



URGENT ITEM AGENDA REPORT Government Code Section 54954.2(b)(2)

THIS ITEM IS NOT LISTED ON THE SEPTEMBER 12, 2023 REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA AND MAY BE ACCEPTED FOR THE AGENDA AS A LATE ITEM, SUBJECT TO THE CITY COUNCIL'S DISCRETION ACCORDING TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54954.2(b)(2)

Item Description: Amendment to the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Joint Recipient Cooperative Agreement for Federal Fiscal Years 2024, 2025, and 2026

This item is submitted to the City Council pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2(b)(2):

There is a need to take immediate action and the need for action came to the attention of the local agency subsequent to the agenda for this meeting being posted.

Recommendation: Add this item to the City Council Consent Calendar Agenda.

To add this item to the Agenda, requires a two-thirds vote of the City Council. If the item is added, it will be included on the City Council Consent Calendar and must be passed by the standard required majority vote. The Consent Calendar Staff Report is attached

Facts supporting the addition of the item to the agenda under Section 54954.2(b):

On July 11, 2023, the City Council approved a Joint Recipient Cooperation Agreement with the County of Riverside to participate in the Urban County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program for Fiscal Years 2024-2025, 2025-2026, and 2026-2027. The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires additional language regarding compliance with federal statutes, regulations and other applicable laws. To satisfy HUD's requirements, the County has requested all participating jurisdictions to sign the proposed Amendment. Staff was notified after the September 12 Agenda was posted that the deadline to submit the approved Amendment is this Friday, September 15. The proposed Amendment does not change the basic terms or the dollar amounts of the Agreement.

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REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Jason Simpson, City Manager

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Date: September 12, 2023

Subject: Approval of an Amendment to the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Joint Recipient Cooperative Agreement for Federal Fiscal Years 2024, 2025, and 2026

Recommendation

Authorize the Mayor to execute an amendment to the Joint Recipient Cooperation Agreement with the County of Riverside to satisfy HUD requirements.

Background

On July 11, 2023, the City executed a Joint Recipient Cooperation Agreement with the County of Riverside allowing the City to participate in the Urban County Community Development Block Grant program for Fiscal Years 2024-2025, 2025-2026, and 2026-2027.

Discussion

In order to be compliant with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requirements, the County has presented an Amendment with the following provisions:

- 1. Paragraph 4 Compliance with Federal Statutes, Regulations and Other Applicable Statutes, Regulations and Ordinances
- 2. Paragraph 28 Prohibition of CDBG Fund Transfer
- 3. Added Paragraph Electronic Signature

Fiscal Impact

The proposed Amendment does not change the basic terms or the dollar amounts of the Agreement. Although the funding levels that will be awarded by HUD for Federal Fiscal Years 2024, 2025, and 2026 are unknown at this time, execution of the Amendment guarantees that the City will be entitled to continued CDBG Program resources allocated by HUD and administered by the County under the Joint Recipient Cooperation Agreement (Metropolitan City).

<u>Attachments</u>

Attachment 1 - Amendment - Joint Metro Cooperation Agreement 2024-2026.

Exhibit A - Joint Recipient Cooperative Agreement FY 2024-25, 2025-26, & 2026-27 CDBG Funds

