

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	<b>Substantial Amendment Revisions for FFY2021/FY 2022 HUD Annual Action Plan – (HOME-ARP)</b>
<b>AGENDA SUMMARY:</b>	Approval is requested for the filing of substantial amendment revisions for FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Annual Action Plan to include HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) funding.
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	<b>Community Reinvestment Department</b>

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**Recommendation:** Approval is requested for the filing of substantial amendment revisions for FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Annual Action Plan to include HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) Allocation Plan and funding.

**Background:** The 2021 American Rescue Plan included a one-time \$5 billion appropriation creating the HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) funding. The city has received \$3,574,055 in HOME-ARP funding. To access the funding, the city has to substantially amend its FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Annual Action Plan to include the HOME-ARP Allocation Plan.

The HOME-ARP Allocation Plan describes how the city of Columbus as a participating jurisdiction intends to distribute its HOME-ARP funds, including how it will use these funds to address the needs of HOME-ARP qualifying populations.

The Annual Action Plan is a document required by U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) illustrating how the Entitlement funding will be expended during HUD’s program year. The Annual Action Plan is an annual update of the City's Five-Year Consolidated Plan.

The HOME-ARP Allocation Plan and FFY2021/2021 Annual Action Plan Substantial Amendment will be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for final approval.

**Analysis:** A resolution is needed to authorize the filing of substantial amendment revisions for FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Annual Action Plan to include HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) Allocation Plan and funding.

**Financial Considerations:** The source of federal funding for HOME-ARP is part of entitlement funds awarded to the City of Columbus. The funds have a 10-year expenditure term.

**Legal Considerations:** Council must approve substantial amendment revisions for FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Annual Action Plan to

include HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) Allocation Plan and funding.

**Recommendation/Action:** Approve the filing of substantial amendment revisions for FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Annual Action Plan to include HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) Allocation Plan and funding.

**A RESOLUTION**

**NO.**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF A SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE FFY2021/FY 2022 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD) ANNUAL ACTION PLAN TO INCLUDE HOME**

**INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN (HOME\_ARP)  
ALLOCATION PLAN AND FUNDING.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Columbus wishes to accept \$3,574,055 in HOME Investment Partnerships American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) funding; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Columbus must submit a HOME ARP Allocation Plan as a requirement to accept this funding; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Substantial Amendment has been developed to advance and implement the funding; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia has developed the HOME-ARP Allocation Plan as prescribed by the Federal Regulations of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

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

That the substantial amendment related to the FFY2021/FY 2022 HUD Annual Action Plan are hereby approved for filing with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and further authorizes the City Manager and/or his designee to execute all contracts, agreements, and understandings related to the amended and substantially amended HUD Annual Action Plan, and HOME-ARP allocation respectively.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of August 2022 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