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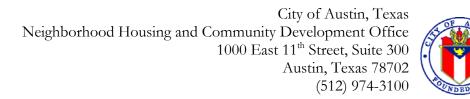
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"The City of Austin's Neighborhood Commercial Management Program helped me grow my business and better serve the Austin community." Angie Quintero, owner of Angie's Restaurant

## Action Plan Fiscal Year 2008-09

Year 5 of Consolidated Plan 2004-09



## Annual Action Plan Fiscal Year 2008-09



City of Austin, Texas

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The cover features Angie's Restaurant, operated by the Quintero's since 1992. With assistance from the City of Austin's Neighborhood Commercial Management Program, the Quintero's opened at this new location, at 1307 E. 7th Street, in 2008. This new restaurant creates new jobs for the community and assists in the further revitalization of East Austin.



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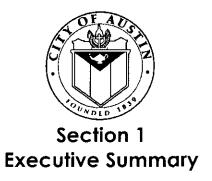
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### Vision, Mission, National Objectives

### Vision and Mission

#### City of Austin Vision:

We want Austin to be the most livable city in the country

### Neighborhood Housing and Community Development (NHCD) Office Mission:

To provide housing, community, small business, and economic development services to benefit eligible residents and businesses so they can increase their opportunities for self-sufficiency

### National Goals

Federal law requires that housing and community development grant funds primarily benefit low- and moderate-income persons in accordance with the following U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) goals.

### Provide a suitable living environment

This includes improving the safety and livability of neighborhoods, increasing access to quality facilities and services, reducing the isolation of income groups within areas by deconcentrating housing opportunities and revitalizing deteriorating neighborhoods, restoring and preserving natural and physical features of special value for historic, architectural, or aesthetic reasons, and conserving energy resources

#### Provide decent housing

Included within this broad goal are the following assist homeless persons in obtaining affordable housing, retain the affordable housing stock, increase the availability of permanent housing that is affordable to low- and moderate-income Americans without discrimination; and increase supportive housing that includes structural features and services to enable persons with special needs to live with dignity

#### **Expand economic opportunities**

Within this goal are creating jobs accessible to low- and very low-income persons, providing access to credit for community development that promotes long-term economic and social viability, and empowering low-income persons in federally assisted and public housing to achieve self-sufficiency

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### Vision, Mission, National Objectives

#### HUD Process

The City of Austin is required by law every five years to prepare a Consolidated Plan to receive federal funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The Consolidated Plan combines in one report important information about Austin/Travis County demographics and economic activity as well as detailed information on the housing and job needs of its residents. The Plan also includes comments from the public received during public hearings, stakeholder meetings and in writing.

All funding recommendations and programs operated with these funds were judged based on their ability to help the City meet the goals and priorities established in this Plan.

For each succeeding year, the City of Austin is required to prepare a **one-year Action Plan** to notify citizens and HUD of the City's intended actions during that particular fiscal year. The Action Plan includes citizen and stakeholder input and is due annually to HUD by August 15.

The Action Plan is developed under HUD guidelines and serves as the application for the following four formula grant programs:

- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
- HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME)
- Emergency Shelter Grants (ESG)
- Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)

The City of Austin chooses to include all funding sources in all of the HUD planning documents to increase opportunities for public input beyond federal requirements

At the end of each fiscal year, the City must also prepare a Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) to provide information to HUD and citizens about that year's accomplishments. This information allows HUD, city officials, and the public to evaluate the City's performance and determine whether the activities undertaken during the fiscal year helped meet the City's five-year goals and addresses priority needs identified in the Consolidated Plan. This annual performance report, prepared with public review and comment, must be submitted to HUD annually by December 31.

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### Vision, Mission, National Objectives

### Lead Agency

The Neighborhood Housing and Community Development Office (NHCD) is designated by the Austin City Council as the single point of contact with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), and lead agency for the grant administration of the CDBG, HOME, HOPWA, and ESG programs. The City designates NHCD to be the administrator of the CDBG and HOME programs. The City designates the Austin/Travis County Health and Human Services Department (HHSD) to be the administrator of the HOPWA and ESG programs

As the single point of contact for HUD, NHCD is responsible for developing the five-year Consolidated and annual Action Plans, and the end of year report, the Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) NHCD coordinates these reports with the HHSD and the Community Development Commission (CDC).

NHCD was appointed by City Council as the lead agency for allocating local funding for affordable housing, including General Fund, Housing Trust Funds, General Obligation Bonds, and Housing Capital Improvement Funds. For convenience to citizens and community leaders and consistency in reporting, the City of Austin reflects these funds and accomplishments in HUD reports, including the annual Action Plan and CAPER.

## Community Development Commission

The Community Development Commission (CDC) advises the Austin City Council in the development and implementation of programs designed to serve the poor and the community at large with an emphasis on federally funded programs. NHCD provides staff support for the CDC. According to the City's Citizen Participation Plan adopted by the Austin City Council, the CDC holds public hearings on the Five-Year Consolidated Plan and the Annual Action Plan and makes recommendations to the Austin City Council on community needs. The CAPER and public comments are also presented to the CDC at one of the initial CDC public hearings of the proposed Action Plan.

The CDC is comprised of 15 members appointed by the Austin City Council Seven members are nominated by residents from the following geographic areas Colony Park, Dove Springs, East Austin, Montopolis, Rosewood-Zaragosa/Blackland, St. John, and South Austin

#### Local Funds

The City of Austin allocates local revenue for housing, community development, and economic development activities. These sources include the General Fund, General Obligation Bonds, Housing Trust Funds, and Housing Capital Improvement Funds. In 2006, the citizens of Austin approved \$55 million in general obligation bonds for affordable housing that

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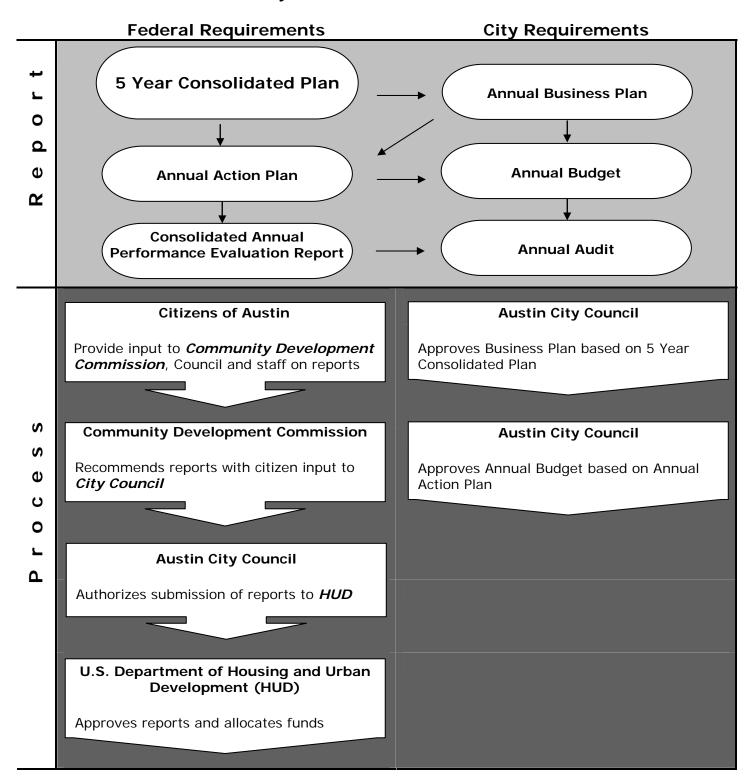
will be spent over seven years NHCD was appointed by Austin City Council as the lead agency for allocating these funds. For the convenience of its citizens and community leaders and consistency in reporting, the City of Austin reflects these funds and accomplishments in HUD reports, including the Annual Action Plan and CAPER.

### Electronic Reports and Publications

All public documents are available online at the City of Austin's NHCD Office's website, www.cityofaustin.org/housing/publications.htm.

### **Consolidated Plan Priorities**

### **HUD and City of Austin Allocation Process**



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### **Consolidated Plan Priorities**

#### Method for Establishing **Priorities**

The citizens of Austin were instrumental in the development of the priorities in the Consolidated Plan for fiscal year 2004-09, which was the result of almost a year of activity by the City of Austin's NHCD In preparation, the City used the following methods to establish priorities in the Consolidated Plan

- City staff drew on authoritative sources to provide a quantitative analysis of housing and community development needs
- The City hired an independent consultant to evaluate impediments to fair housing choices and assess the needs of special populations
- Staff conducted five public hearings at which more than 115 people testified.
- Staff held seven meetings with service providers from housing, elderly services, child care, youth services, fair housing, economic development, small businesses, neighborhood revitalization projects, housing authorities, and other government agencies
- NHCD collected 1,029 citizen surveys and received 20 letters from the public during the written comment period on community needs
- NHCD staff made several presentations to the public of all the data gathered during the four months of needs assessment activities
- Program staff used this information to evaluate existing programs and project future demand and capacity in priority areas
- Upon presentation of the draft Consolidated Plan, additional public comments were received at two public hearings and in 39 letters. These comments were considered in the final preparation for the plan and to establish priorities

Staff used the market study to discuss priorities and understand general trends. The information received from various forms of citizen participation underscored the changes that occurred in the market. The priorities identified and recommendations included in the Consolidated Plan balance the public's desire for current or new programs with existing commitments and funding realities

