

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	<b>Mayor and Councilors</b>
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) Recommendations
<b>AGENDA SUMMARY:</b>	Approval is requested to allocate the Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) of \$981,189 to qualified organizations for Economic Development, Housing Rehabilitation, Facility Modifications, and Public Services in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic.
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	<b>Community Reinvestment</b>

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**Recommendation:** Approval is requested to allocate the Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) of \$981,189 to qualified organizations for Economic Development, Housing Rehabilitation, Facility Modifications, and Public Services in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

**Background:** The City of Columbus has received funding through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) from the U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) through Community Development Block Grant -Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) to support critical community services during the COVID-19 Pandemic. The attachment shows projects recommended for funding.

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

**Financial Considerations:** The source of federal funding for projects recommended is the Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV). Recommendations are in the amount of \$981,189.00.

**Legal Considerations:** Council must approve the recommendations for funding.

**Recommendation/Action:** Approval is requested to allocate the Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) of \$981,189 to qualified organizations for Economic Development, Housing Rehabilitation, Facility Modifications, and Public Services in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

**A RESOLUTION**

**NO.**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE USE OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT – CORONA VIRUS (CDBG-CV) FUNDS AND THE EXECUTION OF ALL DOCUMENTS REQUIRED.**

**WHEREAS**, The City of Columbus has received funding through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) from the U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) through Community Development Block Grant -Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) to support critical community services during the COVID-19 Pandemic, and;

**WHEREAS**, the FY2021 Annual Action Plan for the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia has been developed as prescribed by the Federal Regulations of the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), and;

**WHEREAS**, the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia will receive an entitlement of \$981,189 under the Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) Program, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City has identified areas of greatest need where these funds will be distributed to support critical community services during the COVID-19 Pandemic.

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

The funding recommendations for Community Development Block Grant – Corona Virus (CDBG-CV) entitlement funds are approved, and further authorize the City Manager and/or his designee to execute all contracts, agreements, and understandings related to approved CDBG-CV funding recommendations.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia held on the \_\_\_\_\_ of August 2020 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 \_\_\_\_\_.

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Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

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B.H. “Skip” Henderson, III, Mayor