



CITY OF BAYTOWN

PUBLIC NOTICE

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COMBINED NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

Date of Notice Posting: September 2, 2025

Project Name: Baytown - West Baytown Drainage Improvements - DR
State/Local Identifier: Application 1027/No. 25-143-003-F339

Contact:

Baytown City Hall
2401 Market Street
Baytown, TX 77522
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These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of Baytown.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about September 23, 2025 the City of Baytown, will submit a request to the General Land Office (GLO) for the release of Community Development Block Grant Disaster Relief (CDBG-DR) funds appropriated under the Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2018 (Pub. L. 115-123), as amended to undertake a project known as Baytown - West Baytown Drainage Improvements - DR, Application 1027/#No. 25-143-003-F339 for the purpose of enhancing safety and resilience in the West Baytown area by improving the drainage system to alleviate structural flooding, particularly during extreme rain events.

Project Location:

All work will occur in the City of Baytown, Harris County, Texas at the following locations:

Along Oklahoma Street, extending from approximately from 29.729937438, -95.006429591 to 29.721861468, -95.007779769

Staging Area, located at 3223 Minnesota St, Baytown, TX 77520.

Description of the Proposed Project [24 CFR 50.12 & 58.32; 40 CFR 1508.25]:

Flood and Drainage Facilities

The scope of this project includes drainage improvements to the existing right-of-way (ROW) area within Oklahoma Street extending from Minnesota Street to San Jacinto Bay. The design will also include sidewalk, full reconstruction of Oklahoma Street pavement and any water, wastewater utilities and pavement that will need to be replaced in order to construct the new storm sewer system consisting of 60-inch diameter, 10'x5' reinforced concrete boxes and 10'x7' outfall into San Jacinto Bay along with inlets, leads and manholes.

Project forecast cost \$9,344,956.00 and will be paid for with \$5,000,000 in HUD CDBG-DR grant funds administered by the General Land Office and \$2,131,831.00 in City funds and \$2,213,125.00 in County Funds.

Project Issues: Contamination and Toxic Substances, Endangered Species, Floodplain Management, Historic Preservation and Wetlands Protection: A full, detailed list of mitigation measures can be found in the Environmental Review Record.

Project Size and Beneficiaries:

The total area of disturbance will be 4.55 acres with a depth of 15 feet and will impact 1,125 persons. Of these persons, 814, or 66.45%, are of low to moderate income.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT:

The City of Baytown has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at Baytown City Hall, 2401 Market Street, Baytown, TX and may be examined or copied weekdays 9 A.M to 4 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to Baytown City Hall, 2401 Market Street, Baytown, TX 77522. All comments received by September 22, 2025 or within eighteen (18) days following this posting (whichever is later) will be considered by the City of Baytown prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which part of this Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION:

The City of Baytown certifies to GLO that Jason E. Reynolds in their capacity as City Manager, consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. GLO's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City of Baytown to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS:

GLO will accept objections to its release of funds and the City of Baytown's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City of Baytown; (b) the City of Baytown has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by GLO; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be

addressed to Heather Lagrone, Texas General Land Office, PO Box 12873, Austin, TX 78711-2873, env.reviews@recovery.texas.gov. Potential objectors should contact GLO to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

The City of Baytown is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable accommodations and equal access to communications will be provided upon request. For assistance please call the ADA Compliance Coordinator at 281-420-6522, Fax 281-420-6586, or contact 281-420-6522 via Relay Texas at 711 or 1-800-735- 2988 for TYY services. For more information concerning Relay Texas, please visit <http://relaytexas.com>. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact the City of Baytown at least two (2) days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

For more information or questions, please contact the City Clerk at 281-420-6504.



Angela Jackson, City Clerk
Posting Date: September 2, 2025
Time: 5:30 P.M.