

# City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Community Development - CDBG/Home To: City Council From: City Manager & Staff Council Meeting Date: February 20, 2023 Re: Resolution approving FY2022 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) agreements with local agencies

### Executive Summary

Attached for Council consideration is a resolution approving agreements with local agencies. The four agencies - Central Missouri Community Action, Columbia Housing Authority, Job Point, and Services for Independent Living – were allocated funding in the FY 2022 CDBG and HOME Annual Action Plan for CDBG and HOME funds.

### Discussion

On October, 3, 2022, the City Council approved the FY2022 CDBG and HOME Annual Action Plan. The plan allocated \$1,014,077 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and \$630,924 in HOME funds. Agreements have been prepared with four of the agencies that received funding in the plan, and are ready to go with their projects.

- Central Missouri Community Action (CMCA) is receiving \$55,000 for its Womens' Business Center to provide technical assistance to small business owners and microenterprises (a "microenterprise" is five or fewer employees);
- The Columbia Housing Authority (CHA) is receiving \$56,700 to make renovations to the J.W. Blind Boone Center and Moore Walkway Playground;
- Job Point is receiving \$97,111 to provide vocational training in carpentry, heating ventilation & air conditioning (HVAC) and other trades to low-income persons;
- Services for Independent Living (SIL) is receiving \$95,000 for home modifications and repairs to improve accessibility for persons with disabilities.

Approval of agreements between the City and the non-profits receiving funding allocations is a follow-up step to Council's prior approval of the Annual Action Plan and authorizes the organizations to begin spending the grant funds. Staff will bring additional agreements to Council as projects are ready-to-go.

#### Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: \$303,811 in budgeted Community Development Block Grant funds Long-Term Impact: N/A

#### Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact



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Primary Impact: Resilient Economy, Secondary Impact: Inclusive Community, Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

#### Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities, Secondary Impact: Economic Development, Tertiary Impact: Mobility, Connectivity, and Accessibility

Legislative History	
Date	Action
October 3, 2022	R-161-22 Resolution approving the FY 2022 Annual Action Plan for CDBG and HOME funds (superseded R-124-22 approved August 15, 2022)

#### Suggested Council Action

Approval of the resolution.