

Augusta Commission Meeting

April 18, 2023

HCD_Lead Hazard Reduction Program - RFQ 22-188

Department:

HCD

Presenter:

Hawthorne Welcher, Jr. and/or HCD Staff

Caption:

Motion to **approve** quantity (1) Lead Hazard Reduction Projects. RFQ 22-188. (Approved by Administrative Services Committee April 11, 2023)

Background:

On November 21, 2019, HUD awarded \$3.3 million, to the State of Georgia as part of the record investment of \$314 million nationwide: to 77 state and local government agencies that will help protect Augusta, Georgia's children and families from lead-based paint and home health hazards.

The Lead-Based Paint Hazard Reduction Program (LBP) grants include \$3,000,000 in LBP funding and \$300,000 in HUD's Healthy Homes Supplemental funding. The LBP grants include \$30 million nationwide in HUD's Healthy Homes Supplemental funding to help communities address housing-related health and safety hazards, in addition to lead-based paint hazards.

Address: 1114 Miller St. August Ga. 30901, Contractor: Clean & Green,

Budget: \$29,000, Project Type: Lead Hazard Reduction

Lead Hazard Reduction

This program funds lead hazard reduction activities in owner-occupied single-family homes and rental properties if the unit meets the minimum program requirements. These requirements include, but are not limited to: the unit must be in need of lead hazard reduction activity; structurally sound upon completion of the lead hazard activity; and registered with the **Georgia Department of the Environment Lead Poisoning Prevention Program.**

Analysis:

Commission approved the pre-qualified vendors to participate in the program as RFQ 22-188. 2 vendors were pre-qualified. Only one bid was received for the 1114 Miller St. property. Approval of this request will allow the homeowner to participate in the City of Augusta Lead Safe Housing Initiative.

Financial Impact: Augusta, Georgia receives funding from HUD annually.

Alternatives: Deny HCD's Request

Recommendation: Motion to approve HCD's request to address lead hazards. Quantity (1) Lead

Hazard Rehabilitation Project.

Funds are available in the following accounts:Lead Grant: Total Amount Requested: \$29,000
221073227- 5211120 Contractional Services

REVIEWED AND Procurement **APPROVED BY:** Finance

Finance

Law

Administrator

Clerk of Commission