

RESOLUTION #CRA-R-2024-8

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TOWN OF EATONVILLE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY (TOECRA), EATONVILLE, FLORIDA, BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPROVING FUNDING FOR THE TOECRA PAINT, PLANT, PAVE PROGRAM PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS, SEVERABILITY, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the members of the governing body and two (2) additional members from the taxing authorities serve as Directors of the Agency; and

WHEREAS, such members constitute the head of a legal entity, separate, distinct, and independent from the governing board of the County and Municipality; and

WHEREAS, the TOECRA Board of Directors do hereby approve funding for the TOECRA Paint, Plant, and Pave (PPP) program in the amount of \$50,000.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF EATONVILLE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF EATONVILLE, FLORIDA,

SECTION ONE: SUMMARY: The Paint, Plant, and Pave Program (PPPP) was created to immediately enhance the aesthetics of single-family and multi-family 4-unit properties within residential neighborhoods. This program was created to provide curb appeal to single-family and multi-family 4-unit properties in despair in residential neighborhoods within the Town of Eatonville Community Redevelopment Area. The proposed improvements may include painting, landscaping, awnings, sidewalks, etc. The TOECRA will assist up to \$5,000 per property for exterior improvements. Applications must be reviewed and approved prior to beginning work; and

SECTION TWO: OBJECTIVES: To immediately enhance the aesthetics of single-family and multi-family up to 4-unit properties within the residential neighborhoods of the TOECRA; and

SECTION THREE: DESCRIPTION: This program is created to provide curb appeal to single-family and multi-family up to 4-unit properties in despair in residential neighborhoods of TOECRA. The proposed improvements may include pressure cleaning, painting, minor façade repairs, landscaping, awnings, sidewalks, driveways, parking lot sealing, irrigation systems, fence repair or removal, and minor interior repairs affected by exterior improvements. Approved applicants must provide an invoice after the work is complete. The TOECRA will issue payment to approved applicants within 45 days of receipt of invoice; and

SECTION FOUR: PROGRESS: Complete applications will be approved on a first come first serve basis and must meet the following criteria:

- All applicants must not have outstanding code enforcement violations or liens;
 - Exceptions on a case-by-case basis
- The property must be in compliance with all TOE regulatory requirements, including but not limited to code enforcement and rental housing licensing.
 - This requirement may be requested to be waived by the TOECRA Board if the improvements will help to remedy minor outstanding code violations.
 - No guarantees of approval are implied by this provision.
- Single-family and multi-family up to 4-unit properties are eligible.
- Three (3) estimates from licensed contractors must be provided.
- Work has not begun prior to approval by TOECRA Board of Directors.

The Owner shall maintain the improvements to the property. Should the Owner fail to maintain the improvements, the Owner will be required to repay the TOECRA for the cost of improvements, including labor.

SECTION FIVE: PROGRAM FUNDING: All awards will be treated as zero-interest, deferred loans. For those property owner applicants qualifying for the PPPP program up to \$5,000, payment to the TOECRA is deferred for a four (4) year period where the loan depreciates at 25% each year. At the end of four years, the loan is forgiven in its entirety. If the property is demolished, the title to the property has been transferred, the property has been refinanced, or the property incurs a code enforcement lien during the deferment period, the loan will be prorated accordingly per year and the remaining balance shall be paid back to the TOECRA. If the total project cost is \$999 or less, and the property is either demolished, title to the property has been transferred, the property has been refinanced, or the property incurs a code enforcement lien during the one-year period following disbursement of funds by the TOECRA, the full amount disbursed shall be paid back to the TOECRA. The amount of the deferred loan will be amortized in monthly installments over a specified period per the agreement term (36, 48 or 60 months) beginning on the date of execution of the Funding Agreement. The TOECRA will automatically forgive the monthly installments without any action as the installments become due, if the project is in compliance with all terms of the Funding Agreement.

SECTION SIX: PROGRAM SPECIFICATIONS: The TOECRA PPPP benefits are contingent upon funding availability, TOECRA Board approval, and are not to be construed as an entitlement or right of a property owner or applicant. The property must remain free of all liens, judgments, and encumbrances of any kind. This provision may be waived by the TOECRA Board if development plans for said property meet the goals and objectives as set forth in the TOECRA Redevelopment plan. Upon grant approval, said property must remain free of all liens, judgments, or encumbrances of any kind under the term of the agreement; and

SECTION SEVEN: DIRECTION: The Board of Directors of the Town of Eatonville Community Redevelopment Agency does hereby provide direction for the TOECRA Executive Director to use up to \$50,000 for the PPPP. All complete applications for consideration must be brought before the TOECRA Board of Directors for their approval.

SECTION ELEVEN: EFFECTIVE DATE: This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____ 2024.

Angie Gardner, Chair

ATTEST:

Veronica L. King, Town Clerk