

Proclamation

CITY OF ORLANDO - OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

- WHEREAS,** the week of April 1-5, 2024, has been designated as National Community Development Week to celebrate the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program; and
- WHEREAS,** this year marks the 50th anniversary of the signing of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, which established the CDBG Program; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Orlando is committed to ensuring that every person has equal access to quality housing that is safe and affordable; and
- WHEREAS,** the CDBG and HOME Programs seek solutions through private and public partnerships, and address prioritized needs as identified through citizen input; and
- WHEREAS,** CDBG and HOME Program funds have been administered by the City of Orlando and have positively impacted the city, and its residents, through the leveraging of federal dollars, thereby promoting fair housing and providing affordable housing, assistance for the homeless, and elimination of slum and blight; and
- WHEREAS,** the CDBG and HOME Programs are valuable programs that have made tremendous contributions to the viability of the housing stock, infrastructure, public services and economic vitality of our community;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Buddy Dyer, Mayor of the City of Orlando; do hereby proclaim the week of April 1-5, 2024, as

“National Community Development Week”

in the City of Orlando.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Orlando to be affixed this 1st day of April 2024.



Buddy Dyer
MAYOR