



CITY OF AURORA, ILLINOIS

RESOLUTION NO. R15-117
DATE OF PASSAGE April 28, 2015

A Resolution Authorizing an Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendment (2015 - #1) to Reflect Funding Allocations for the Community Development Block Grant Program – Downtown Façade Improvement Project and Aurora Interfaith Food Pantry Vehicular/Pedestrian Safety Project

WHEREAS, the City of Aurora has a population of more than 25,000 persons and is, therefore, a home rule unit under subsection (a) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, subject to said Section, a home rule unit may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs for the protection of the public health, safety, morals, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the City of Aurora has initiated numerous community development and housing activities through funding by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; and

WHEREAS, the City of Aurora has a Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan which have been adopted by the City Council and which have defined priorities for CDBG funding; and

WHEREAS, the City of Aurora's Block Grant Working Committee recommended adoption of the Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendment # 2015-1 to reflect CDBG funding reallocations at its March 4, 2015 meeting; and

WHEREAS, funding will be available in the 2015 City Budget, CDBG program account 221-1330-801-43-02, for the Downtown Façade Improvement Project (\$100,000) and Aurora Interfaith Food Pantry Vehicular/Pedestrian Safety Project (\$150,000).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Aurora, Illinois, as follows: Approves a Resolution authorizing an Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendment (2015 - #1) to reflect funding allocations for the Community Development Block Grant programs and authorizes the City's Neighborhood Redevelopment

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Manager to sign contracts and documents associated with Substantial Amendment #2015-1, and that all other aspects of the City's Annual Action Plan remain in full force and effect.

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PASSED AND APPROVED on April 28, 2015

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Alderman Bohman, Ward 1

Alderman Mesiacos, Ward 3

Alderman Peters, Ward 5

Alderman Hart-Burns, Ward 7

Alderman Bugg, Ward 9

Alderman Irvin, At Large

Alderman Garza, Ward 2

Alderman Donnell, Ward 4

Alderman Saville, Ward 6

Alderman Mervine, Ward 8

Alderman Johnson, Ward 10

Alderman O'Connor, At Large

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Thomas Weisner

Mayor

15-00184

RECOMMENDATION

TO: THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

FROM: THE PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The Planning & Development Committee at Their Meeting on Thursday, March 12, 2015

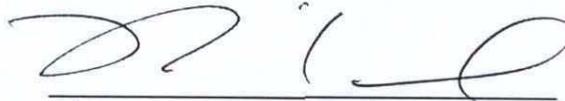
Recommended **APPROVAL** A Resolution Authorizing an Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendment (2015 - #1) to Reflect Funding Allocations for the Community Development Block Grant Program – Downtown Façade Improvement Project and Aurora Interfaith Food Pantry Vehicular/Pedestrian Safety Project

VOTE 3-0

Submitted By



Alderman Michael Saville, Chairman



Alderman Richard C. Irvin



Alderman William "Bill" Donnell

Alderman Scheketa Hart-Burns, Alternate

Dated This 9th Day of March 2015