

Louisiana Office of Community Development Local Government Assistance Section



Louisiana

State CDBG allocation for FY 2023 is \$22,759,065.

Total CDBG-CV allocation is \$44,336,196.

State program has been primarily dedicated to fund public infrastructure projects, such as sewer, water, and street improvements.

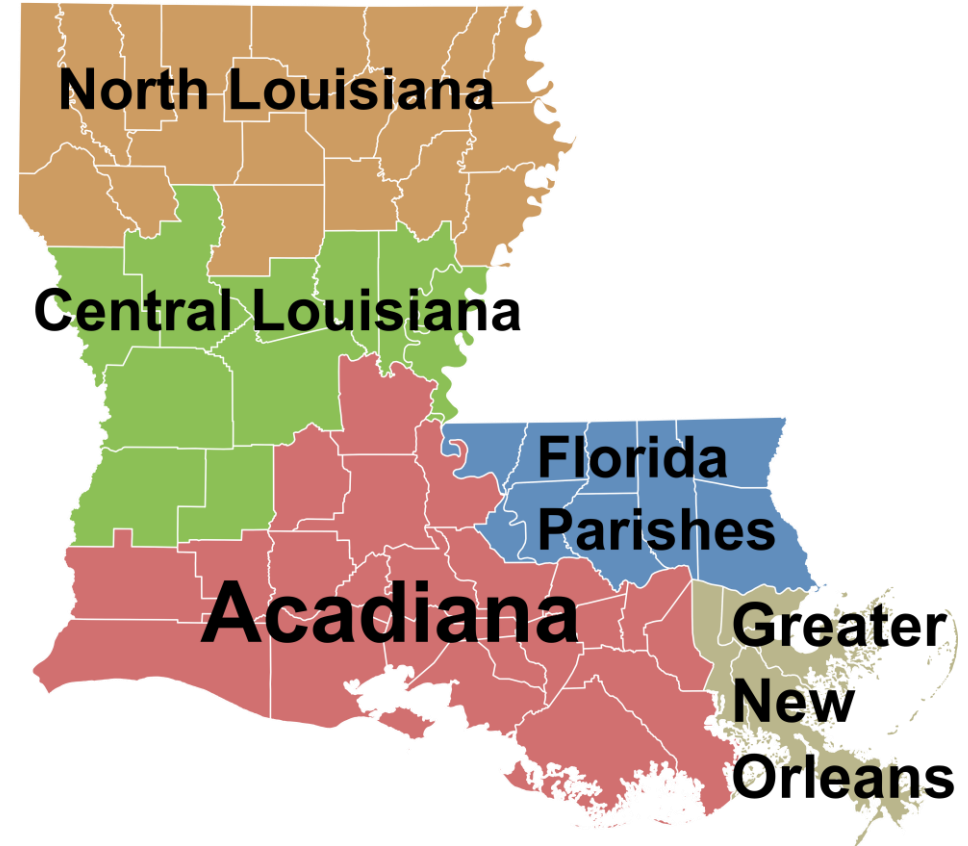
Louisiana State CDBG Program

306 municipalities and 64 parishes

15 entitlements

289 non-entitlement municipalities
and

58 non-entitlement parishes



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As part of the consolidated planning process, OCD-LGA conducts a state-wide needs assessment. Infrastructure improvements for public utility systems has been designated as the number one need for local governments.

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TOOLS USED FOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT

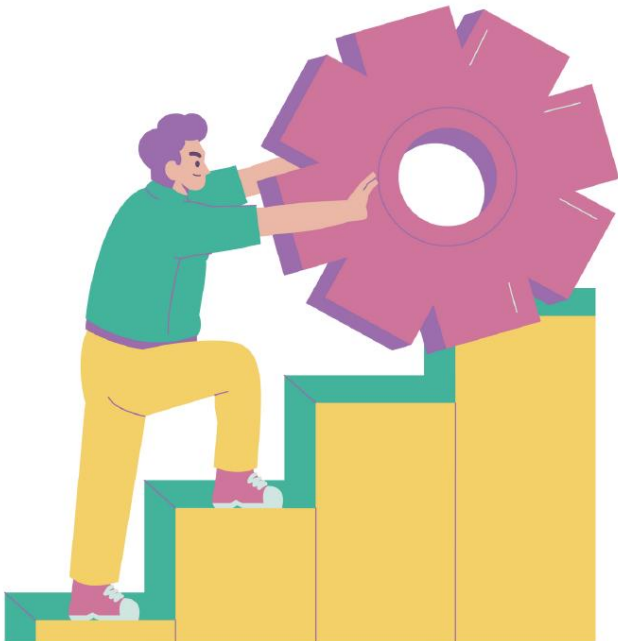
- Online survey tool
- Public meetings
- Association meetings
- Website

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

- Association meetings
- Webinars
- Workshops
- Social media
- Monthly virtual technical assistance hour

Citizen Participation Challenges

- Lack of participation
- Not reaching the correct audience
- Outdated methods of notification required by HUD



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