



**Jeff Landry**  
GOVERNOR

## **Proclamation**

**WHEREAS,**

the Community Development Block Grant Program has operated since 1974 to provide local governments with the resources required to primarily meet the needs of low- and moderate-income persons; and

**WHEREAS,**

the Community Development Block Grant Program is among the few remaining federal programs available to address the needs of low and moderate income persons and small cities; and

**WHEREAS,**

the Community Development Block Grant Program has provided the state of Louisiana with important and flexible assistance to meet the needs of low- and moderate-income residents of small cities by funding sewer, water, street improvements projects, economic development projects, clearance/demolition, and Make a Difference projects; and

**WHEREAS,**

Congress and the nation acknowledge the critical value of the Community Development Block Grant Program and the significant projects that rely on its funds for support; and

**WHEREAS,**

the week of April 21-25, 2025, has been reserved for recognition and appreciation of the Community Development Block Grant Program

**NOW, THEREFORE,**

**I, Jeff Landry, Governor of Louisiana, do hereby proclaim**  
April 21-25, 2025, as

**Community Development Week in the State of Louisiana**  
and I call this observance to the attention of all of our citizens.