

## **CDBG- CLOSE Grant Public Hearing**

On November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020, the Marinette City Council will hold a public hearing before considering a resolution to authorize the submission of two Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) - CLOSE grants. These grants would be used to fund:

- The reconstruction of Dunlap Avenue and Maple Avenue between Madison Avenue and Stephenson Street. The construction will include new water, sewer, and stormwater pipes, repaving, and new sidewalks.
- The addition of a 1,834 s.f. addition to an existing storage garage on Ludington Street to provide storage for the Marinette Fire Department.

The road project is expected to cost approximately \$805,000 and the storage facility is expected to cost \$110,000. No local match is needed for the grant.

All CDBG projects must meet the national objective of Low-and Moderate-Income benefit or the prevention and elimination of slum and blight. If a project meets one of the above national objectives, eligible activities include comprehensive plans, downtown or redevelopment plans, housing plans, curb and gutter improvements, street and sidewalk expansion or improvement, wastewater treatment facilities, wells and other water facilities, sewer and water system improvements, community centers, libraries, senior centers, fire stations, ADA accessibility improvements to public buildings, blighted building acquisition and demolition or rehabilitation, environmental remediation, business grants, workforce housing, job training, food pantries, drug rehabilitation, healthcare or dental clinics, and literacy programs.

The public is invited to comment on the proposed projects at a public hearing beginning at 5:50 p.m. on November 10<sup>th</sup> in the Council Chambers or comments can be sent to Amanda Arnold at [arnolda@ayresassociates.com](mailto:arnolda@ayresassociates.com).