### Funding

**Priorities for** Given the input outlined above and the current funding reality, the City of Austin focuses its programs on serving the fundamental needs of the Austin community These needs include housing through the various stages of the housing continuum, employment through small business development and commercial revitalization, and public services. A significant share of Austin's CDBG funding is committed to debt service on three Section 108 loans for two existing public facilities, the Millennium Youth Center, the Austin Resource Center for the Homeless (ARCH), and revitalization of East 11th and 12th Streets

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### **Consolidated Plan Priorities**

HUD defines high priorities as those programs that are funded in a program year. Medium priorities are those dependent on available funding, and low priorities are those that will not be funded

The following table outlines the priorities and strategies identified in the Consolidated Plan

### Consolidated Plan Priorities for Fiscal Year 2004-09

Housing		
Consolidated Plan Housing Goal:		r 40,000 eligible households with services that lead to self- y annually by 2009 as measured by
		0 households will gain and/or retain housing annually following strategies:
Type of Housing	Priority	Consolidated Plan Strategy:
	N/A	A Provide housing services through a continuum from homelessness to homeownership
Owner-occupied	Hıgh	B. Provide opportunities for households to retain their homes through rehabilitation and construction
Homebuyer Assistance	High	C Provide opportunities for homebuyers through financing and construction to access S M A R T Housing TM produced by non-profits and for-profit housing developers.
Rental	High	D Provide resources to non-profit/for-profit housing developers to construct S M A R T Housing <sup>TM</sup> rental units and rehabilitate existing units
Assisted	High	E Provide resources to eligible households to access or retain affordable rental units
Public Housing	N/A	(Public housing in the City of Austin provided by the Housing Authority of the City of Austin and Travis County Housing Authority)
Transitional	High	F Assist eligible households in securing and non-profit organization in creating limited-term housing and supportive services
Emergency/Homeless Shelter	High	G Assist eligible persons in securing and non-profits in creating emergency shelter and homeless shelter opportunities and supportive services
	N/A	H Facilitate regulatory reform to reduce institutional barriers to housing development
	N/A	I Neighborhood Projects – Implement housing affordability components of adopted neighborhood plans, master plans and identified priority neighborhoods

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### **Consolidated Plan Priorities**

Community Develop	ment				
Consolidated Plan Community Development Goal:	Assist over 40,000 eligible households with services that lead to self-sufficiency annually by 2009 as measured by				
	Assist over 30,000 low-income households annually using the				
	following strategies				
Type of Community Development	Priority	Consolidated Plan Strategy:			
Commercial Revitalization	High	A Serve low-income households, small businesses, and housing non-profit organizations, and, provide commercial space through the following activities:  Repair and renovate single-family housing Build mixed-income housing Support commercial development that leads to job creation Support neighborhood organizations Promote fair housing practices Promote historic preservation and renovation Ensure adequate infrastructure for revitalization Provide information to neighborhoods about City services			
Small Business Development	High	B Serve low-income households and small businesses through the following activities  • Provide small business training and technical assistance  • Provide small business loans that lead to job creation  • Provide networking opportunities for small business owners  • Open new contracting opportunities for small businesses			
Public Services (Neighborhood Revitalization)	High	C. Serve low-income households through the following activities  Increase access to quality childcare  Support access to existing senior services  Improve available services for youth  Support access to adult basic education  Provide job training for Housing Authority residents			
Public Facilities	Medium	Public Facilities was designated a medium priority with no new funding identified during the Consolidated Plan period			

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### **Consolidated Plan Priorities**

Infrastructure	Low	The City of Austin has determined that while
	-	infrastructure is needed in the community and an
	1	eligible Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
		expense, these funds are used instead for housing and
		community development

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### **Public Participation**

The Action Plan is a one-year strategic plan that describes community needs, resources, priorities and proposed activities under certain federal housing and community development grant programs. The fiscal year 2008-09 Action Plan must show progress toward meeting the goals established in the Consolidated Plan 2004-2009. Austin's Citizen Participation Plan (CPP), revised by City Council on January 29, 2004, outlines the following procedures for the Action Plan:

### CPP Requirements for the Needs Assessment (before the release of the Draft Action Plan):

- NHCD will gather statistical data and input from citizens
- The Community Development Commission will conduct a public hearing to receive citizen input on the City's performance report for the preceding year and proposed Action Plan
- The Austin City Council will conduct a public hearing to assess community needs.

The Community Development Commission (CDC) and the Austin City Council hosted public hearings to gather information from citizens on the community's housing and economic development needs and priorities. These public hearings were advertised in local papers. In addition, outreach regarding these hearings was made possible through email groups, flyers, and housing authority residents as well as Web site postings.

#### Public Hearings on the Needs Assessment

- City Council Public Hearing, Thursday, March 20th at 6 00 PM at the Austin City Hall, City Council Chambers, 301 W Second St
- Community Development Commission Public Hearing, Monday, March 31st at 6 30 PM at the Austin City Hall, Boards and Commissions Room, 301 W Second St

In addition to the public hearings, NHCD hosted an Economic Development Stakeholder Meeting on April 16, 2008, to gather community input on economic development activities for the Action Plan. This meeting was in response to recommendations made by the African American Quality of Life Initiative

Public testimony and results from the hearings can be found in Section 6

#### CPP Requirements for the Draft Action Plan:

- A Draft Action Plan will be available for public comment for 30 days.
- During the comment period, City Council will conduct a public hearing to receive public comment on the draft

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### **Public Participation**

 The Community Development Commission will also conduct a public hearing to receive public comment on the draft

#### **Draft Action Plan Public Process:**

- The 30 day public comment period will be June 2, 2008, through July 2, 2008
- City Council Public Hearing, Thursday, June 5th at 6 00 PM at the Austin City Hall, City Council Chambers, 301 W Second St
- Community Development Commission Public Hearing, Thursday, June 26th at 6.30 PM at the Austin City Hall, Boards and Commissions Room, 301 W Second St
- Written comments on the draft can be sent to Neighborhood Housing and Community Development Attn: Action Plan
   P O Box 1088
   Austin, TX 78767
   Email <a href="mailto:nhcd@ci austin.tx.us">nhcd@ci austin.tx.us</a>

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### **Evaluation of Past Performance**

City of Austin Annual Goals and Accomplishments							
Annual Goal for Fiscal Year Fiscal Year 2006-07 Fiscal Year 2006-07 From Consolidated From Action Plan Plan  Annual Goal for Fiscal Year 2006-07 2006-07 Accomplishment							
Housing	7,724	10,534	21,202				
Community Development	37,056	37,226	49,824				
Total Households	44,780	47,760	71,026				

#### Housing Strategies, Five-Year Goals, and Accomplishments

OVERALL GOAL: Assist over 40,000 eligible households with services that lead to self-sufficiency annually by 2009 as measured by

Consolidated Plan Housing Goal Over 6,000 households will gain and/or retain housing annually using the following strategies

					DLIDATED PL		EGIES			
Strategy A	Provide ho	using services	through a	continuum fr	om homelessness	to homeowner	ship			
Strategy	Priority for Federal Funds	Type of Families			Accomplishm	nents*		Proposed Accomplishments Annual Goals in Consolidated Plan		Funding**
			Actual FY 2004-05	Actual FY 2005 -2006	Proposed FY 2006 - 2007 in Action Plan	Actual FY 2006-07	Percent of 5-Year Consolidated Plan Goal Accomplished	FY 2007 - 2008	FY 2008 - 2009	
Strategy B.	Owner O	ccupied - Prov	rde opportu	nittes for ho	ischolds to retain (	heir homes th	rough rehabilitation	and construction	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<del> </del>
Owner- occupied	High	Small Family/ Large Family/ Elderly/ Disabled	1,050	913	850	918	61%	940	940	CDBG, HOME HTF HAF, LHCG
Strategy C profits and fo		er - Provide oj ung developer		for homebu	ers through finan	cing and const	truction to access S N	ART Housin	g <sup>1 M</sup> produced	by non-
Homebuyer Assistance	High	Small Family/ Large Family	220	135	251	83	32%	274	274	CDBG, HOME, GF, HTF, HAF, ADDI
Strategy D	Rental +	Provide resour	ces to non-	ուսըլ / լօւ-եւ	ofit housing develo	pers to constr	uct S M A R.T Hous	ing <sup>131</sup> rental unii	s and rehabili	tate existing
Rental	High	Small/Large Family/ Elderly/Disabled	284	270	271	294	61%	275	275	CDBG, HOME, HTF GF
Strategy E	Assisted -	Provide reso	urces to elig	ible househo	lds to access or re	ain affordable	rental units			
Assisted	High	Homeless, people with HIV/AIDS	613	614	610	520	47%	749	749	HOME HTF, HOPWA
Public Housing	N/A	All types of cost burdened housing	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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### **Evaluation of Past Performance**

Strategy	Priority for Federal Funds	Type of Families	Accomplishments*				Proposed Acco Annual ( Consolida	Funding**		
Strategy F	Transitio	nal - Assisi eli	gible housel	ıolds ın seen	ring and non-pro	fit organizations	in creating limited	-term bousing as	nd supportive s	ervices
Transitional	High	There are no programs that are strictly transitional	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Strategy G opportunities	_	-	less Shelter	- Assist elig	ible persons in se	curing and non	-profits in creating	emergency shelt	er and homele	ss shelter
Emergency Homeless Shelter	High	Homeless chronic homeless	6,220	9,772	5,742	11,341	236%	2320	2,320	ESG
		Sub-total	8,387	11,704	7,724	13,156	71%	4,558	4,558	
Stritegy H O	ther Funde	l Projects		_						
SMART Housing™	ļ	N/A	1,725	1,692	1,750	1,470	65%	1500	1,500	GF, EDI
Voluntary Compliance	ŀ	N/A	2,576	1,936	1,000	5,390	N/A	1,000	1,000	GF - CIP
Bonds		N/A	227	33	60	253	65%	172	144	Tax-Exempt Bonds
Hurricane Relief	,	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	922	N/A	N/A	N/A	FEMA
Holly Good Neighbor	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	11	N/A	N/A	N/A	Austin Energy
		Sub-total	4,528	3,661	2,810	8,046	196%	1,672	1,644	
TOTAL AL	L HOUSING	S PROGRAMS	12,915	15,365	10,534	21,202	75%	6,230	6,202	

