FY 2019 Housing and Urban Development Entitlement Grants Budget

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Council Action Request

Adoption of FY 2019 HUD Annual Action Plan Budget totaling \$21.1 million:

- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
- HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME)
- Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)
- HEARTH Emergency Solutions Grant (HESG)
- Begins October 1, 2018 to September 30, 2019









FY 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan Five Year Priorities

Priority 1: Provide Decent Safe Affordable Housing Rehabilitate existing housing stock Create new affordable single-family housing Provide homebuyer assistance Develop new affordable Further Fair Housing

Priority 2: Neighborhood Revitalization **Efforts** Create mixed-income neighborhoods Improve public improvements Eliminate environmental hazards and blight

Priority 3: Provide for Special **Populations** for persons with

Priority 4: Housing and support services for homeless Prevent at risk-persons from becoming homeless

Priority 5: Provide Economic Development Provide Financial Literacy Training



Annual Entitlement Award Year-Over-Year Budget

Grant	FY 2018 (in Millions)	FY 2019 (in Millions)	Variance (in Millions)
CDBG	\$11.6	\$12.74	\$1.14
HOME	3.9	5.49	1.59
HESG	1.03	1.04	0.01
HOPWA	1.42	1.61	0.19
Total	\$17.95	\$20.88	\$2.9

Federal Fiscal Year Appropriations Bill

- President's Fiscal Year 2018 budget proposed to zero out CDBG and HOME funding, however Congress allocated additional funding (Funding for use in City's FY 2019 budget)
- For Federal FY 2019, the President's budget proposes to eliminate CDBG and HOME funding potentially impacting the City's FY 2020 Budget, resulting in more general fund pressure



Annual Year-Over-Year Budget Including Program Income

Grant	FY 2018 (in Millions)	FY 2019 (in Millions)	Variance (in Millions)
CDBG	\$12.17	\$12.99	\$0.82
HOME	4.90	5.49	0.59
HESG	1.03	1.04	0.01
HOPWA	1.42	1.61	0.19
Total	\$19.52	\$21.13	\$1.61





CDBG Budget - \$12.99 Million

Priority 1 - Affordable Housing (\$8.7 million)

- Housing Delivery
 - \$632,000
- Fair Housing Program
 - \$246,600
 - 325 Persons Assisted
- Green & Healthy Homes Match
 - \$350,000
 - 60 Housing Units
- Support Affordable Housing Development
 - \$5,000,000
 - 75 Housing Units

Priority 1 – Continued

- Single-Family Rehabilitation
 - \$3,031,889
 - 34 Housing Units
- Minor Repair Activities
 - \$150,000
 - 6 Housing Units

Priority 2 – Neighborhood Revitalization (\$937,749)

- Code Enforcement Activities
 - \$187,749
 - 1500 Housing Units

Priority 3 – Special Needs Populations (\$772,422)

- Public Service Activities
 - \$500,000
- Parks & Recreation Activities
 - \$272,422
 - 21,880 Persons Assisted

Priority 5 – Economic Development (\$200,000)

- Financial Education Program
 - \$200,000
 - 400 Persons Assisted

Other

- Administration and Direct Services
 - \$2.42 million
 - Funds 37 positions in two departments: NHSD & CAO

FY 2019 CDBG Additional Funding Capacity Increase \$8.7 Million

- Additional FY 2019 Entitlement Funding: \$1.1M
- Eastpoint Neighborhood Improvement Commitment Complete: \$2.5M
- HUD 108 Loan Refinancing: \$4.8M
- FY 2018 One-Time Public Facility Improvement: \$304,500
- Allows to fund more owner occupied rehab and affordable housing gap financing





HUD 108 Loan Refinancing

- HUD 108 Original Loan Amount: \$57 million
- Loan Execution Date: June 2006
- Term: 20 Years, Twelve years paid, eight years remain
- Current annual loan payment amount is \$4.8M of City's annual CDBG entitlement which represents 40% of entitlement
- In Fall 2017, City's CFO recommended refinancing loan within the debt plan
- Refinancing with property tax supported debt will allow the City to use an additional \$4.8M in entitlement funds for affordable housing development
- Refinancing results in net present value interest cost savings of approximately \$2.8M





