Prince George's County Council Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 3/24/2009 **Reference No.:** CR-010-2009

Draft No.: 1

Proposer(s): County Executive **Sponsor(s):** Harrison, Campos

Item Title: A Resolution approving the application by Housing Initiative Partnership, Inc. to the

Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development for funding through the

Community Legacy Financial Assistance Fund

Drafter: Joseph R. Hamlin, Office of Law **Resource Personnel:** James E. Johnson, Acting Director

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented: Executive Action: 4/9/2009 S

Committee Referral: 3/10/2009 - THE **Effective Date:**

Committee Action: 3/12/2009 - FAV

Date Introduced: 3/10/2009

Public Hearing:

Council Action (1) 3/24/2009 - ADOPTED

Council Votes: MB:A, WC:A, SHD:A, TD:A, CE:-, AH:A, TK:A, EO:A, IT:A

Pass/Fail: P

Remarks:

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

TRANSPORTATION, HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

Date 3/12/2009

Committee Vote: Favorable, 5-0 (In favor: Council Members Dernoga, Turner, Dean, Harrison and Knotts)

The Committee Director provided a summary of the resolution and referral comments that were received. CR-10-2009 approves the State application by Housing Initiative Partnership, Inc. to the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development for funding through the Community Legacy Financial Assistance Fund.

A representative from the Department of Housing and Community Development and the Redevelopment Authority provided additional information to the Committee.

The Office of Law determined that CR-10-2009 was in proper legislative form.

The Office of Audits and Investigation indicated there will be no adverse fiscal impact on the County as a result of

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adopting CR-10-2009.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

Housing Initiative Partnership, Inc. ("HIP"), a Maryland nonprofit organization and County approved Community Housing Development Organization, has applied to the State of Maryland's Department of Housing and Community Development for \$550,000 in Community Legacy funds to support its redevelopment work in Palmer Park. HIP proposes to use Community Legacy funds to carry out its "Acquisition and Rehab," "Street Scholarships," and "Infamous Houses" programs. The Prince George's County Department of Housing and Community Development has certified that the activities proposed by HIP are consistent with the County's Approved 5 Year Consolidated Plan. The State of Maryland requires local legislative support for each Community Legacy Program application in unincorporated areas.

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