

## **Roles and Responsibilities of CDBG Advisory Committee**

### **Purpose**

To provide input and recommendations to the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) on the CDBG Program that are consistent with federal requirements and result in good policies, procedures and regulations designed to benefit low- to moderate- income individuals residing in non-entitlement communities of California. The CDBG Advisory Committee members' roles include the following:

- *Serve as an advocate for ALL non-entitlement jurisdictions, including non-Federally recognized tribes and Colonias;*
- *Advise HCD and CDBG staff on issues that impact the mission, goals and strategies of the CDBG non-entitlement program;*
- *Provide effective recommendations to address the needs of low and moderate income people while considering broader community, housing and economic development goals of participating communities;*
- *Share information about the CDBG program to help educate stakeholders;*
- *Provide the expertise and knowledge outside of State Government;*
- *Notify HCD of solicitations for technical assistance received by Members; and*
- *Serve as a consultative group on new policies, planning issues, program changes and activities.*