in hand with them as a united front in the pursuit of social equity.

## Admissions Information

In addition to a completed student enrollment application, copies of the following documents are required for student enrollment:

- Certification of Degree of Indian Blood
- Social Security card
- Birth Certificate
- Immunization record
- Physical examination
- Most recent report card

Copies of the following documents are required if they apply to the student's circumstances:

- Custody order
- Most recent IEP/psycho-educational report
- Medical insurance card/information or medical assistance card/information
- Juvenile history
- CD or behavioral treatment information

Student enrollment applications are reviewed by the Admissions Committee. Notification of admissions status will be by mail or by telephone.

Transportation to and from CNS is provided at the beginning of the school year, Christmas break, and at the end of the school year. A travel schedule will be sent to each household.

For applications or for more information contact:

### **Admissions Office**

**Circle of Nations School**  
832 8th Street North  
Wahpeton, ND 58075

**Phone:** 701-642-3796, ext. 222  
**Fax:** 701-642-1984  
**brendacox@circleofnations.org**

**website:** [www.circleofnations.org](http://www.circleofnations.org)



## School Administrators

Tanner Rabbithead, CEO  
Mandan, Hidatsa, & Arikara Nation

Trevor Gourneau, School Principal  
Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa

## School Board Representatives

Myrna Thompson  
Sisseton Wahpeton Oyate

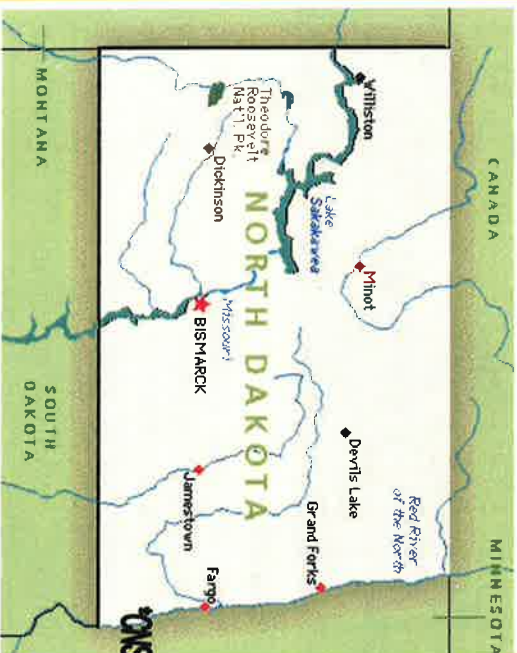
Shavonne Wilkie  
Mandan, Hidatsa & Arikara Nation

Charmayne Bohanon  
Spirit Lake Sioux Tribe

Wayne Looking Back  
Standing Rock Sioux Tribe

Tim Sumner  
Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians

Justin Gray Hawk  
Ft Peck Assiniboine & Sioux Tribes



Circle of Nations School is located 55 miles south of Fargo, ND.

**The building of  
your child's future  
starts with a  
strong foundation.**





Circle of Nations School is an inter-tribal off-reservation boarding school serving Native American youth in grades 4-8. It is chartered under the Sisseton-Wahpeton Dakota Oyate and funded by the Bureau of Indian Education.

## **MISSION**

The mission of the Circle of Nations School is to build academic achievement and foster healthy development of the whole child in an inter-tribal environment. The school's vision statement is: "Circle of Nations is the Spirit of Youth Empowered." The overall goals of the CNS's holistic model education program are:

- ◆ Successful transition through levels of learning
  - ◆ Physical and Mental health promotion
  - ◆ Spiritual, cultural, emotional, and social development
- Circle of Nations School strives to achieve these goals through integrated programs and services. These programs include America 2000 An Educational Strategy, Healthy People 2000 National Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Objectives, No Child Left Behind Act 2001 and Every Student Succeeds Act 2015.

It is an academic program with a culturally sensitive residential program tailored to the needs of Native American youth.

Students currently represent over 20 federally recognized tribes from 10 states. Most are from North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, and Montana. A six-member school board represents tribes with the highest current enrollment. Students at CNS are educated in a clean, friendly, low crime, small town atmosphere here in Wahpeton, which is located in the southeast corner of North Dakota.

## **RESIDENTIAL**

### **Keeble Dormitory**

Keeble Dormitory is a single story structure built in 2008 to accommodate 152 students, it houses the female students. This building is named after Master Sergeant Woodrow Wilson Keeble who posthumously received the Medal of Honor for his courageous acts during his time of military service.