<sup>\*</sup> See fiscal year 2006-07 CAPER, Section 3, for explanation of why accomplishments differ from goals \*\* See Section 2 for definitions of federal and non-federal funding sources.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> At this time, any projects that are considered transitional are funded through the Rental Housing Development Assistance (RHDA) program and the accomplishments can be found there

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### **Evaluation of Past Performance**

#### Community Development Strategies, Five-Year Goals, and Accomplishments

OVERALL GOAL Assist over 40,000 eligible households with services that lead to self-sufficiency annually by 2009 as measured by

Consolidated Plan Community Development Goal Assist over 30,000 low-income households annually using the following strategies

Stategy	Priority for Federal Funds	Type of Families					Proposed Accomplishments Annual Goats in Consolidated Plan		Funding**	
:			Actual FY 2004- 2005	Actual FY 2005 - 2006	Proposed FY 2006 - 2007 in Action Plan	Actual FY 2006-2007	Percent of 5-Year Consolidated Plan Goal Accomplished	FY 2007-2008	FY 2008- 2009	
Strategy A. Community	. Revit dizat	inn - Serve	low-incom	c household	s, small businesse	s, and housir	ig non-profit organization	в, and, provide :	commercial s	pacc.
Community Revitalization	High	Low- to moderate- income	3 294	18	3,306	1,294	40%	3,269	3,269	CDBG/ Section 108/GF
Strategy B Small Busi	ncas Develo	pment - Ser	ve low-ince	orne househ	olds and small bu	tnesses				
Small Business Development	High	Small Business Owners	371	47	62	70	35%	261	258	CDBG/ Section 108/GF
Strategy C Public Serv	alle - Serve	low-mcome	househole	is through t	he following activi	ticn' a				
Public Services (Neighborhood Revitalization)	High	Low- to moderate- income	38,567	45,572	33,858	48,460	74%	33,585	32,209	CDBG/GF
Public Facilities was designated as a Medium priority, which using HUD's definition means that this category will not be funded unless there are funds available, at which time, there will have to be a reprogramming to re-prioritize this category as a high priority. There are projects in this category that will be completed in future fiscal years, however, which were funded from fiscal year 2003-04.										
Public Facilities	Medium	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Strategy C Public Serv	ices - Serve	low-income	household	ls through t	he following activi	1108		•		
Infrastructure	Low	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	lo	tal	42,232	45,637	37,226	49,824	70%	37,115	35,736	

<sup>\*</sup> See fiscal year 2006-07 CAPER, Section 3, for explanation of why accomplishments differ from goals

<sup>\*\*</sup> See Section 2 for definitions of federal and non-federal funding sources

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### **Outcome Performance Measures**

#### **Outcome Performance Measures**

The Department of Housing and Urban Development on March 7, 2006, issued the *Notice of Outcome Performance Measurement System for Community Planning and Development Formula Grant Programs* This Notice describes the new required outcome performance measurement system for communities that receive formula grants. The City of Austin's outcome performance measures will allow HUD to clearly demonstrate program results at the national level. The following chart describes the outcome performance measures for fiscal year 2008-09 for the City of Austin.

Outcome Pe	rformance Measur	es	
ACTIVITY	FUNDING SOURCE	HUD OBJECTIVE	HUD OUTCOME
PROJECT PRIORITY: HOUSING			
Housing Continuum Step: Homeless/Emergency	Shelter Services		
Shelter Operation and Maintenance (ARCH)	ESG	Suitable Living Environment	Availability/ Accessibility
Homeless Essential Services (ATHHSD CDU)	ESG	Suitable Living Environment	Availability/ Accessibility
Homeless Essential Services (Hsg Benefits Spec/Chronic Homeless)	ESG	Suitable Living Environment	Availability/ Accessibility
Housing Continuum Step Assisted Housing			
Tenant-based rental assistance	HOME, HTF	Decent Housing	Affordability
Rent, Mortgage, and Utility Assistance	HOPWA	Decent Housing	Affordability
Project Transitions	HOPWA	Decent Housing	Availability/ Accessibility
Permanent Placement Housing	HOPWA	Decent Housing	Availability/ Accessibility
Housing Continuum Step. Rental Housing			
Rental Hsg Development Assistance	HOME, PI (HOME), CDBG, PI (CDBG), HOME (CHDO), UNO, GF-CIP, GO Bonds, HTF	Decent Housing	Affordability
Architectural Barrier Removal Program (Rental)	CDBG	Suitable Living Environment	Availability/ Accessibility
Anderson Hill Redevelopment (Rental)	НОМЕ	Decent Housing	Affordability
Housing Continuum Step. Homebuyer Services			
Down Payment Assistance	HOME, PI (HOME), ADDI	Decent Housing	Availability/ Accessibility

### **Outcome Performance Measures**

ACTIVITY	FUNDING	HUD	HUD
	SOURCE	OBJECTIVE	OUTCOME
Acquisition & Development	CDBG, HOME, CDBG Rev Loan, GO Bonds, HOME (CHDO), PI (HOME)	Decent Housing	Affordability
CHDO Capacity Building	HOME (CHDO)	Decent Housing	Affordability
Anderson Hill Redevelopment (owner)	PI (HOME), PI (CDBG), HAF	Decent Housing	Affordability
Juniper/Olive Street Housing Project (part of Anderson Hill)	PI (CDBG)	Decent Housing	Affordability
Housing Continuum Step: Owner Occupied Service	ces - ,_ ,	_	
Architectural Barrier Program (owner)	CDBG, GF	Suitable Living Environment	Availability/ Accessibility
Emergency Home Repair Program	CDBG, GF	Decent Housing	Sustainability
Homeowner Rehabilitation Loan Program	CDBG - Rev Loan, GF, HOME	Suitable Living Environment	Sustainability
Lead Hazard Control Grant- Healthy Homes	Lead Hazard Control Grant - Healthy Homes	Suitable Living Environment	Sustainability
Materials Grants Program*	HTF	Decent Housing	Sustainability
Housing Continuum Step Other			
SMA.RT Housing TM	GF - CIP, EDI	Decent Housing	Affordability
Holly Good Neighbor	Austin Energy	Suitable Living Environment	Sustainability
Voluntary Compliance	GF-CIP	Suitable Living Environment	Availability/ Accessibility
Single-Family Bonds	N/A	Decent Housing	Affordability
Multi-Family Bonds	N/A	Decent Housing	Affordability
PROJECT PRIORITY: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	r - 1		y
Small Business Development	* * * * 3		
Community Development Bank	CDBG, GF	Creating Economic Opportunity	Availability/ Accessibility
Microenterprise Technical Assistance	CDBG, GF	Creating Economic Opportunity	Sustainability

### **Outcome Performance Measures**

ACTIVITY	FUNDING	HUD	HUD
	SOURCE	OBJECTIVE	OUTCOME
Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	CDBG, CDBG-Rev	Creating	Availability/
	Loan, Section 108, GF	Economic	Accessibility
		Opportunity	
Façade Improvement Program	EDI	Creating	Sustainability
		Economic	
		Opportunity	
Community, Preservation, & Revitalization	GF	Creating	Availability/
		Economic	Accessibility
		Opportunity	
East 11/12th Streets Revitalization			
Part 1 - Job Creation	CDBG, Section 108	Creating	Availability/
		Economic	Accessibility
		Opportunity	
Part 2 - Micro-Enterprise Assistance	CDBG	Creating	Sustainability
		Economic	
		Opportunity	
Part 3 - Financial Assistance to For-Profits	CDBG, Section 108	Creating	Affordability
		Economic	
		Opportunity	
Part 4 - Acquisition of Real Property	CDBG	Creating	Sustainability
		Economic	
		Opportunity	
Part 5 - Non-residential Historic Preservation	CDBG	Creating	Sustainability
		Economic	
		Opportunity	
Part 6 - Parking Facilities	CDBG, GF	Suitable Living	Sustainability
		Environment	
Neighborhood Revitalization (Public Services)	Ta		
Child Care Services	CDBG, GF	Suitable Living	Availability/
	0000 05	Environment	Accessibility
Tenants' Rights Assistance	CDBG, GF	Suitable Living	Availability/
1)	0.5	Environment	Accessibility
Housing Information and Referral	GF	Suitable Living	Availability/
11		Environment	Accessibility
Housing Smarts	HTF	Suitable Living	Availability/
Name to a should Compare the Compare	OF.	Environment	Accessibility
Neighborhood Support Service	GF	Suitable Living	Availability/
Commerciano	CDDC CE	Environment	Accessibility
Senior Services	CDBG, GF	Suitable Living	Availability/
N	10000 . 0 5 .	Environment	Accessibility
Youth Support Services	CDBG + Gen Fund	Suitable Living	Availability/
		Environment	Accessibility

