NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TOWN OF MAXTON FY 16/20 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of Maxton will hold a public hearing on **Tuesday, February 20, 2024, at 7:00 PM**, or as soon thereafter as the agenda will allow, at the Town Hall, 201 McCaskill Avenue, Maxton, NC 28364. Please visit the Town's website for more info at www.ci.maxton.nc.us. The purpose of the public hearing is to clarify the project area for the FY 16/20 Community Development Block Grant- Infrastructure (CDBG-I) Water Rehabilitation/Replacement Project and allow residents an opportunity to express their views. The total project budget remains unchanged at \$1,999,299 in CDBG-I funds (100% of total project costs) from NC Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) Division of Water Infrastructure (DWI).

The initial project included like-for-like replacement of approximately 12,729 LF of aged 4 and 6-inch diameter water mains on portions of McCaskill, Cottingham, Graham, Central, First, Hooper, Henderson, Martin Luther King Jr., Holly, and Sixth Streets that experience frequent failures. Due to bid prices received, the construction scope will be reduced down to replacement of approx. 5,695 LF of water line, addressing segments by ranked percent serving low- and moderate-income (LMI) residential areas. The project will continue to benefit at least 51% LMI households, and therefore, 100% of the CDBG funds will be used to benefit LMI persons.

Persons having any questions concerning the CDBG-I Program are urged to attend the public hearing, make their views known, and submit comments. The project amendment package will be submitted to DWI within approx. two weeks after all required CDBG forms are executed. A public information file exists at Town Hall and may be viewed upon request. For additional information or to submit written comments, please contact: Town Manager Angela Pitchford at PO Box 99, Maxton, NC 28364 (Mailing); 201 McCaskill Avenue, Maxton, NC 28364 (Town Hall Physical); PH: 910-844-5231; manager@ci.maxton.nc.us. Comments should be postmarked no later than Friday, February 23, 2024, and a written response will be made within 10 business days. The Town does not discriminate based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, handicap, age, familial status, in the admission, access to, treatment or employment in the CDBG program and activities. Efforts will be made to minimize displacement during project implementation and applicable utility easements, and displacement assistance as necessary will be available. Persons with disabilities, limited English proficiency, or who otherwise require special accommodations should contact the Town at 910-844-5231, TDD: 800-735-2962 (Relay Service at 711), at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

This information is available in Spanish or any other language upon request. Please contact Town Manager Angela Pitchford at 910-844-5231 or PO Box 99, 201 McCaskill Avenue, Maxton, NC 28364 for assistance. Esta información está disponible en español o en cualquier otro idioma bajo petición. Por favor, póngase en contacto con Town Manager Angela Pitchford al 910-844-5231 o PO Box 99, 201 McCaskill Avenue, Maxton, NC 28364 para obtener ayuda.

Angela Pitchford, Town Manager