### **Sacajawea Hall**

Sacajawea Hall can accommodate 93 and houses the male students. The Residential Counseling Department is also located in Sacajawea Hall. This building is named after Sacajawea, a Shoshone woman, who accompanied Lewis and Clark on their expedition and exploration.



### **Athletics**

The Warriors athletic program works in partnership with its dynamic, multi-cultural community to provide accessible high quality guidance and direction by keeping the needs of the student-athlete at the center of decision-making. Only the highest standards of sportsmanship and conduct are expected of students, coaches, staff, and administrators associated with Warrior athletics.

## **ACADEMIC**

The main purpose of our education system is to provide a positive experience, affirming Native American culture and linking it with the latest education methods and technology. The vital key and leading goal is to equip the students with the skills they need to meet life's challenges and to be productive, socially responsible individuals with a healthy sense of self and community.

The Circle of Nations School is accredited by the North Dakota Department of Public Instruction and by Advanced Accreditation.



## **ROPES COURSE**

A certified guided challenge by choice course activity. The various activities build teamwork, cooperation, leadership skills, acceptance, encouragement, and understanding in the group.



## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Fargo Native American Commission

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**DATE:** May 28, 2021

**RE:** May Staff Report

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This agenda item is an effort to summarize and memorialize issues, concerns, or staff action related to the work of the Native American Commission since the last meeting. During the meeting, the Chair may open for discussion or questions concerning these items.

### **1. Local COVID-19 Response**

Planning staff continues to administer funding for several Covid-19 activities, including:

- ESHARA (Ethnic-Self-Help Alliance for Refugee Assistance) vaccine outreach targeted for New American community members;
- Rental assistance program operated by SENDCAA and Presentation Partners in Housing. To get connected to program, call 2-1-1.
- High Plains Fair Housing Eviction Prevention program
- Family HealthCare Mobile Homeless Health Services
- Extra shelter beds for quarantine/isolation, social distancing, and overflow at the Gladys Ray Shelter Engagement Center, Churches United, and New Life Center

Beginning Tuesday, June 1, FCPH will conduct walk-in COVID-19 vaccine clinics on **Tuesdays only** from 8 am – 6 pm at its main location of 1240 25th Street South, Fargo. While these are walk-in clinics, appointments are encouraged to streamline the registration process. Specific clinic information, including links to make an appointment, are available at <https://fargond.gov/city-government/departments/fargo-cass-public-health/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19/covid-19-vaccine>.

As of May 13, Fargo Cass Public Health has administered 46,230 doses of COVID-19 vaccine and currently conducts twice-weekly COVID-19 vaccine clinics at its main location on 25th Street South. Vaccine is available to anyone who is currently eligible. Walks-ins are welcome but appointments are preferred. FCPH also continues to administer vaccine to individuals who are homebound as well as to those at the Cass County Jail and will complete its rural Cass County mobile missions in June. Residents are strongly encouraged to get the COVID-19 vaccine to protect themselves, family and friends.

### **2. Federal Housing and Urban Development Programs**

The City of Fargo has prepared a draft version of the 2021 Action Plan for the City's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME). The draft plan outlines the proposed use of U.S. Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funds and is available for public review. The public comment period runs from May 27 through June 25, 2021. All citizens are welcome to submit comments at any time during the public comment period, or at the public hearing scheduled for the June 14, 2021 Fargo City Commission meeting. Following final City Commission consideration of the 2021 Action Plan on Monday, June 28, 2021, a

recommendation regarding these actions will be forwarded to HUD for its consideration and approval. The public notice is attached below, and the draft action plan is available online at <https://fargond.gov/city-government/departments/planning-development/plans-studies>.

### **3. Core Neighborhood Plan and Land Development Code Diagnostic**

The [Core Neighborhood Plan \(CNP\)](#) and the [Land Development Code \(LDC\) Diagnostic](#) on were approved at the City Commission meeting on May 17, 2021. Following the adoption of the CNP, Planning and Development staff will develop and refine an implementation strategy. Top neighborhood issues were identified as homes in need of updates, rental housing conditions, safety and compatibility of new developments in core neighborhoods. Next steps for the Land Development Code include developing an RFP for a comprehensive update to the code. Staff intends to utilize the information in the LDC Diagnostic work plan to form the department work plan and specifically work with the Core Neighborhoods Master Plan and prioritize long range planning needs. For specific information about these activities, please contact Aaron Nelson at the Planning Department or visit the department's website to find the materials.