Section 1: Executive Summary

### **Funding Sources**

#### Neighborhood Housing and Community Development Office New Funding Sources

In fiscal year 2007-08, the City received \$13.2 million from HUD through four formula grants. HUD estimates the City of Austin's allocation for fiscal year 2008-09 to be \$12.5 million. Funds are provided through four entitlement grants with amounts determined by statutory formulas. Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), American Dream Downpayment Initiative (ADDI), Emergency Shelter Grant Program (ESG), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA). Non-enutlement grants are secured by the City through a competitive process. In fiscal year 2008-09, City projects will also use the following previously awarded, multi-year, non-entitlement Federal sources. Section 108, Lead Hazard Control Grant, and Economic Development Initiative (EDI)

Federal Funds	New Funding
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	\$ 7,374,683
CDBG Revolving Fund	\$101,455
CDBG Program Income	\$90,216
Subtotal CDBG Funds	\$7,566,354
HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME)	\$ 4,099,641
HOME Program Income	\$277,235
American Dream Down Payment Initiative (ADDI)	\$ 41,137
Subtotal HOME Funds (includes ADDI)	\$4,418,013
Section 108 Program Income	\$306,473
Emergency Shelter Grant Program (ESG)	\$ 328,238
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS Program (HOPWA)	\$ 987,000
Subtotal Federal Funds	\$13,606,078
City of Austin Local Funding	Proposed Funding
Operating General Funds	\$3,014,489
General Obligation Bonds	\$10,000,000
S M A R T. Housing™ Capital Improvement Fund (GF-CIP)	\$866,919
University Overlay- Housing Trust Fund	\$250,000
Subtotal City of Austin Local Funding	\$14,131,408
TOTAL	\$ 27,737,486



Funding Sources
Fiscal Year 2008-09 Funding Tables
Leveraging
HOME Match
ESG Match
LIHTC, Multifamily Bonds, and Section 8
McKinney-Vento Act Funds

Section 2: Funding

### **Funding Sources**

## Community Development Block Grant

The Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program is authorized under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 as amended. The primary objective of CDBG is the development of viable communities by

- Providing decent housing
- Providing a suitable living environment
- Expanding economic opportunities.

To achieve these goals, any activity funded with CDBG must meet one of three national objectives.

- Benefit to low- and moderate-income persons
- Aid in the prevention of slums or blight
- Meet a particular urgent need (referred to as urgent need).

#### **Program Income**

CDBG Program Income (CDBG PI) is the gross income received by the City of Austin directly generated by the use of CDBG funds Program income is available to activities that do not have established revolving loan funds

#### Revolving Loan Fund

A Revolving Loan Fund (CDBG – Rev. Loan) is a dedicated source of funds to a particular activity from which loans are made for housing or small business development projects. Once loans are repaid to the City, the funds revolve back into the original activity as available new funding.

### HOME Investment Partnerships Program

The HOME Program was created by the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (NAHA), and has been amended several times by subsequent legislation — There are three objectives of the HOME Program

- Expand the supply of decent, safe, sanitary, and affordable housing to very low- and low-income individuals
- Mobilize and strengthen the ability of state and local governments to provide decent, safe, sanitary, and affordable housing to very low- and low-income individuals
- Leverage private sector participation and expand the capacity of non-profit housing providers

#### **Program Income**

HOME Program Income (HOME PI) is the gross income received by the City of Austin directly generated by the use of HOME funds.

Section 2: FUNDING

### **Funding Sources**

#### **HOME CHDO**

A CHDO is a private nonprofit, community-based organization that has obtained or intends to obtain staff with the capacity to develop affordable housing for the community it serves, and meets the definition at 24 CFR 92.2 The City of Austin must set aside a minimum of 15 percent of the HOME allocation for housing development activities in which qualified CHDOs are the owners, developers, and/or sponsors of the housing

#### **HOME CHDO Operating**

HOME CHDO Operating (HOME CO) expenses are reasonable and necessary costs for the operation of a CHDO

American Dream Down-Payment Initiative The American Dream Down-Payment Initiative (ADDI) was signed into law by President George W. Bush on December 16, 2003, under the American Dream Down-Payment Act—Funds made available under the ADDI statute are allocated to eligible HOME program participating jurisdictions to assist low-income families to become first-time homebuyers

Emergency Shelter Grants The Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) awards grants for the rehabilitation or conversion of buildings into homeless shelters. It also funds certain related social services, operating expenses, homeless prevention activities, and administrative costs. ESG supplements state, local, and private efforts to improve the quality and number of emergency homeless shelters.

Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS The Housing Opportunity for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) Program was established by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to address the specific needs of low-income persons living with HIV/AIDS and their families. HOPWA makes grants to local communities, states, and non-profit organizations. HOPWA funds provide housing assistance and related supportive services in partnership with communities and neighborhoods.

#### **General Funds**

Operating funds provided by the City of Austin are used to support the operation and mission of city departments.

### General Obligation Bonds

On November 7, 2006, City of Austin voters approved a \$55 million bond package for affordable housing. The bonds are apportioned into \$33 million for rental and \$22 million for homeownership programs over seven years.

Section 2: Funding

### **Funding Sources**

### S.M.A.R.T. Housing<sup>™</sup> CIP Funds

S M A R T Housing<sup>IM</sup> Capital Improvement Funds (GF-CIP) are City of Austin funds used to construct affordable housing. The City dedicates to this fund 40 percent of all incremental tax revenues derived from developments that are built on property located in the Desired Development Zone and were not on the Travis Central Appraisal District property tax rolls on June 1, 1997. CIP also funds part of the review team at the City's Watershed Development and Protection Review Department to fund the expedited review of S M A R T. Housing<sup>IM</sup> projects.

### Housing Trust Fund

In fiscal year 1999-00, the Austin City Council included \$1 million in the annual budget for the establishment of a Housing Trust Fund (HTF). For several fiscal years, the Austin City Council continued to contribute general fund dollars to the Housing Trust Fund. While no new funds will be allocated for fiscal year 2008-09, the City continues to use Housing Trust Fund dollars that are carried forward from the previous fiscal year.

### University Neighborhood Overlay Housing Trust Fund

In fiscal year 2004-05, the Austin City Council adopted the University Neighborhood Overlay (UNO) District Housing Trust Fund that generates funding for the development of new affordable housing in a targeted area around the University of Texas. The fund was established as part of the University Neighborhood Overlay zoning district, which was created to implement some of the goals in the Combined Central Austin Neighborhood Plan UNO provides incentives for developers to build a portion of their housing as affordable Apartments in UNO must remain affordable for fifteen years Developers must build ten percent of the units as affordable to households at 80 percent or below of median family income (MFI) and an additional ten percent of the units as affordable to households at 65 percent or below of MFI Developers can pay a fee-in-lieu into the UNO Housing Trust Fund instead of developing 10 percent of affordable units for households at 65 percent or below of MFI In exchange, developers receive more flexible site development standards, such as reduced parking standards and increased height limits

### Housing Assistance Fund

The Austin Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) issued \$10,000,000 in Residual Value Revenue Bonds in 1988 from its 1980 Single-Family Bond Issue. The purpose of the issue was to create an income stream that can be used for providing housing assistance to persons and families of low- and moderate-income. Bond proceeds of \$7,500,000 were deposited into the Housing Assistance Fund.

Section 2: FUNDING

### **Funding Sources**

Earnings from this fund are used by AHFC to assist the city in its affordable housing initiatives.

### Economic Development Initiative

HUD funds several Economic Development Initiative (EDI) Grants The City receives funding to promote the S M A R T. Housing TM program throughout the nation with the EDI Congressional Grant The City also receives competitive EDI funds to provide façade improvements grants to local businesses in East Austin

### Section 108

The Section 108 Loan Guarantee Program offers local governments a source of financing for economic development, large-scale public facility projects, and public infrastructure for CDBG eligible activities. HUD sells bonds on the private market and uses the proceeds to fund Section 108 loans to local governments. The local government's future CDBG allocations and other resources are pledged as security for repayment of the loan to HUD.

### Lead Hazard Control Grant

HUD, under the Healthy Homes and Lead Hazard Control Program, awards funds to local governments to develop lead-based paint awareness and an inspection programs for homes built prior to 1978

