

## **Public Posting Notice**

**(Belknap County)**

### **Community Development Block Grant Application**

The Belknap County Commissioners will hold three consecutive public hearings on January 8, 2014 at 7:30 am at the Commissioner's Office located at 34 County Drive, Laconia, NH, to hear public comment on a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) public facilities grant application proposal to the NH Community Development Finance Authority (CDFA). Up to \$500,000 is available annually on a competitive basis for housing/public facilities, economic development and emergency activities that directly benefit low- and moderate-income persons. Up to \$12,000 is available for Feasibility Studies. The proposal to be heard includes:

1. A proposed Public Facilities grant for up to \$250,000 in CDBG funds. The funds will be used to purchase the St. James Church property for the Boys and Girls Club of the Lakes Region. This new facility will allow the Boys and Girls Club to expand their operations and programs and to create 35 additional child care slots over the next two years, including 25 that are typically used by low- to moderate-income children and their families.
2. Review and Adoption or Re-adoption of Belknap County's Housing and Community Development Plan.
3. Review and Adoption of the Residential Anti-displacement and Relocation Plan.

Interested persons are invited to attend and comment on the proposed application and planning documents. Please contact the County's Office at (603) 527-5400 five days in advance if you need assistance to attend or participate in the hearing. Anyone wishing to submit written comments should address them to the Belknap County, 34 County Drive, Laconia, NH 03246.