### **4. Fargo Youth Initiative**

Last month, the City's Fargo Youth Initiative racial equity subcommittee presented to the Human Relations Commission with their policy analysis and recommendations for improving youth racial equity in Fargo. They conducted a needs assessment survey with over 450 responses. Their top recommendations included stronger emphasis on Black History Month and Native American Heritage Month in schools; inclusive curriculum reform; implementing a restorative justice model in schools; and increasing student representation in Fargo Public Schools' Parent Equity and Advisory Committee. A recording of the presentation is available at <https://download.fargond.gov/8/150-1-1.m4v>, beginning at 10 minutes and 42 seconds.

### **5. City of Fargo Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion**

Dr. Terry Hogan has been recommended to serve as Fargo's first Director of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. The City of Fargo's Director of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Selection Committee recently completed the final component of its selection process for the City's DEI Director, which generated a total of 62 applicants. The process culminated with interviews and presentations with the top five candidates. Following the assessment, the selection committee approved the list of candidates ranked by compiled interview and presentation scores to be utilized in extending a conditional offer to the top candidate. The Fargo City Commission will be asked to approve a contract with Dr. Terry Hogan at its regularly-scheduled meeting on June 1. Upon Commission approval, a full offer of employment will be extended to Dr. Hogan with a scheduled start date of July 6, 2021. To learn more about Dr. Hogan and the DEI Selection Committee, please visit <https://bit.ly/2RlkOkJ>.

### **6. Juneteenth Freedom Celebration**

The City of Fargo will be hosting a booth at this year's Juneteenth Freedom Celebration event hosted by Faith4Hope. The event will be from noon-7pm on Saturday, June 19 at Lindenwood Park. Commission members are invited to volunteer to run the booth. Contact Catlyn to indicate your interest and availability, [CChristie@FargoND.gov](mailto:CChristie@FargoND.gov).

### **7. Fargo Police Department**

A representative will provide updates from the Fargo Police Department (FPD).

**Notice of Public Hearing & Public Comment Period**  
**Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) & HOME Programs**  
**2021 Action Plan & Budget Proposal**

The City of Fargo has prepared a draft version of the 2021 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Programs. The priorities established within the draft plan result from community meetings and citizen participation in the development of the 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan. The City's 5-Year priorities include affordable housing, ending and preventing homelessness, neighborhood improvements and initiatives, and assistance for vulnerable populations.

**Estimated Resources** - During the 2021 program year, the City of Fargo estimates the following resources to be available:

**CDBG:**

•	<b>\$773,298</b>	2021 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) allocation from HUD
•	<b>\$ 3,750</b>	2021 CDBG Program Income (estimated)
•	<b>\$ 0</b>	Available for Reallocation at Prior Year-End
	<b>\$777,048</b>	<b>Total CDBG</b>

**HOME:**

•	<b>\$468,708</b>	2021 HOME PJ allocation from HUD
•	<b>\$ 61,910</b>	2020 HOME PJ Program Income (actual)
•	<b>\$ 28,782</b>	2020 HOME State Program Income (actual)
•	<b>\$ 0</b>	Available for Reallocation at Prior Year-End
	<b>\$559,400</b>	<b>Total HOME</b>

**TOTAL RESOURCES \$1,336,448**

• **PLANNING, ADMINISTRATION & FAIR HOUSING**

- **High Plains Fair Housing Center** - \$5,000 in CDBG funds. Support comprehensive outreach, fair housing education.
  - Part of requirement to affirmatively further fair housing under the Fair Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 3601-20). *Eligibility & Regulation Citation: 21D Fair Housing Activities (subject to 20% Admin. Cap), 24 CFR Part 570.206(c)*
- **Planning and Administration** - \$12,000 in CDBG funds and \$7,000 in HOME funds. Planning, implementation, reporting, and monitoring of CDBG and HOME resources.
  - *Eligibility & Regulation Citation: 21A General Program Administration, 24 CFR Part 570.206*

