PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF WAYCROSS ACCEPTING HOUSING APPLICATIONS CHIP #2024-119

The City of Waycross will begin accepting housing applications for its CHIP Grant from owner-occupants immediately for homeowners living within the following neighborhoods <u>only</u>:

Census Tract 9508.02: Area bounded by Ketterer Street, N. Crawford Street, Carswell Avenue, Clinton Street, Jane Steet, and Perham Street.

On May 9, 2024 the City of Waycross was awarded a Community HOME Investment Program Grant in the amount of \$500,000 to provide decent, safe, energy efficient and affordable housing to low-moderate income individuals living in substandard housing within the above target area. It is anticipated that eight (8) homeowners will be helped by this grant for rehabilitation and/or reconstruction of their residences.

Assistance will be provided on a <u>first-come-first-served basis</u> by contacting Jacob Ryan of the Southern Georgia Regional Commission at (229) 333-5277 to be placed on the housing list/waiting list. After being placed on the list, an application will be mailed (or may be picked up) that must be fully completed and returned, in order to participate.

The City of Waycross is committed to providing all persons with equal access to its services, programs, activities, education and employment regardless of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, familial status, disability or age. Persons with special needs relating to handicapped accessibility or foreign language should contact City Clerk Jacqualine Powell. This person can be located at the City of Waycross City Hall, 417 Pendleton Street, Waycross, GA 31501 and is available between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays, or you may call (912) 490-2106. Persons with hearing disabilities may consider using the Georgia Relay Service, at (TDD) 800-255-0056 or (Voice) 800-255-0135.