	Sundan Causa	FY 07-08 Estimated	Funding	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus	Households
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT	Funding Source	CarryForward	FY08-09	Funding FY08-09)	Served
Homeless/Emergency Shelter					
Shelter Operation and Maintenance	ESG	_	217,087	217,087	7,000
Homeless Essential Services			,	,	.,
Communicable Disease Unit	ESG	•	52,233	52,233	35
Family Eldercare Billpayer Program	ESG		43,000	43,000	43_
Subtotal, Homeless/Emergency Shelter		<u> </u>	312,320	312,320	7,078
Assistant Housest					
<u>Assisted Housing</u> Tenant-based rental assistance	НОМЕ	113,000	567,000	680,000	
Tenant-based tental assistance	HTF	70,000	000,100	70.000	
Subtotal, TBRA		183,000	567,000	750,000	115
Housing for Persons with HIV/AIDS		,	00.,000	100,000	
Rent, Mortgage, and Utility Assistance	HOPWA	157,145	600,724	757,869	370
Residential Support Services	HOPWA	43,824	275,859	319,683	47
Permanent Housing Placement	HOPWA		80,807	80,807	80_
Subtotal, HIV/AIDS Housing		200,969	957,390	1,158,359	497
Subtotal, Assisted Housing .		383,969	1,524,390	1,908,359	612
Rental Housing					
Rental Development Services					
Rental Hsg. Development Assistance	HOME	1,160,000	700,000	1,860,000	
	CDBG	•	275,000	275,000	
	HOME (CHDO)	-	479,415	479,415	
	UNO	358,018	250,000	608,018	
	GF-CIP	950,000		950,000	
	GO Bonds	-	6,000,000	6,000,000	
	GF	-	166,896	166,896	
	HTF	53,400		53,400	
Subtotal, Rental Housing Dev Assist		2,521,418	7,871,311	10,392,729	175
Architectural Barrier Program	CDBG	-	230,000	230,000	75
Voluntary Compliance Agreement	GF-CIP	- 040 505	44,000	44,000	1,500
Anderson Hill Redevelopment Subtotal, Rental Housing	HOME	819,565 3,340,983	8,145,311	819,565 11,486,294	1,750
Subtotal, Remai Housing		3,340,963	6,145,311	11,400,294	1,750
Homebuyer Services					
Homebuyer Lending Assistance					
Down Payment Assistance	HOME	628,000	613,803	1,241,803	
•	PI (HOME)	· <u>-</u>	277,235	277,235	
	HTF	50,000		50,000	
	ADDI	-	41,137	41,137	
Subtotal, Homebuyer Lending Assistance		678,000	932,175	1,610,175	50_
Hameownership Development Acquisition & Development	CDBG		165,508	165,508	
requisition a bevelopment	HOME	309,903	248,263	558,166	
	CDBG-Rev Loan	445,632	240,200	445,632	
	GF-CIP	-	266,919	266,919	
	GO Bonds	2,649,819	4,000,000	6,649,819	
	GF	•	111,264	111,264	
	HAF	85,590	-	85,590	
	HOME Match	121,904	-	121,904	
	HOME (CHDO)	532,553		532,553	
Subtotal, Acq & Development (owner)	LIONE (CC)	4,145,401	4,791,954	8,937,355	50
CHDO Operations Loans	HOME (CO)	125,000	125,000	250,000	5
Anderson Hill Homeownership	PI (HOME)	679,571	•	679,571	-
Subtotal, Anderson Hill Homeownership	PI (CDBG)	378,120 1,057,691		378,120 1,057,691	
Juniper/Olive Street Housing Project	PI (CDBG)	1,001,091	<u>-</u>	1,001,091	7
Subtotal, Homeownership Development	. 1 (0000)	5,328,092	4,916,954	10,245,046	62
Subtotal, Homebuyer Services		6,006,092	5,849,129	11,855,221	112
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### Section 2 Funding ALL FUNDING SOURCES

	Funding Source	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)	Households Served
Owner-Occupied Housing					
Housing Rehabilitation Services	0000		007.000	007.000	200
Architectural Barrier Program	CDBG		937,200	937,200	300
	GF	303,777	108,654	412,431	
Emergency Repair Program	CDBG	105,000	700,000	805,000	475
	GF	195,000		195,000	
Homeowner Rehabilitation Loan Program	CDBG-Rev Loan	660,989	<u>.</u>	660,989	25
	GF	20,500	25,000	45,500	
	HOME	671,033	956,217	1,627,250	
Subtotal, Homeowner Moderate Rehab		1,352,522	981,217	2,333,739	25
Lead Hazard Control	LEAD	2,374,536	-	2,374,536	138
Materials Grants Program	HTF	60,500		60,500	20_
Subtotal, Owner-Occupied Housing		4,391,335	2,727,071	7,118,406	958
HOUSING POLICY  S M A R T Housing Review Team S M A R T Housing	GF-CIP GF	10,000	556,000 518,543	566,000 518,543	1,200
S M A R T Housing Initiative	EDI	68.000	310,343	68,000	
Subtotal, Housing Policy	LDI	78,000	1.074.543	1,152,543	1,200
oubtotal, rousing roney			7,074,040	1,102,040	
HOUSING BOND PROGRAMS Single Family Bond Programs Multi Family Bond Programs			·	<u>-</u>	15
Subtotal, Housing Bond Programs		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			15
HOLLY GOOD NEIGHBOR	A/E	540.405		540.425	20
Holly Good Neighbor Subtotal, Austin Energy Program	A/F	540,435 540,435	<del></del>	540,435 540,435	30 30
Subtotal, Austin Energy Program		540,435		540,435	
SUBTOTAL, Housing	••	14,740,814	19,632,764	34,373,578	11,755

	Funding <u>Source</u>	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)	Households Served
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT					
Small Business Development					
Community Development Bank	CDBG	_	150,000	150,000	6
Community Dovolopmont Bank	GF	_	19,823	19,823	•
Microenterprise Technical Assistance	CDBG	147,775	44,405	192,180	33
	GF	-	28,049	28,049	00
Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	CDBG	508,434	339,284	847,718	30
	CDBG-Rev Loan		101,455	244,634	
	Section 108	3,414,831		3,414,831	
Façade Improvement Program	EDI	198,125	-	198,125	6
Community Preservation & Revitalization	GF	95,000	150,000	245,000	7
Subtotal, Small Business Development		4,507,344	833,016	5,340,360	82
Commercial Revitalization					
East 11/12th Streets Revitalization					
Administration	GF	150,323	-	150,323	
	CDBG		105,700	105,700	
Part 1 Job Creation	CDBG	31,065	87,287	118,352	6
	PI (CDBG)		90,216	90,216	
	Section 108	318,085	-	318,085	_
Part 2 Micro-Enterprises	CDBG	-	54,216	54,216	9
Part 3 Financial Assistance to For-Profits	CDBG	-	92,287	92,287	1,556
Ded 4. Assurables	Section 108	250,000	•	250,000	4.550
Part 4 Acquisition Part 5 Historical Preservation	CDBG CDBG	734,052	- 07.007	734,052	1,556
Part 5 Historical Preservation	Section 108	305,000	87,287	392,287	3
Part 6 Parking Facilities	CDBG	120,093	53,954	120,093 53,954	1 556
Subtotal, Commercial Revitalization	CDDG	1,908,618	570,947	2,479,565	1,556 4,686
		.,000,010	3,0,0,1	2,470,000	
Neighborhood Revitalization (Public Services)					
Child Care Services	CDBG	683	629,265	629,948	309
	GF		65,315	65,315	000
Tenants' Rights Assistance	CDBG	-	220,178	220,178	521
	GF		34,234	34,234	
Housing Information and Referral	GF	-	157,057	157,057	30,000
Homebuyer Counseling	HTF	180,000		180,000	230
Neighborhood Support Service	GF	-	155,000	155,000	4,000
Senior Services	CDBG	=	57,973	57,973	117
	GF		65,864	65,864	68
Youth Support Services	CDBG	-	197,202	197,202	154
	GF .	104.404	34,560	34,560	
Subtotal, Neighborhood Revitalization (Public S	iervices)	180,683	1,616,648	1,797,331	35,399
Dobt Comunes					
Debt Services	0	4 000 044		4 000 044	
Homeless Shelter, Debt Service	Section 108	1,088,941	74.650	1,088,941	
Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	CDBG PI - Section 108	120.252	74,659	74,659	
East 11/12th Streets Revital , Debt Service	CDBG	120,253	172,729	292,982	
East 11/12th Sheets Revital , Deut Service	PI - Section 108	-	751,227 133,744	751,227 133,744	
Millennium Youth Center, Debt Service	CDBG	_	757,024	757,024	
Subtotal, Debt Services	ODDO	1,209,194	1,889,383	3,098,577	
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SUBTOTAL, Community Development .		7,805,839	4,909,994	12,715,833	40,167
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ADMINISTRATION	0000				
	CDBG	-	1,365,027	1,365,027	
	HOME		409,943	409,943	
	ESG	-	15,918	15,918	
	HOPWA	-	29,610	29,610	
CUDTOTAL Advances :	GF	268,031	1,374,230	1,642,261	
SUBTOTAL, Administration	••	268,031	3,194,728	3,462,759	
Total, All Programs	•	22,814,684	27,737,486	50,552,170	51,922

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2. Funding COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRAN

on 2. Funding MUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT		FY 07-08 Estimated	Funding	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT	Funding Source	CarryForward	FY08-09	Funding FY08-09)
Rental Housing				
Rental Development Services Rental Hsg Development Assistance	CDBG	-	275,000	275,000
Architectural Barrier Program	CDBG		230,000	230,000
Subtotal, Rental Housing			505,000	505,000
Homebuyer Services				
Homeownership Development				
Acquisition & Development	CDBG	-	165,508	165,508
	CDBG-Rev Loan	445,632	-	445,632
Juniper/Olive Street Housing Project	Pf (CDBG)	-	-	-
Anderson Hill Homeownership	PI (CDBG)	378,120	-	378,120
Subtotal, Homebuyer Services		823,752	165,508	989,260
Owner-Occupied Housing Housing Rehabilitation Services				
Architectural Barrier Program	CDBG	-	937,200	937,200
Emergency Repair Program	CDBG	105,000	700,000	805,000
Homeowner Rehabilitation Loan Program	CDBG-Rev Loan			660,989
Subtotal, Owner-Occupied Housing		765,989	1,637,200	2,403,189
SUBTOTAL, Housing		1,589,741	2,307,708	3,897,449
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT Small Business Development				
Community Development Bank	CDBG	-	150,000	150,000
Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	CDBG	508,434	339,284	847,718
-	CDBG-Rev Loan	143,179	101,455	244,634
Microenterprise Technical Assistance	CDBG	147,775	44,405	192,180
Subtotal, Small Business Development		799,388	635,144	1,434,532
Commercial Revitalization East 11/12th Streets Revitalization				
Administration	CDBG	-	105,700	105,700
Part 1 Job Creation	CDBG	31,065	87,287	118,352
	PI (CDBG)	-	90,216	90,216
Part 2 Micro-Enterprises	CDBG	-	54,216	54,216
Part 3 Financial Assistance to For-Profits		- 724.052	92,287	92,287
Part 4 Acquisition	CDBG CDBC	734,052	87,287	734,052
Part 5 Historical Preservation Part 6 Parking Facilities	CDBG CDBG	305,000	53,954	392,287 53,954
Subtotal, Commercial Revitalization .	CDDG	1,070,117	570,947	1,641,064
Neighborhood Revitalization (Public Services)				
Child Care Services	CDBG PI (CDBG)	683	629,265	629,948 -
Tenants' Rights Assistance	CDBG	-	220,178	220,178
Senior Services	CDBG	-	57,973	57,973
Youth Support Services Subtotal, Neighborhood Revitalization (Public	CDBG Services)	683	197,202 1,104,618	197,202 1,105,301
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<u>Debt Services</u> Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	CDBG	_	74,659	74.659
East 11/12th Streets Revital , Debt Service	CDBG	_	751,227	751,227
Millennium Youth Center, Debt Service	CDBG	_	757,024	757,024
Subtotal, Debt Services		<u> </u>	1,582,910	1,582,910
SUBTOTAL, Community Development		1,870,188	3,893,619	5,763,807
ADMINISTRATION				
SUBTOTAL, Administration	CDBG		1,365,027 1,365,027	1,365,027 1,365,027
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SUBTOTAL, CDBG Funding		3,459,929	7,566,354	11,026,283

