



**City of Pompano Beach
Office of Housing and Urban Improvement**

Memorandum No. 17-141

M E M O R A N D U M

DATE: July 10, 2017

TO: Greg Harrison, City Manager

THRU: Mark E. Berman, City Attorney

FROM: Miriam Carrillo, Director

RE: **Agenda Item – 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan / CDBG & HOME Funding Recommendations**

The City of Pompano Beach is a HUD entitlement community. As such, we receive Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME grant funding that we allocate to local non-profit organizations and City departments that administer public service, housing, public facilities, economic development and infrastructure for our residents. This year, the City's allocation is \$913,486 for CDBG and \$314,917 for HOME totaling \$1,228,403.

Availability of these funds is advertised by the City in the newspaper, City web site and by posted public notice. The grant programs are administered with the assistance of our Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC), which assistance includes its recommendations for allocation of available funds.

CDBG and HOME RFP's were scored by Suzanne Fejes, Director of the Broward County Housing Finance and Community Development Division; Beverly A. Sanders, Director, Human Services Department City of Hallandale Beach; Karen Santen, City of Pompano Beach Grants Coordinator and Ejreta Diamanti, Budget Office. A copy of their individual scoring sheets and the Scoring Summary sheet is attached. A copy of their individual scoring sheets and the Scoring Summary sheet is attached.

The Community Development Advisory Committee was scheduled to meet at the Emma Lou Olson Center on April 13, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at the same time as the required Public Hearing regarding the resulting FY 2017-2018 Action Plan funding recommendations only three CDAC members were present, however, so the Committee lacked the required quorum to officially convene. The Public Hearing was called to order as scheduled, however, during which the CDAC members present made comments, asked questions and made individual suggestions as members of the general public.

Please place the Annual Action Plan Funding Recommendations on the City Commission's July 25, 2017 agenda for approval so that it can be advertised for the required 15-day public comment period and submitted to HUD by its August 15th filing deadline.

Thank you.



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Attachment(s)