• **FACILITIES/CAPITAL, NEIGHBORHOODS**

- **Downtown Homeless & Housing Services Facility** - \$607,048 in CDBG funds. Homeless and housing-related service facility located in downtown Fargo. Activities may include property or land acquisition, building rehabilitation, and feasibility analysis. Facility will serve/shelter/house people who are at risk of homelessness, recently homeless, or who are currently homeless.
  - *National Objectives, Eligibility, & Regulation Citations: Low-Mod Clientele Benefit [24 CFR Part 570.208(a)(2)], 01 Acquisition of Real Property, 24 CFR Part 570.201(a); 03E Neighborhood Facilities or 03C Homeless Facilities (not operating costs), 24 CFR Part 570.201(c).*

• **PUBLIC SERVICE**

- **Emergency Subsistence Payments/Homeless Prevention & Diversion Efforts** – COVID-19 Prevention, Preparation, & Response - \$125,000 in CDBG funds. Temporary emergency housing assistance, housing navigation and operational support for homeless prevention and diversion efforts. Temporary emergency housing assistance includes rent, mortgage, non-City-owned utilities, and other homeless or eviction prevention-type assistance as approved by the City of Fargo. Providers will make emergency assistance payments directly to the payees (i.e., rental office, utility company, etc.) on behalf of an individual or household. \$62,500 each to project partners: SouthEastern North Dakota Community Action Agency (SENDCAA) and Presentation Partners in Housing
  - Several people have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic, particularly those who have low income. Many jobs were lost and in some cases, housing was lost. Keeping people housed, rapidly re-housing, or housing people who are currently homeless instantly provides a safe place for quarantine, isolation, and social distancing. Ultimately, this response reduces the spread of COVID-19 and keeps the community's hospitals from being inundated.
  - *National Objective, Eligibility & Regulation Citation: Low-Mod Clientele Benefit [24 CFR Part 570.208(a)(2)], 03T Operating Costs of Homeless/Aids Patient Programs, 24 CFR Part 570.201(e) or 05Q Subsistence Payments, 24 CFR 570.207(b)(4)*

- **Eviction Prevention Efforts** – COVID-19 Prevention, Preparation, & Response - \$10,000 in CDBG funds. Eviction prevention efforts. This response reduces the spread of COVID-19 and keeps the community's hospitals from being inundated by keeping individuals housed. Project partner: High Plains Fair Housing Center.
  - *National Objective, Eligibility, & Regulation Citation: Low-Mod Clientele Benefit [24 CFR Part 570.208(a)(2)], 05K Tenant/Landlord Counseling, 24 CFR Part 570.201(e), 24 CFR Part 570.482(c)(2).*
- **HOUSING**
  - **Community Development Housing Organization (CHDO) Project** - \$100,000 in 'set-aside' HOME funds. New construction of affordable housing.
    - *National Objective: Low-Mod Housing Benefit, HOME Eligible Activity under 92.205(a)(1)*
  - **Multi-Family Rental** - \$447,400 in HOME funds. New construction of an affordable multi-family rental housing complex.
    - *HOME Eligible Activity under 92.205(a)(1)*
- **CONTINGENCY FUNDS**
  - Funds held in contingency for issues that may arise during the program year. \$18,000 in CDBG funds, \$5,000 in HOME funds.

#### **Contingency Provisions/Potential Adjustments to 2021 Activities & Budget**

- Budget adjustments transferring amounts greater than 10% of the amount allocated to the City's entitlement grant programs for program year 2021 are considered substantial amendments and will be implemented in accordance with Fargo's Citizen Participation Plan
- Unanticipated program income may result in a substantial amendment to amend activities and budgets in accordance with Fargo's Citizen Participation Plan
- All funding levels indicated above are estimated amounts

#### **Comments & Suggestions**

Comments and suggestions from the public are encouraged through a public comment period and/or at the public hearing (schedule below) (virtual or live). The 2021 draft plan is available online at [www.fargond.gov/planninganddevelopment/plansandstudies](http://www.fargond.gov/planninganddevelopment/plansandstudies) or by request through the Planning and Development Department. See contact information below.

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**30-Day Public Comment period:** May 27 through June 25, 2021

**Send written comments or phone:** City of Fargo  
Planning and Development Department  
Attn: Community Development Planning Coordinator  
225 4th Street North, Fargo ND 58102  
701.476.4144

**Electronic Comments:** [Planning@FargoND.gov](mailto:Planning@FargoND.gov)

**Public Hearing:** Monday, June 14, 2021 - 5:15 pm  
Fargo City Commission Chambers  
225 4th Street North, Fargo, ND 58102

**Final City Commission Consideration:** Monday, June 28, 2021 – 5:15 pm