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding HOME INVESTMENTS PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

	Funding <u>Source</u>	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT				
Assisted Housing	HOME	112.000	507.000	000.000
Tenant-based rental assistance Subtotal, Assisted Housing	HOME	113,000	567,000 567,000	680,000 680,000
Subtotal, Assisted Housing		113,000	307,000	000,000
Rental Housing				
Rental Development Services Rental Hsg Development Assistance	HOME	1,160,000	700,000	1,860,000
Rental risg. Development Assistance	HOME (CHDO)	-	479,415	479,415
Anderson Hill Redevelopment	номе	819,565	-	819,565
Subtotal, Rental Housing	•	1,979,565	1,179,415	3,158,980
Homebuyer Services Homebuyer Lending Assistance				
Down Payment Assistance	HOME	628,000	613,803	1,241,803
Down Fayment Assistance	PI (HOME)	-	277,235	277,235
•	ADDI	_	41,137	41,137
Subtotal, Homebuyer Lending Assistance		628,000	932,175	1,560,175
Homeownership Development			•	
Acquisition & Development	HOME	309,903	248,263	558,166
	HOME Match	121,904	-	121,904
	HOME (CHDO)	532,553	-	532,553
Subtotal, Acq & Development (owner)		964,360	248,263	1,212,623
CHDO Operations Loans	HOME (CO)	125,000	125,000	250,000
Anderson Hill Homeownership	PI (HOME)	679,571		679,571
Subtotal, Homeownership Development		1,768,931	373,263	2,142,194
Subtotal, Homebuyer Services	•	2,396,931	1,305,438	3,702,369
Owner-Occupied Housing Housing Rehabilitation Services Homeowner Rehabilitation Loan Program	PI (HOME)	-	050.047	4 007 050
Subtotal, Owner-Occupied Housing .	HOME	671,033 671,033	956,217 <b>956,217</b>	1,627,250 1,627,250
obsidial, owner obsupted housing .	•		555,211	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
SUBTOTAL, Housing	-	5,160,529	4,008,070	9,168,599
ADMINISTRATION	HOME		409,943	409,943
SUBTOTAL, Administration			409,943	409,943
SUBTOTAL, HOME Funding	•1	5,160,529	4,418,013	9,578,542

## Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANTS and HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONS WITH AIDS

		FY 07-08		Projected Program Level FY08-09
	Funding	Estimated	Funding	(Estimated plus
	Source	CarryForward	FY08-09	Funding FY08-09)
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT		•		_ ,
Homeless/Emergency Shelter				
Shelter Operation and Maintenance	ESG	•	217,087	217,087
Homeless Essential Services				
Communicable Disease Unit	ESG	-	52,233	52,233
Family Eldercare Billpayer Program	E\$G	-	43,000	43,000
Subtotal, Homeless/Emergency Shelter			312,320	312,320
SUBTOTAL, Housing			312,320	312,320
ADMINISTRATION				
MINION	ESG		15,918	15,918
SUBTOTAL, Administration	•	•	15,918	15,918
,				
SUBTOTAL, ESG Funding	•	-	328,238	328,238
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT				
Assisted Housing				
Housing for Persons with HIV/AIDS				
Rent, Mortgage, and Utility Assistance	HOPWA	157,145	600,724	757,869
Residential Support Services	HOPWA	43,824	275,859	319,683
Permanent Housing Placement	HOPWA		80,807_	80,807
Subtotal, HIV/AIDS Housing		200,969	957,390	1,158,359
Subtotal, Assisted Housing	•	200,969	957,390	1,158,359
SUBTOTAL, Housing		200,969	957,390	1,158,359
4 DAMINIOTO 4 TIOM				
ADMINISTRATION	HOPWA		20.610	29,610
SUBTOTAL, Administration	HOPWA		29,610 <b>29,610</b>	29,610
JOBTOTAL, Administration	•	<del></del>	23,010	25,010
SUBTOTAL, HOPWA Funding	•••	200,969	987,000	1,187,969

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding Section 108 and EDI

	Funding <u>Source</u>	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT				
<u>Small Business Development</u> Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	Section 108	2 414 921		2 414 921
Subtotal, Small Business Development		3,414,831 3,414,831	-	3,414,831 3,414,831
Commercial Revitalization East 11/12th Streets Revitalization		•		
Part 1 Job Creation	Section 108	318,085	-	318,085
Part 3 Financial Assistance to For-Profits	Section 108	250,000	-	250,000
Part 5 Historical Preservation	Section 108	120,093	-	120,093
Subtotal, Commercial Revitalization	-	688,178		688,178
<u>Debt Services</u>				
Homeless Shelter, Debt Service	Section 108	1,088,941	-	1,088,941
Neighborhood Commercial Mgmt	PI - Section 108	120,253	172,729	292,982
East 11/12th Streets Revital , Debt Service	PI - Section 108		133,744	133,744
Subtotal, Debt Services		1,209,194	306,473	1,515,667
SUBTOTAL, Community Development		5,312,203	306,473	5,618,676
SUBTOTAL, Section 108 Funding		5,312,203	306,473	5,618,676
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT Small Business Development			_	
Community Preservation & Revitalization	EDI	198,125		198,125
Subtotal, Small Business Development		198,125	-	198,125
SUBTOTAL, Community Development		198,125		198,125
HOUSING POLICY				
S M A R T Housing Initiative	EDI	68,000	-	68,000
SUBTOTAL, HOUSING POLICY		68,000	-	68,000
SUBTOTAL, EDI Funding		266,125		266,125
OUD TO TAL, LDIT unung		200,720	-	200,123

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding HOUSING TRUST FUND AND UNO

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT	Funding Source	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)
Assisted Housing				
Tenant-based rental assistance	HTF	70,000		70,000
Subtotal, Assisted Housing		70,000		70,000
Rental Housing Rental Development Services Rental Hsg Development Assistance Subtotal, Rental Housing	HTF	53,400 53,400		53,400 53,400
Homebuyer Services  Homebuyer Lending Assistance  Down Payment Assistance  Subtotal, Homebuyer Lending Assistance	HTF 	50,000 50,000	<del>-</del>	50,000
Owner-Occupied Housing Housing Rehabilitation Services Materials Grants Program Subtotal, Owner-Occupied Housing SUBTOTAL, Housing	нтғ	60,500 60,500 233,900	-	60,500 60,500 233,900
SOBTOTAL, Housing	•	233,300		233,900
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  Neighborhood Revitalization (Public Services)  Homebuyer Counseling  Subtotal, Neighborhood Revitalization (Public	HTF : Services)	180,000 180,000		180,000 180,000
SUBTOTAL, Community Development		180,000		180,000
SUBTOTAL, Housing Trust Fund		413,900		413,900
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT  Rental Housing  Rental Development Services  Rental Hsg Development Assistance	UNO	358,018	250,000	608,018
Subtotal, Rental Housing	•	358,018	250,000	608,018
SUBTOTAL, Housing	•	358,018	250,000	608,018
SUBTOTAL, UNO Funding		358,018	250,000	608,018

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding GENERAL FUND

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT Rental Housing	Funding <u>Source</u>	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)
Rental Development Services				
Rental Hsg Development Assistance	GF	<u> </u>	166,896_	166,896
Subtotal, Rental Housing			166,896	166,896
Homebuyer Services				
Homeownership Development				
Acquisition & Development	GF		111,264	111,264
Subtotal, Homebuyer Services			111,264	111,264
Owner-Occupied Housing Housing Rehabilitation Services				
Architectural Barrier Program	GF	303,777	108,654	412,431
Emergency Repair Program	GF	195,000	05.000	195,000
Homeowner Rehabilitation Loan Program Subtotal, Owner-Occupied Housing	GF	20,500	25,000	45,500
	ı	519,277	133,654	652,931
HOUSING POLICY				
SMART Housing	GF		518,543	518,543
Subtotal, Housing Policy			518,543	518,543
SUBTOTAL, Housing		519,277	930,357	1,449,634
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT Small Business Development				
Community Development Bank	GF	•	19,823	19,823
Community Preservation & Revitalization	GF	95,000	150,000	245,000
Microenterprise Technical Assistance	GF	-	28,049	28,049
Subtotal, Small Business Development		95,000	197,872	292,872
Commercial Revitalization				
East 11/12th Streets Revitalization	GF	150,323		150,323
Subtotal, Commercial Revitalization		150,323	-	150,323
Neighborhood Revitalization (Public Services)				
Child Care Services	GF		65,315	65,315
Tenants' Rights Assistance	GF	-	34,234	34,234
Housing Information and referral	GF	-	157,057	157,057
Neighborhood Support Service	GF	-	155,000	155,000
Senior Services	GF	-	65,864	65,864
Youth Support Services	GF		34,560	34,560
Subtotal, Neighborhood Revitalization (Public	Services)		512,030	512,030
SUBTOTAL, Community Development		245,323	709,902	955,225
ADMINISTRATION				
SUBTOTAL, Administration	GF	268,031	1,374,230	1,642,261
OUD FO FAL, Authinistration	•	268,031	1,374,230	1,642,261
SUBTOTAL, GF Funding	•	1,032,631	3,014,489	4,047,120

