

**Columbus Consolidated Government
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	FY22 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and FY21 HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Reprogramming Funding Recommendations
AGENDA SUMMARY:	Approval is requested to allocate the FY22 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and FY21 HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Reprogramming Funding Recommendations to organizations for Economic Development, Housing Rehabilitation, Facility and Public Services, and Affordable Housing Development.
INITIATED BY:	Community Reinvestment

Recommendation: Approval is requested to allocate the FY22 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and FY21 HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Reprogramming Funding Recommendations to organizations for Economic Development, Housing Rehabilitation, Facility and Public Services, and Affordable Housing Development.

Background: As an entitlement community, the City of Columbus receives an annual share of Federal Community Development Block Grant ((CDBG) \$1,672,656)), and HOME Investment Partnerships ((HOME) \$986,139) funds through Congressional appropriation and administered through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The City of Columbus has also received funding through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) through Congressional appropriation and administered through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for Community Development Block Grant Virus Round 3 ((CDBG-CV3 \$1,143,059). The City of Columbus also has prior year HOME Investment Partnerships ((HOME) \$474,805) funding that will be allocated to projects in FY2022. The attachment shows projects recommended for Facility and Public Services, Housing Rehabilitation, and Affordable Housing Development.

Analysis: A resolution is needed to approve the recommended activities.

Financial Considerations: The sources of federal funding for projects recommended are:

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	\$1,672,656
HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME)	\$986,139
Community Development Block Grant Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3)	\$1,143,059
FY21 HOME Investment Partnerships Reprogramming (HOME)	\$474,805

Legal Considerations: Council must approve the recommendations for funding.

Recommendation/Action: Approval is requested to allocate the FY22 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and FY21 HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Reprogramming Funding Recommendations to organizations for Economic Development, Housing Rehabilitation, Facility and Public Services, and Affordable Housing Development.

A RESOLUTION

NO.

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE RECOMMENDATION OF FUNDING FOR FY22 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT, HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT – CORONA VIRUS ROUND 3, AND FY21 HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS PROJECTS WITH US HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ENTITLEMENT FUNDS.

WHEREAS, as an entitlement community, the City of Columbus receives an annual share of Federal funding through Congressional appropriation and administered through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and,

WHEREAS, the City of Columbus has received \$1,672,656 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding, \$986,139 in HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) funding and \$1,143,059 in Community Development Block Grant Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3) funding; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Columbus has prior year HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) funding that will be allocated to projects in FY2022; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Columbus has areas of greatest need where these funds will be distributed to support critical community services.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

The funding recommendations for the FY22 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus Round 3 (CDBG-CV3), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and FY21 HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Reprogramming are approved for inclusion in the FY22 HUD Action Plan.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia held on the _____ day of July 2021 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of ten members of said Council.

Councilor Allen voting	_____.
Councilor Barnes voting	_____.
Councilor Crabb voting	_____.
Councilor Davis voting	_____.
Councilor Garrett voting	_____.
Councilor House voting	_____.
Councilor Huff voting	_____.
Councilor Thomas voting	_____.
Councilor Tucker voting	_____.
Councilor Woodson voting	_____.

Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

B.H. "Skip" Henderson, III, Mayor