



**Economic & Community
Development Agency**

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

**PRESENTED BY:
MIYA PETITGOUE, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR**

LEAD

**TOTAL FISCAL YEAR
PROJECTS COMPLETED:
SINCE MAY 2023
5**

SEPT. PROJECTS IN PROGRESS IN EACH WARD

1st Ward	3rd Ward	5th Ward	7th Ward
2nd Ward - 2	4th Ward	6th Ward - 1	

PROJECTS COMPLETED IN EACH WARD

SINCE MAY 2023

1st Ward	3rd Ward	5th Ward	7th Ward
2nd Ward - 3	4th Ward	6th Ward - 2	

HEALTHY HOMES

**TOTAL FISCAL YEAR
PROJECTS COMPLETED:**

SINCE MAY 2023

2

SEPT. PROJECTS IN PROGRESS IN EACH WARD

1st Ward - 1

3rd Ward

5th Ward - 2

7th Ward - 1

2nd Ward

4th Ward

6th Ward - 3

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SINCE MAY 2023

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5th Ward

7th Ward

2nd Ward

4th Ward

6th Ward - 2

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UPDATE:

No grant funds have been requested yet; all agencies have begun service



SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES:

Kankakee County NAACP (\$6,000)

- Operations

Catholic Charities (\$23,000)

- Horizons Transitional Housing

Kankakee Eastside Junior Football League (\$17,000)

- Youth Football Programming

Options Center for Independent Living (\$15,000)

- Homeless Services (Hotel Voucher Program)

BRADLEY

**INTERGOVERNMENTAL
AGREEMENT**

**10 TOTAL
PROJECTS**

UPDATE:

- Lead Inspection/Risk Assessments completed for all but one (1) property.
- Submitting E.R. documentation to State for approval to move forward with bidding.
- Finishing updates with resident intake documentation.
- Working with Bradley on extension for this grant

ECDA ARPA PROGRAMS

M.I.R.A.

Round One -

8 projects completed | CLOSED

Round Two -

APPLICATION CLOSED

4 Assessments completed

10 addition projects in intake process

KARPPS

Round One -

Total expended: \$323,244.60
out of \$348,627.00 (92.7%)

Round Two -

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RENTAL REHAB
PROGRAM CLOSED



SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES:

Has Not Entered into Grant Agreement

- Azzarelli Outreach Clinic
- Gift of God
- Hippocrates Medical Clinic

Tyjuan Hagler Foundation

- First Request for Funding @ \$5,848.51
- Second Request for Funding @ \$7,417.03
- AVAILABLE FUNDING: \$11,734.46

Kankakee Jr. Kays

- Invoices approved by City Council for first Request for Funding @ \$50,097.45
- AVAILABLE FUNDING: \$4,902.55

Visionary Community Kitchen

- First Request for Funding @ \$10,100
- AVAILABLE FUNDING: \$14,900

ECDA MISC PROGRAMS

PSCIP

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

HRAP

\$500,000.00 from IHDA

Program Start Date: October 16, 2023

PRIORITY: Accessibility needs on Wait List

OUTREACH



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EVENTS ATTENDED

REACHED

Community Conversation @ City Life Center | Sept. 14th

7 attendees

Hispanic Heritage Celebration @ Farmer's Market

17 Interacted

Kankakee Housing Fair @ KPL | Sept. 19th

46 attendees

Marycrest Fall Festival | Sept. 23rd

13+ interacted

Healthy Homes Workshop | Sept. 26th

1 attendee



NEIGHBORHOOD WALKS

ECDA Staff & Guests walked on three (3) different occasions in the month of September. We were able to reach over 500 houses in the 1st, 2nd, and 7th wards!

NEWSLETTER

19 subscribers added since September 1st

938 total subscribers

PUBLIC NOTICE/PRESS RELEASE

**September 19, 2023 | ECDA to Host Business Workshop In Spanish on
Creating a Business Plan**

**September 21, 2023 | ECDA to Host Educational Workshop on Home
Health Hazard Reduction**

**September 27, 2023 | ECDA to Host Final 2023 Community Conversation
at Kankakee Public Library**

SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook followers as of Sept. 25 – 829

Instagram followers as of Sept. 25 - 198

 **@ECDAkankakee**

 **@kankakeeECDA**

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Spanish Business Workshop @ ECDA Conference Room

October 3, 2023 | 5:00 - 6:30 PM

Community Conversation @ Kankakee Public Library

October 12, 2023 | 6:00 PM

Halloween Downtown

October 15, 2023 | 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Business After Hours @ Executive Center

October 19, 2023 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM

Lead Workshop @ ECDA Conference Room

October 24, 2023 | 5:30 PM

ECDA @ Kankakee Farmers' Market

October 28, 2023 | 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM



REPORT FROM

CONTRACTOR

MEETING

27 ATTENDEES

COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Kankakee County Chamber of Commerce

Samantha Rocknowski, Community Outreach Coordinator, serves as a Chamber Ambassador

Kankakee Continuum of Care Meeting

Marlena Kalafut, CDBG Program Manager, services as Kankakee CoC Secretary

Kankakee County Community Outreach Leadership Team (KCCOLT)

Samantha Rocknowski, Community Outreach Coordinator, facilitates KCCOLT

Kankakee County Hispanic Partnership (KCHP)

Varies ECDA Staff Members attend KCHP meetings