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Agenda - Approved

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT COMMISSION

Monday, July 7, 2008

5:00 PM

215 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. Room 300 (Madison Municipal Building)

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Please call the Community Development Office at (608) 267-0740 or TextNet (866) 704-2318.

CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The commission will review the June 5, 2008 meeting minutes. (2008/07-B)

PUBLIC COMMENT

The Commission requests that verbal presentations be limited to 3 minutes but welcomes additional written comments sent to the CDBG Office or cdbg@cityofmadison.com.

WELCOME FROM THE CHAIR

REQUEST FOR FUNDS OR MAJOR CHANGES IN CURRENTLY FUNDED PROJECTS

<u>11129</u>

Authorizing the extension of use of currently allocated funds to Movin' Out Inc. for the provision of Rental Housing from December 31, 2008 to September 30. 2009.

Movin' Out, Inc. requests an extension in the deadline for use of their 2008 Rental

Housing fund from December 31, 2008 to September 30, 2009. (2008/07-C)

STAFF REPORTS

- July Staff Reports (2008/07-A)
- a) Update on National, State, and Local budgets.
- b) Update on Allied neighborhood and others.
- Accepting An Employment Report: "Strengthening Employment Opportunities In Allied Drive"
- c) Update and action on Southwest Planning Process Hammersley Park Project
- d) Summer Funding Process
- e) Notice of Potential Conflict of Interest.

Operation Fresh Start has notified us of their intent to seek new bidders for construction and acquisition loans for their property development. Their Board has determined it is in the best interest of OFS to expand the pool of financial institutions with which they do business. OFS has asked us to determine if it would be a conflict of interest for them to add Park Bank Middleton, a bank at which Connie Ferris Bailey's, OFS's executive director, sister is the branch manager. We have discussed this matter with Patrick Fjerstad, our HUD representative in Milwaukee, who has indicated he does not feel this will constitute a conflict under the HUD definitions. His rationale is that Ms. Bailey's sister receives no real or direct financial benefit from being able to bid on the loans, and in fact if they are the low bidder it will be OFS and the subsequent homebuyer who will benefit from the savings on the properties. He did suggest that we ask OFS to inform the Commission of the bidding process and to make the discussions about the potential conflicts public as a means of assuring compliance with the spirit of the regulations, although no regulation is actually being affected.

OTHER REPORTS

Issues and/or referrals to or from the Common Council. Staff and Alders will update the Commission on Council actions regarding previous Commission recommendations and Council action.

Report from committees with CDBG Commission representation and designation of Commission representatives.

- 1. Gardens Committee (Choudhury)
- 2. Martin Luther King Humanitarian Award Committee (Trivedi)
- 3. Emerging Neighborhood Funds Committee (Pham-Remmele)
- 4. Committee on Office of Neighborhood Support (Sanders)
- 5. Community Development Authority (Bruer)
- 6. Other Commission representation or relationships
- 7. Possible adoption of operating rules regarding alternate Commissioners' representation on other City committees

SPECIAL ITEMS: PRESENTATION BY APPLICANT AGENCIES OF PROPOSALS TO ADDRESS THE OBJECTIVE OF ACCESS AND HOMELESS

The Community Development Block Grant Commission will hear from applicants for 2009-2010 CDBG, HOME, ESG, and City funds. Each agency has been requested to briefly describe the major goals, participants, and benefits of their project.

6:00 <u>11020</u> YWCA, Second Chance (M1)

6:15	<u>11021</u>	The Salvation Army, Warming Shelter (M2)
6:45	11022	Tenant Resource Center, Inc., Housing Mediation Services (M3)
7:00	11023	Tellurian UCAN, Inc., ReachOut (M4)
7:15	11024	Project Home Prairie Crossing Resident Services, (M5)
7:30	<u>11025</u>	Porchlight, Inc., SRO Support Services (M6)
7:45	<u>11026</u>	Porchlight, Inc., SRO Housing, (M7)
8:00	<u>11027</u>	Porchlight, Inc., Housing Operation (M8)
8:15	<u>11028</u>	Porchlight, Inc., Hospitality House (M9)
8:30	11029	Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council, Fair Housing Center of Greater Madison (M10)
8:45	<u>11030</u>	Independent Living, Inc., Home Share (M11)
9:00	<u>11031</u>	Freedom, Inc., Homeless Leadership (M12)
9:15	<u>11032</u>	Domestic Abuse Intervention Services, Housing Related Aid (M13)
9:30	<u>11033</u>	Community Action Coalition, Financial Services (M14)

ADJOURNMENT

Submitted on behalf of Charlie Sanders, Chair Next Meeting:

Thursday, July 10, 2008 5 pm

Room 260, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Monday, July 14, 2008 5 pm

Room 300, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Thursday, July 17, 2008 5 pm

Room 260, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Monday, July 21, 2008 5 pm

Room 260, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Monday, July 28, 2008 5 pm

Room LL130, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Monday, July 31, 2008 5 pm

Room 260, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Additional information may be obtained from, or written comments may be submitted to CD Office, Madison Municipal Building, Room 280, 215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., P.O. Box 2985, Madison, WI 53701-2985; email: cdbg@cityofmadison.com; website: www.cityofmadison.com/cdbg