

# PROGRAM AREA GOALS AND PRIORITIES 2007-2008

## CITY OF MADISON COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION

### Community Resources Program Program Area VI *Community Assistance/Access*

Program Area Goal: Foster and create conditions in which the community's most vulnerable individuals can access basic services to increase self-sufficiency and improve their quality of life.

**A. Higher Priority Goals**

1. Improve access to and utilization of basic services by minority and low-income populations, and by persons with disabilities and other protected groups.
2. Improve the basic skills of adults for successful employment and/or education (note, this goal was moved from the intermediate category).

**B. Intermediate Priority Goals**

**C. Lower Priority Goals**

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### Community Resources Program Program Area VII *Neighborhood Organizing and Capacity Building*

Program Area Goal: Provide support to planning councils to strengthen neighborhood-based organizational capacity, and to neighborhood centers to strengthen administrative and management capacity.

Services listed below are in priority order within each goal area.

#### **A. Higher Priority Goals**

1. Support planning councils in order to build long-term sustainable partnerships with neighborhood and business associations, as well as with other community groups and organizations and to continue to build communication, liaison and advocacy capacity amongst neighborhood-based organizations and community leaders.
2. Improve administrative and management capacity in community and neighborhood centers.

#### **B. Intermediate Priority Goals**

#### **C. Lower Priority Goals**