

# *PROCLAMATION*

**WHEREAS,** on February 7, 2023, Governor Ivey signed the proclamation declaring the week of April 10-14, 2023, as Community Development Week; and

**WHEREAS,** the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program has operated since 1974 to provide local governments with the resources to primarily meet the needs of low-income and moderate-income residents; and

**WHEREAS,** the CDBG Program provides annual funding and flexibility to local communities to provide decent, safe, and affordable housing, a suitable living environment, and economic opportunities to low-income and moderate-income people; and

**WHEREAS,** over the past five years, the City of Dothan has received a total of \$1,512,908 in CDBG funds and has funded a variety of projects that have directly benefited our citizens and neighborhoods.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Saliba,** Mayor of the City of Dothan, and in such capacity, do hereby proclaim the week of April 10-14, 2023, as

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in the City of Dothan and in support of this valuable program that has made tremendous contributions to the viability of the housing stock, infrastructure, public services, and the economic well-being of our community, and urge all citizens to join in recognizing the Community Development Block Grant Program and the important role that it plays in our community.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dothan to be affixed the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023.

**SEAL**



**Attest:**

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**Wendy Shiver**  
City Clerk

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**Mark Saliba**  
Mayor