

04/05/2021

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION relating to the adoption of the City of Vancouver Community Development Block Grant COVID-19 (CDBG-CV) funding allocation plan for inclusion in the 2020 Action Plan; authorizing the City Manager to execute agreements on behalf of the City of Vancouver consistent with the CDBG and HOME Investment Partnerships Annual 2020 Action Plan, providing for severability and an effective date.

WHEREAS, the City of Vancouver received an allocation of \$1,127,065 in CARES Act Community Development Block Grant (CDBG-CV) funds through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes the importance of providing timely assistance funding in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, a community scoring committee has reviewed and prioritized projects that prevent, prepare for or respond to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, funding will be awarded to community partners for public services and business assistance projects that respond to COVID-19;

WHEREAS, the CARES Act provides CDBG grantees with timing flexibilities that make it easier to use CDBG-CV grants; and

WHEREAS, the City will amend the 2020 Action Plan to add the CDBG-CV funding allocation plan; and

WHEREAS, the City Council reviewed the initial CDBG-CV funding awards via a workshop on March 1, 2021; and

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WHEREAS, adoption of the CDBG-CV funding plan is required to receive and award HUD funding.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF VANCOUVER:

Section 1. The recitals set forth above are adopted as findings supporting the action of the City Council in adopting this resolution.

Section 2. The Community Development Block Grant COVID-19 (CDBG-CV) funding allocation plan, attached as Exhibit A and incorporated by reference, is hereby approved and incorporated into the 2019 Action Plan.

Section 3. Authorizing for the City Manager to execute agreements on behalf of the City of Vancouver consistent with the CDBG and HOME Investment Partnerships Annual 2019 Action Plan.

Section 4. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this resolution should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this resolution.

Section 5. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

Ayes: Councilmembers

Nays: Councilmembers

Absent: Councilmembers

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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Anne McEnerny Ogle, Mayor

Attest:

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Natasha Ramras, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Jonathan Young, City Attorney