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding GENERAL FUND - CIP AND GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS

	Funding <u>Source</u>	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT				
Rental Housing				
Rental Development Services	05.010	050 000		050 000
Rental Hsg Development Assistance Voluntary Compliance Agreement	GF-CIP GF-CIP	950,000	- 44,000	950,000 44,000
Subtotal, Rental Housing	GF-CIP	950,000	44.000	994,000
Subtotal, Nemai Housing	•	330,000	44,000	334,000
Homebuyer Services Homeownership Development				
Acquisition & Development	GF-CIP	-	266,919	266,919
Subtotal, Homebuyer Services			266,919	266,919
HOUSING BOLIOV				
HOUSING POLICY	CE CID	10.000	EEC 000	E66 000
S M A R T Housing Review Team Subtotal, Housing Policy	GF-CIP	10,000 10,000	556,000 556,000	566,000 566,000
out of the state o	•	70,000		
SUBTOTAL, Housing		960,000	866,919	1,826,919
SUBTOTAL, Capital Improvement Projects		960,000	866,919	1,826,919
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT				
Rental Housing				
Rental Development Services				
Rental Hsg Development Assistance	GO Bonds	-	6,000,000	6,000,000
Subtotal, Rental Housing		-	6,000,000	6,000,000
Homebuyer Services				
Homeownership Development				
Acquisition & Development	GO Bonds	2,649,819	4,000,000	6,649,819
Subtotal, Homebuyer Services	•	2,649,819	4,000,000	6,649,819
HOUSING BOND PROGRAMS				
Single Family Bond Programs		_	_	-
Multi Family Bond Programs			-	•
Subtotal, Housing Bond Programs	•		-	-
SUBTOTAL, Housing	••	2,649,819	10,000,000	12,649,819
SUBTOTAL, BOND Funding	•	2,649,819	10,000,000	12,649,819

Projected

### Fiscal Year 2008-09 Annual Action Plan Section 2: Funding LEAD HAZARD CONTROL GRANT, AUSTIN ENERGY, AND HOUSING ASSISTANCE FUND

	Funding <u>Source</u>	FY 07-08 Estimated CarryForward	Funding FY08-09	Projected Program Level FY08-09 (Estimated plus Funding FY08-09)
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT Owner-Occupied Housing Housing Rehabilitation Services				
Lead Hazard Control Subtotal, Owner-Occupied Housing	LEAD	2,374,536 2,374,536	-	2,374,536 2,374,536
SUBTOTAL, Housing		2,374,536	-	2,374,536
SUBTOTAL, LEAD Funding		2,374,536	-	2,374,536
HOLLY GOOD NEIGHBOR Holly Good Neighbor Subtotal, Austin Energy Program	A/E	540,435 540,435	-	540,435 540,435
SUBTOTAL, Housing	i	540,435	•	540,435
SUBTOTAL, Austin Energy Funding	,	540,435	<u>-</u>	540,435
HOUSING ASSISTANCE FUND Acquisition & Development Subtotal, Homebuyer Services	HAF	85,590 <b>85,590</b>		85,590 85,590
SUBTOTAL, Housing		85,590	-	85,590
SUBTOTAL, HAF Funding		85,590	-	85,590

SECTION 2: Funding

# **Administration Activity Tables**

CDBG Administration						
IDIS Project #: 9						
•	PROJECT	DESCRIPTION				
Funds provide administrative	costs for programs.					
	FUI	NDING				
Fund Source	(s) CDBG					
FY 2008-09 Total Fundii	<b>ng</b> \$1,365,027					
	PROJECT	INFORMATION				
Project Primary Purpose:		Matrix Codes				
Help the Homeless	<u> </u>					
Help Persons with HIV/AIDS  Help Persons with Disabilities	Prio	rity Need Category	Eligibility			
Address Public Housing Needs	Planning/Administration	▼	Not Applicable ▼			
Objective Category	Outcome Categories	Subrecipient	Local Government			
Objective Category	Outcome Categories	Expected Completion Date	9/30/2008			
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Citation	570.206			
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Location	Community Wide			
HOME Administration IDIS Project #: 19						
ibis Froject #. 17	PROJECT	DESCRIPTION				
Funds provide administrative		DESCRIPTION				
Turius provide durimiistrative	·	NDING				
Fund Source	(s) HOME	-				
FY 2008-09 Total Fundii						
	PROJECT	INFORMATION				
Project Primary Purpose:		Matrix Codes				
Help the Homeless Help Persons with HIV/AIDS	21A General Program	Administration 570.206				
	Priority Need Category					
☐ Help Persons with Disabilities☐ Address Public Housing Needs	Planning/Administration		Not Applicable			
Objective Category	Outcome Categories	Subrecipient	Local Government			
	Ĭ	Expected Completion Date	9/30/2008			
Not Applicable   The state of t	Not Applicable	Citation	570.206			
		<b>Location</b> Comm				

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# **Administration Activity Tables**

ESG Administration						
IDIS Project #: 18						
	PROJECT D	ESCRIPTION				
Funds provide administrative	costs for programs.					
<u> </u>	, ,	DING				
Fund Source						
FY 2008-09 Total Fundi	• •					
1 1 2000-07 Total 1 dilaii	•	NFORMATION				
Project Primary Purpose:	1110320111	Matrix Codes				
☐ Help the Homeless 21A General Program Administration 570.206 ▼						
Help Persons with HIV/AIDS						
Help Persons with Disabilities	Prior	ty Need Category	Eligibility			
Address Public Housing Needs	Planning/Administration		Not Applicable			
Objective Category	Outcome Categories		al Government			
		Expected Completion Date	9/30/2008			
Not Applicable   ▼	Not Applicable	Citation	570.206			
		<b>Location</b> Cor	nmunity Wide			
HOPWA Administration	-					
IDIS Project #: 22	DDO IFCT D	ECCDIDION				
F l ! ! ! . ! . ! . !		ESCRIPTION				
Funds provide administrative		DINO	7			
- 10		DING				
Fund Source	• •					
FY 2008-09 Total Fundii	<u> </u>					
Desired Deimore Domos	PROJECT II	NFORMATION Matrix Codes				
Project Primary Purpose:	_	Matrix Codes	•			
Help the Homeless Help Persons with HIV/AIDS	21A General Program A	dministration 570.206	▼ _			
	Prior	ty Need Category	Eligibility			
Help Persons with Disabilities	Planning/Administration		Not Applicable			
Address Public Housing Needs		<u> </u>				
Objective Category	Outcome Categories		al Government			
		Expected Completion Date Citation	9/30/2008 570.206			
Not Applicable	Not Applicable					
		<b>Location</b> Cor	nmunity Wide			
General Fund Administration	on					
IDIS Project #: Not Appli	cable with Non-Federal F	unds				
- 11		ESCRIPTION				
Funds provide administrative						
T arias provide darillinstrative		DING				
Fund Source	(s) General Fund	טוועט				
FY 2008-09 Total Fundi						
•	<u> </u>					

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# Leveraging

HUD requires that the City estimate the amount of funds leveraged by City federal and non-federal funds. Federal requirements define leveraging as other public and private resources that address needs identified in the Consolidated Plan. The table below shows the estimated funds to be leveraged by the City's funds and the estimated funds leveraged by the City's non-federal program, the Single Family Bonds.

For the Acquisition and Development, the Down Payment Assistance Program, and the Single Family Bonds homeownership programs, leveraging is the total amount of the mortgage loan minus the amount of City assistance. For the Rental Housing Development Assistance program, leveraging is the total project funding minus the amount of City assistance.

Programs	Estimated Units	Estimated Leveraging
Acquisition and Development	50	\$3,500,000
Down Payment Assistance	50	\$6,100,000
Rental Housing Dev Assistance	225	\$5,600,000
Total Estimated Leverage of Programs that Receive Federal Funds	325	\$15,200,000
Single Family Bonds	15	\$1,725,000
Total Estimated Leverage of Programs that do not Receive Federal Funds	15	\$1,725,000
TOTAL-ALL HOUSING PROGRAMS	340	\$16,925,000

Section 2: Funding

# **HOME Match**

# HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS MATCHING FUNDS Fiscal Year 2008-09

HUD requires that participating jurisdictions (PJs) that receive HOME funds match 25 cents of every dollar. The matching requirement mobilizes community resources in support of affordable housing. The table below calculates the total required contribution of matching funds from the City of Austin for 2008-09 funding.

