

Agenda Report

DATE: DECEMBER 14, 1998
TO: CITY COUNCIL
FROM: CYNTHIA J. KURTZ, CITY MANAGER
SUBJECT: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM PRIORITIES (1999-2000 PROGRAM YEAR)

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council approve the CDBG Program Priorities for the 1999-2000 Program Year.

BACKGROUND:

NON-PUBLIC SERVICE PRIORITIES

As part of its annual needs assessment process, the Northwest Commission held a public meeting on September 9, 1998 to solicit input on non-public service priorities for the 1999-2000 Program Year. Flyers were mailed to local non-profit agencies through Neighborhood Connections and the established CDBG mailing list. After review and deliberation of the public input the Northwest Commission selected the non-public service priorities for recommendation to City Council. Attached to this report is a summary of the non-public service program priorities in rank order and the Northwest Commission's comments on each (Exhibit A).

PUBLIC SERVICE PRIORITIES

There are no changes to the public services program priorities or activities at this time. City Council previously approved the program priorities for the 1998-2000 Community Development Block Grant/Emergency Shelter Grant/Human Services Endowment Fund (CDBG/ESG/HSEF) public services activities at its meeting of October 6, 1997. Similarly, the City Council approved the Human Services Commission's funding recommendation for 1998-2000 CDBG/ESG/HSEF public service activities for a two-year funding cycle at its public hearing of May 11, 1998.

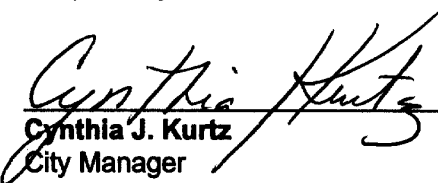
CDBG/ESG/HSEF PROGRAM PRIORITIES

Public Services	Non-Public Services
Transportation	Economic Development
Dependent Care	Housing
Job Preparation and Training	Code Enforcement
Safety	Capital Improvement
Health	Administration/Planning
Information and Referral	Property Acquisition
Education	
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Homelessness	

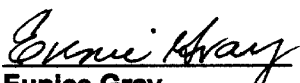
FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact as a result of the approval of the Program Priorities for the CDBG/ESG/HSEF 1999-2000 Program Year.

Respectfully Submitted,


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