



MULTNOMAH COUNTY
AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST (revised 09/22/08)

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Meeting Date: 4/29/2010
Agenda Item #: R-1
Est. Start Time: 9:30 am
Date Submitted: 4/19/2010

Agenda Title: PUBLIC HEARING to Consider and Approve the 2010-11 Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan for Community Development Block Grant Program.

Note: If Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation, provide exact title. For all other submissions, provide a clearly written title sufficient to describe the action requested.

Requested Meeting Date: April 29, 2010 Amount of Time Needed: 10 Min.
Department: DCHS Division: Community Services
Contact(s): Carol Cade, Housing Development Specialist, Mary Li, Community Services Manager
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Presenter(s): Mary Li and Carol Cade

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Approval of the 2010-11 Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan.

2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.

Multnomah County is entitled to annually receive U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funds through the Community Development Block Grant program. For program year 2010-11 the planning has been done using the allocation amount of \$332,192 and some recently emerged Re-programmed funds in the amount of \$283,022. Due to the late announcement of the Reprogrammed funds, most projects for the current year will be funded at full amount requested and the carryover will be part of the 2011-12 Planning.

HUD program requirements include the development of a Consolidated Plan that provides principles and priorities for allocation of these federal funds and includes a market analysis, demographics, and descriptions of resources for the low and moderate income persons. A program consortium comprised of the cities of Portland and Gresham and Multnomah County has worked to produce the annual update of the Plan. A required part of the Consolidated Plan Update is the inclusion of the Annual Action Plan, which provides the list of specific annual projects that will be funded via

CDBG within the County.

The County's Policy Advisory Board rated and ranked the list of activities of the Annual Action Plan draft on April 8, 2010 and public testimony was solicited on April 15, 2010.

Citizen participation for the Consolidated Plan has taken place through a series of public hearings held by the City of Portland through the Housing and Community Development Commission.

Program offer comes under Housing and without this funding, the services we buy wouldn't be bought.

3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

The 2010-11 CDBG Grant award is \$332,192 and Reprogrammed Funds in the amount of \$283,022.

4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

None is anticipated.

5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

Policy Advisory Board recommendations: Public testimony solicited at the public hearing on April 15, 2010.

Required Signature

**Elected Official or
Department/
Agency Director:**



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