Scranton, Pennsylvania Office of Economic and Community Development (OECD) Notice of Proposed Substantial Amendments to 2015 and 2016 Action Plans

OECD will be accepting public comments **beginning on Thursday, October, 10 2019, for a period of Thirty (30) days** on a Substantial Amendments of the 2015 and 2016 Action Plans that will include utilizing One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred and Two Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$126,902.90) from the Home Investment Partnership Program to build a two (2) unit rental house for low income families in the City of Scranton **or** acquire and rehab two (2) vacant houses in the City of Scranton for low income families by and through the Scranton Lackawanna Resources Development Corporation, a subsidiary of the Scranton Lackawanna Human Development Agency.

This Notice provides citizens an opportunity for a period of thirty (30) days to comment. All written comments must be received by the City of Scranton's OECD by no later than end of business day on **Thursday, November 7, 2019.** Only after the public comment period is completed and legislation passed and signed by the Mayor, will OECD then submit the proposed Substantial Amendment for review by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). HUD has forty-five (45) days to approve the Substantial Amendment. Only after HUD and the City of Scranton sign the grant agreement can the City execute a contract with Scranton Lackawanna Resources Development Corporation.

You may contact OECD for more information at (570) 348-4216, extension 4256. Please mail in your written comments to: Office of Economic and Community Development, Attn: Executive Director, Municipal Building, 340 North Washington Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503.

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