Single Family Rehabilitation/Reconstruction

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BEFORE



AFTER





HOME Budget - \$5.49 Million

Priority 1 - Affordable Housing (\$5 million)

- Single-Family Rehabilitation/Reconstruction
 - \$1,500,000
 - 18 Housing Units
- Rental Housing Development
 - \$1,250,000
 - 10 Housing Units
- Homeownership Housing Development
 - \$1,250,000
 - 25 Housing Units

Priority 1 - Affordable Housing (Continued)

- Homebuyer Incentive Program
 - \$926,736
 - 97 Housing Units
- CHDO Operating Expense Funding
 - \$75,000
 - 2 CHDOs

Other

• Administration - \$489,891



FY 2019 Allocations for Owner Occupied Rehabilitation/ Reconstruction

Activity	Fund	Allocation
Single-Family Rehabilitation/ Reconstruction Program	HOME	\$1,500,000
Single-Family Rehabilitation Program	CDBG	\$3,031,889
TOTAL		\$4,531,889
FY 2019 Budget Request for Single-Family Rehabilitation/ Reconstruction Program (Subject to City Council Approval)	General Fund	\$2,000,000
TOTAL		\$6,531,889*

^{*\$6.5} Million is all new funding. There are no homeowners selected for this new money at this time.



HOPWA Budget - \$1.61 Million

HESG Budget - \$1.04 Million

Priority 3 – Special Needs Populations (\$1.59 million)

- Tenant-Based Rental Assistance
 - \$481,882
- Transportation
 - \$257,004
- Transitional Housing
 - \$240,941
- Housing Information Assistance
 - \$337,317
- Food and Nutrition
 - \$144,564
- Case Management
 - \$96,376

Other

• Administration - \$48,188



Priority 4 – Housing Services for Homeless Populations (\$992,552)

- Emergency Shelter
 - \$511,948
- Homeless Prevention
 - \$282,094
- Rapid Re-Housing
 - \$198,510

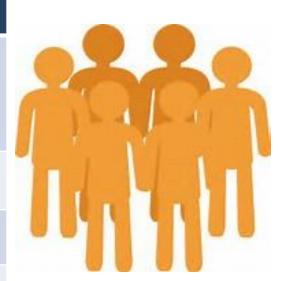
Other

• Administration - \$52,240



Program Delivery, Compliance & Monitoring Budgets Authorize 47 Positions Totaling \$3.6M

Department	FY 2018 Positions	FY 2019 Positions
Neighborhood and Housing Services Program Delivery, Compliance & Monitoring	32	35
City Attorney's Office Legal Services/ Contracts	2	2
Human Services Fair Housing and Financial Education	7	7
Development Services Code Compliance	3	3





HUD FY 2019 Action Plan/Budget Development Timeline

Key dates include the following:

- May 16, 2018 Comprehensive Plan Committee Policy Funding Strategy
- May 20, 2018 Initiation of Public Comment Period
- June 13, 2018 First Public Hearing
- June 20, 2018 Comprehensive Plan Committee Funding Strategy Update
- July 11, 2018 Second Public Hearing
- August 1, 2018 Third Public Hearing
- August 2, 2018 City Council Consideration of Budget Adoption
- August 15, 2018 FY 2019 Action Plan & Budget due to HUD





Public Input

- Over 1,300 Written Comments Submitted
 - Recommend Increased Funding for Homeownership Development and Single Family Rehabilitation/ Reconstruction
- Approximately 1,500 Create Your Own Budget Exercises Completed
 - Recommended Increased Funding for Rental Housing Development, Homeownership Housing Development and CHDO Operating Expense Funding





Recommendation

Staff recommends the adoption of FY 2019 HUD federal grants totaling \$21.1 million and authorizing 47 grant funded positions:

- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) \$12.99M
- HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME) \$5.4M
- Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) \$1.6M
- HEARTH Emergency Solutions Grant (HESG) \$1.04M

