



# Memorandum

**TO:** HONORABLE MAYOR  
AND CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** Leslye Corsiglia

**SUBJECT:** SEE BELOW

**DATE:** April 27, 2012

Approved

Date

4-27-12

## SUPPLEMENTAL

**SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION FOR THE HOUSING DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT A SECOND ALLOTMENT OF FEDERAL FY 2011-2012 EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT (ESG) FUNDS AND RELATED ACTIONS – SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT**

### REASON FOR SUPPLEMENTAL

The City released its draft Substantial Amendment to the 2011-2012 Consolidated Annual Action Plan (Substantial Amendment) on March 29, 2012, for a 30-day public comment period. On April 10, 2012, the date the memorandum to approve the Substantial Amendment was submitted to the City Council, the federally required public comment period for this document was still open. This supplemental memorandum provides the public comments received to-date since the Substantial Amendment's release in March.

### BACKGROUND

The memorandum to approve the Substantial Amendment to the 2011-2012 Consolidated Action Plan was submitted to the City Council on April 10, 2012, indicated that a supplemental memorandum would be distributed to the Mayor and City Council prior to the May 1, 2012 City Council meeting. This supplemental memorandum provides the public comments received since the Substantial Amendment was released on March 29, 2012. A copy of the document is located on the Housing Department's website at:

[http://www.sjhousing.org/report/Misc/ESGII\\_Substantial\\_amendment.pdf](http://www.sjhousing.org/report/Misc/ESGII_Substantial_amendment.pdf)

The Mayor and City Council's approval of the Substantial Amendment will enable the City to finalize and submit to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) this federally-mandated document by the May 15, 2012, deadline.

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## **ANALYSIS**

### *Public Comments*

Including the City Council's May 1, 2012, hearing, a total of three public hearings will have been held on the Substantial Amendment. One of the public hearings was held before the Substantial Amendment was published, while the two remaining hearings were after it was published. The hearings are as follows:

- March 15, 2012 - Santa Clara County Collaborative on Affordable Housing and Homeless Issues' Steering Committee (the local Continuum of Care)
- April 12, 2012 – the City's Housing and Community Development Advisory Commission
- May 1, 2012 - San José City Council meeting

The second public hearing was held at the City's Housing and Community Development Advisory Commission (HCDC) on April 12<sup>th</sup>. The HCDC recommended approval of the draft Consolidated Plan by a vote of 5-0.

A summary of the public comments received to date are included as Attachment A to this memorandum. These comments plus any received during the City Council's May 1<sup>st</sup> public hearing will be included as an appendix of the final document submitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

## **COORDINATION**

This report has been prepared in coordination with the Office of the City Attorney.

## **CEQA**

Not a Project, File No.PP10-069(a) Annual Report.

/s/  
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Attachment A: Community Input and Public Testimony

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### **Attachment A – Community Input and Public Testimony**

- **The Housing and Community Development Advisory Commission Meeting – April 12, 2012**

<b>Public Comment</b>	<b>Staff Response</b>
Commissioner Dorvilias asked if the funds being allocated for tenant based rental assistance would be targeted to any specific audiences.	Staff responded that the funds would be targeted based on the project they were supplementing: the funds attached to the family and youth projects would be targeting families and youth, while those attached to the homeless outreach projects would be targeted towards residents living on the streets.
Chair Darrow asked why the City was receiving additional ESG dollars.	Staff responded that all entitlement jurisdictions that receive ESG funds were receiving a second round of funding for FY 2011-2012.