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Presentation to Town of Royalston  
Community Development Block Grant  
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The Athol Office of Planning and Development is planning a second presentation in the Town of Royalston about the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), and the Regional Housing Rehabilitation program. This presentation is designed to better inform residents of the opportunities and constraints involved in the CDBG program, including eligibility, renovation, contracting and funding issues. We will also discuss other funding options that are available, such as the MassHousing Get the Lead Out program and a MassHousing funded septic repair program that have different eligibility requirements. This office will show Royalston Residents before and after pictures of renovation projects, samplings of the paperwork involved and discuss a typical rehabilitation project from start to finish. Additionally, there will be a discussion on the level of support that residents will receive from this office as well as a period for questions and answers. The presentation is scheduled for Thursday, December 13 at 7:00 PM, at the Royalston Town Hall. Any questions about this program may be directed to Phil Delorey, Athol Town Planner & Grant Administrator at 978 575 0301 or the Royalston Selectmen's office at 978 249 9641.