

**Public Hearing Minutes
Block Grant Working Committee
Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendments (2021-#2)
Monday, August 9, 2021 – 1:00 p.m.
Aurora City Hall, 5th Floor, Room B – 44 E. Downer Place, Aurora, Illinois**

BLOCK GRANT WORKING COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: George Scowins

CITY STAFF PRESENT: Amy Munro, Tara Neff, Elizabeth Carrizales

OTHERS PRESENT: None

Ms. Munro opened the public hearing at 1:00 p.m. for Substantial Amendment 2021-#2

Ms. Munro introduced Block Grant Working Committee member, George Scowins and Community Development Division staff from the City of Aurora, Elizabeth Carrizales, Tara Neff, and Amy Munro.

Ms. Munro opened the public hearing for Substantial Amendment 2021-2. She stated that the purpose of the Public Hearing was not to discuss or respond to specific questions regarding Substantial Amendment 2021-2. The purpose of the public hearing was to obtain public input for the City Council in their consideration of the funding recommendations and Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendments and will be included in the amended Action Plan HUD submitted to HUD.

Ms. Munro reviewed the public participation process as outlined in the Public Notice.

Ms. Munro also advised that prior to the public hearing, the public hearing notice was posted on the City's website on Friday, July 23, 2021 and a summary of proposed Substantial Amendment 2021-2 to the City's 2020 Annual Action Plan was made available for review and public comment on the City of Aurora's website, City of Aurora-Community Development Division, 44 E. Downer Place, Aurora, IL, and at the City's three library branches. On Sunday, July 25, 2021, the notice was posted in The Beacon News. The public hearing notice advised that upon advance request, the City would provide translation services to meet the needs of non-English speaking residents.

Ms. Munro concluded her comments on Substantial Amendment 2021-#2 public notice. She stated that no one from the public was in attendance to provide comments.

Ms. Munro closed the public hearing at 1:04 p.m.