

Administrative Services Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: 07/30/2024

HCD_ Laney Walker/Bethlehem Amended Grant Agreement approval request

Department: HCD

Presenter: Hawthorne Welcher, Jr. and/or HCD Staff

Caption: Motion to approve the submitted amended grant agreement with Community Foundation of the CSRA (CFCSRA) and Housing and Community

Toundation of the CSRA (CTCSRA) and House

Development (HCD).

Background: In 2008, the Augusta Commission passed legislation supporting community

development in Laney Walker/Bethlehem. Since that time, the Augusta Housing & Community Development Department has developed a master plan and development guidelines for the area, set up financial incentive programs for developers and home buyers, selected a team of development partners to focus on catalytic change, created a marketing strategy to promote the overall

effort, and worked with a procured developer and partners.

This amendment is between CFCSRA and Augusta Georgia in c/o Housing and Community Development for the purpose of the awarded grant for

charitable purposes described in Appendix A.

Project Type

Mixed use development

Analysis: The approval of the amended grant agreement.

Financial Impact: HCD utilizes grant funds in the amount of \$500,000.00.

Alternatives: Deny HCD's request.

Recommendation:Motion to approve amended grant agreement with Community Foundation of

the CSRA (CFCSRA) and Housing and Community Development to receive

funding in the amount of \$500,000.00 to be used for charitable purposes.

Funds are available in the following accounts:

GL Code: 22000000/3361131 (Grant Funds)

REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:

Procurement

Finance

Law

Administrator

Clerk of Commission