COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND 2022 Legislative Session

CR-027-2022		
The Chair (by request – County Executive)		
Council Members Taveras, Turner, Streeter, Dernoga, Glaros, Harrison,		
Ivey, Davis, and Franklin		
Council Member Medlock		
etion April 5, 2022		

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION concerning

Fiscal Year ("FY") 2022 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development For the purpose of amending the Prince George's County Fiscal Year ("FY") 2022 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development by approving the restructuring of a Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") Program activity as a result of a change in the location and description of an activity originally described in the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") requires jurisdictions that receive assistance under certain community planning and development programs to submit a Five-Year Consolidated Plan and an Annual Action Plan to the Secretary of HUD that outlines ways to develop viable communities by: providing decent housing, a suitable living environment, and expanding economic opportunities principally for low- and moderate-income persons; and

WHEREAS, each jurisdiction is required to adopt a citizen participation plan as part of its Five-Year Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plans; and

WHEREAS, a citizen participation plan sets forth the jurisdiction's policies and procedures for citizen participation, and must provide for and encourage citizens to participate in the development of the Assessment of Fair Housing, any revisions to the Assessment of Fair Housing, the Five-Year Consolidated Plan, any substantial amendment to the Consolidated Plan, and the Performance Report; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 15A-107 of the Prince George's County Code, the County Executive and the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland adopted CR-047-2020,

which set forth the County's FY 2021-2025 Consolidated Plan, along with the County's FY 2021-2025 Citizen Participation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the County's 2021-2025 Citizen Participation Plan requires the County to submit to HUD, any amendments to the County's five-year Consolidated Plan or Annual Action Plan that constitutes a "substantial change;" and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the County's 2021-2025 Citizen Participation Plan, the following decisions constitute a "substantial change": (1) a change in the allocation priorities or a change in the method of distribution of funds; (2) the addition of an eligible activity not originally funded or described in the Annual Action Plan; (3) a change in the location, description, regulatory reference, national objective citation, and status of an activity originally described in the Annual Action Plan; (4) a change in the use of CDBG, HOME, Program Income, or ESG funds, exceeding at least \$250,000 from one existing activity to another existing eligible activity in any category within the applicable Program. All activities must have been in an approved Annual Action Plan; (5) designations for Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Areas (NRSAs); and (6) a change in the proposed uses of HUD 108 Loan Guarantee and Section 108 Program Income; and

WHEREAS, the County Council shall hold a public hearing for public input on any revision or amendment to the Consolidated Plan and the Annual Action Plan, and approve the amendment by resolution pursuant to Section 15A-106 of the County Code; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 15A-105(a)(1) of the County Code, the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan must be amended to include a detailed description of recommended housing and community development activities proposed for implementation during the succeeding program year; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan must be amended at this time to change the location and description of an activity originally described in the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, Attachment "A" describes the project within CDBG Program Year 47 (i.e., FY 2022) that was approved in the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan, as attached hereto and made part hereof; and

WHEREAS, Attachment "B" consists of the County's FY 2022 Annual Action Plan, as amended on November 16, 2021, and modified on February 25, 2022, as attached hereto and

made part hereof; and

Adopted this

Clerk of the Council

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WHEREAS, the restructuring of the CDBG Program activity, an existing activity, constitutes a "substantial change" to the County's FY 2022 Annual Action Plan because it is a change in the location and description of activities originally described in the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, the County Executive recommends the amendment to the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan to include the restructuring of the CDBG Program activity, an existing activity originally described in the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, that the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development, a copy of which shall be marked for identification by the Clerk of the County Council and maintained as a permanent record, is hereby amended to approve the restructuring of the CDBG Program activity from the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan, as described in Attachments "A," and "B," respectively, as attached hereto and made a part hereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon the adoption of this Resolution, it shall be transmitted to the County Executive by the Clerk of the Council, and that the County Executive or his designee is hereby authorized and empowered as the official representative of Prince George's County to submit the amended FY 2022 Annual Action Plan to U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD"), along with all assurances contained therein, to act as necessary in connection with the submission, and to provide such additional information to HUD as may be required.

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		COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
		BY:
		Calvin S. Hawkins, II
		Chair
ATTEST:		
Donna J. Brown		