



**CITY OF GARY
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
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**CITY OF GARY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
BID PACKAGE AVAILABILITY**

The Community Development Department is requesting bids for home rehabilitation work at a selected location.

The rehabilitation work to be performed under the Department's **Owner Occupied Rehabilitation Program** will be funded with **HOME Investment Partnerships funds**. The **HOME** funds will be provided as a grant to owner-occupied Gary residents with income at or below 80% of the AMI. Contractors submitting bids must be licensed general contractors, must have bonding and insurance and must be certified under the U.S. EPA's Renovation, Repair and Painting (RRP) rule for lead-safe work practices. Copies of licenses, bonding and insurance must be provided.

ALL Bid Packages will be available on Wednesday, March 14, 2018 through Friday, March 16, 2018; Monday, March 19, 2018 through Friday, March 23, 2018; Monday, March 26, 2018 and Tuesday, March 27, 2018 between the hours of 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM ONLY. ALL Bid Packages are distributed in the Department of Public Works, 401 Broadway, 3rd Floor Gary, Indiana 46402. To receive a Bid Package, you must report to the Public Works Department.

Bids will be received up to and including the time for the call for bids at the meeting of the Board of Public Works and Safety on **Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at 10:00 AM**. The Board of Public Works and Safety meeting is held at Gary City Hall, 401 Broadway, 2nd Floor in the Cleo Wesson Lounge. **Bids may be submitted prior to the meeting at the Department of Public Works, 401 Broadway, 3rd Floor Gary, Indiana 46402. For more information, contact Public Works at 219-881-1310.**

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City of Gary's Mission

To serve the current and future citizens of Gary by providing a safe, clean and working city that continuously improves the quality of life of its residents and establishes Gary as a national model for urban revitalization.

City of Gary's Vision

The City of Gary will be safe, smart, accessible, prosperous and green. City Hall will provide the citizens of Gary with effective and responsive service while maintaining high ethical standards and fiscal discipline.