Calculation	
Grant Allocation	\$4,099,434
Administration	\$4,099,434 \$(409,943)
Total Obligation	<u>\$3,689,491</u>
Requirement Percentage	x 25%
Total Requirement	<u>\$922,373</u>
Contribution	
Non-Federal Matching Funds	\$691,779
Bond Proceeds (25% Max.)	\$230,593
Total Contribution	<u>\$922,373</u>

Section 2: FUNDING

# **ESG Match**

### **Emergency Shelter Grant Matching Funds**

The Emergency Shelter Grant Program requires each local government grantee to match dollar-for-dollar the ESG funding provided by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). These matching funds must come from other public or private sources. For fiscal year 2008-09, the City of Austin's preliminary ESG Grant Allocation is \$328,238; thus another \$328,238 is needed from the City and the subrecipients/contractors for matching funds.

Any of the following may be included in calculating the matching funds requirement: 1) cash; 2) the value or fair rental value of any donated material or building; 3) the value of any lease on a building; 4) any salary paid to staff to carry out the program of the recipient; and 5) the value of the time and services contributed by volunteers to carry out the program of the recipient at a current rate of five dollars per hour.

IDIS Activity	Consolidated Plan Priority	Fund Source	Estimated Carry Forward	2008-09 Projected Funding	Projected Program Level	Match	Proposed Accomplish- ments
Shelter Operation and Maintenance Austin Resource Center for the Homeless	High	ESG	0	\$217,087	\$217,087	\$217,087	7,000 people
Essential Services Communicable Disease Unit	High	ESG	0	\$52,233	\$52,233	\$52,233	35 people
Essential Services Benefits Specialist	High	ESG	0	\$43,000	\$43,000	\$43,000	43 people
Grant Administration costs	N/A	ESG	0	\$15,918	\$15,918	\$15,918	N/A
Total Match:				\$328,238	\$328,238	\$328,238	7,078 people

Fiscal year 2008-09 ESG funding has decreased from previous years by \$878. Half of the decrease, or \$439 was taken from ESG Administration, and the other half was taken from the Communicable Disease Unit. The other two agencies funded with ESG received level funding.

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# **ESG Match**

For fiscal year 2008-09 (ESG fiscal year 2008-10 allocation) HHSD, local providers of homeless services and the Ending Community Homelessness Coalition are working to coordinate funding from several sources to make the most efficient and effective use of all the funds across the entire continuum of homeless services. HHSD plans to allocate ESG funds to shelter operations and maintenance, homeless essential services, and ESG grant administration.

Each contract/award agreement includes the requirement that subcontractors/awardees will provide a one-to-one match of the ESG funds. The City will match administrative costs using an in-kind match of salaries of City personnel who administer the grant.

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### LIHTC, Multifamily Bonds, and Section 8

#### **Low-Income Housing Tax Credits**

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) administers the Housing Tax Credit (HTC) Program for the State of Texas. The HTC Program provides a valuable affordable housing resource to the Austin community. The HTC Program receives authority from the U.S. Treasury Department to provide tax credits to non-profits, for-profit developers, and syndicators or investors.

The program's purpose is to

- Encourage the development and preservation of rental housing for low-income families,
- Provide for the participation of for-profit and non-profit organizations in the program,
- Maximize the number of units added to the state's housing supply, and
- Prevent losses in the state's supply of affordable housing

HTC is regionally allocated in 13 state service regions and each service region is further distributed into rural and urban categories. The City of Austin resides in region 7. Projects that apply for tax credits in Austin compete against other applications in the urban area of region 7. Region 7 includes Llano, Burnet, Blanco, Travis, Williamson, Hays, Caldwell, Bastrop, Lee, and Fayette counties.

In 2008, TDHCA will allocate approximately \$1.7 million in housing tax credits in the urban areas of region 7. TDHCA manages the application process for these competitive housing tax credits. For more information regarding housing tax credits, visit the TDHCA web site at www tdhca state tx us.

#### **Multifamily Bond Program**

The Austin Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC), administers the Multifamily Bond Program that provides below-market interest rate financing for the acquisition and rehabilitation or the new construction of apartment complexes. Funding is provided through the sale and issuance of tax-exempt multifamily conduit bonds. Federal law requires that for the bonds to retain tax-exempt status, at least 20 percent of the units financed must be leased to families at or below 50 percent of median family income (MFI) or 40 percent of the units must be leased to families with incomes below 60 percent of MFI

Private developers have two options when applying for Tax-Exempt Multifamily Bonds through Austin Housing Finance Corporation. The first option is to apply for Private Activity Bonds which are combined with four percent Housing Tax Credits issued by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. The Texas Bond Review Board determines the schedule by which these Private Activity Bonds are allocated. While the Texas Bond Review Board conducts a lottery drawing for these applications in October or November of each year, it accepts and awards applications throughout the year. The second option is to apply for bonds without the need for private activity bond authority or the use

Section 2: Funding

# LIHTC, Multifamily Bonds, and Section 8

of Housing Tax Credits Those bonds are known as 501(c)3 bonds and are also awarded throughout the year

AHFC manages the application process to secure these funds (For more information, see http://www.cityofaustin.org/ahfc/bond.htm.)

#### Section 8

Two public housing authorities administer Section 8 programs in the City of Austin the Housing Authority of the City of Austin (HACA) and the Travis County Housing Authority (TCHA). The Section 8 program administered by public housing authorities, designed to increase the housing choices available to very low-income households by making privately-owned rental housing affordable. The Section 8 Program provides rent subsidies, either rental certificates or vouchers, on behalf of eligible tenants. These subsidies usually equal the difference between 30 percent of the household's adjusted income and the HUD-approved fair market rent (for certificates) or the PHA-approved payment standard (for vouchers)

The Travis County Housing Authority has 564 Section 8 Vouchers with a yearly budget of \$4,224,000 Approximately 850 individuals and families are on the wait list to receive a voucher. The Housing Authority of the City of Austin provides 5,023 vouchers citywide, with a budget of \$45,914,920, and has 4,919 households on a waiting list.

Section 2: FUNDING

# **McKinney-Vento Act Funds**

McKinney Vento Homeless Assistance Programs Continuum of Care, Fiscal Year 2008-09 Austin Homeless Task Force

The Austin/Travis County Ending Community Homelessness Coalition's Planning and Evaluation Committee leads the planning, data collection, analysis, and writing activities for the annual Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Grant application. The planning activities include a) identifying methods for communicating to interested parties how to become involved, b) determining what types of project categories will be prioritized, c) developing the local application process, including evaluation criteria and submission requirements, and d) identifying which entities will be represented on the Independent Review Team, the group that evaluates, scores and ranks the projects

In 2007, the City of Austin applied for \$4,326,507 and was awarded \$3,741,918 after the applications were reviewed by HUD and given a score of 88.75. This was 1.5 points below 90.25, the threshold for funding. While all of the proposed renewal programs were funded, the new proposed Samaritan Bonus project and the new Georgetown Transitional Housing project were not funded by HUD.

Numeric Priority	Name of the applicant	Name of the project/purpose	Requested Project Amount	Awarded Project Amount
1	Carıtas of Austın	New Permanent Supportive Housing Program, 27 units of permanent supportive housing leased at Foundation Communities' Spring Terrace for persons who are chronically homeless. The City of Austin HHSD has contributed to the supportive services of this project so that there is more money allocated toward leasing.	\$424,688	\$ 0
2	Georgetown Public Housing Authority	New Transitional Housing project that uses leasing dollars to fund housing for families in Georgetown/Williamson County This is funded through an amount designated by HUD for the Williamson County and Round Rock as their "pro rata need " This is the first year that Williamson County has been a member of the Austin/Travis County CoC	\$190,200	\$ 0
3	Homeless Management Information Systems	Renewal HMIS (Homeless Management Information System), consolidated client database required by HUD for all HUD-funded programs	\$78,533	\$78,533
4	Caritas of Austin	Renewal ReEntry Program Transitional housing primarily for people who are chronically homeless. This project cut its budget by 5% this year.	\$303,216	\$303,216
5	LifeWorks	Renewal Supportive Housing, transitional housing for homeless youth. This project cut its budget by 5% this year	\$211,213	\$211,213
6	LifeWorks	Renewal Street Outreach, outreach to homeless youth This project cut its budget by 5% this year	\$141,082	\$141,082
7	SafePlace	Renewal SafePlace Supportive Housing Program, transitional housing for families who are survivors of domestic violence This project cut its budget by 5% this year	\$792,857	\$792,857

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# **McKinney-Vento Act Funds**

Numeric Priority	Name of the applicant	Name of the project/purpose	Requested Project Amount	Awarded Project Amount
8	The Salvation Army	Renewal Passages Program, a six-agency collaboration providing comprehensive, long term case management for all homeless populations, CoC pays for case management, HOME TBRA pays for housing. This project cut its budget by 5% this year.	\$738,082	\$738,081
9	Caritas of Austin	Renewal Permanent Supportive Housing project funded originally two years ago for leasing of 20 units at Foundation Communities' Spring Terrace for chronically homeless	\$196,492	\$196,492
10	ATCMHMR	Renewal Safe Haven, transitional housing and support services for people with mental illness who are homeless	\$348,007	\$348,007
11	Front Steps	New Permanent Supportive Housing Program, 10 units of permanent supportive housing leased at Foundation Communities' Garden Terrace, for persons who are chronically homeless. This project was funded by way of budget cuts from the other renewal projects.	\$94,669	\$94,669
		Subtotal Requested Amount	\$3,519,039	\$2,904,150
-	Housing Authority, ATCMHMR, AIDS Services of Austin	Shelter Plus Care-Renewal, permanent supportive housing for homeless persons with mental illness and/or HIV/AIDS	\$313,068	\$350,112 00
-	Housing Authority of Travis County and ATCMHMR	Shelter Plus Care-Renewal, permanent housing program for homeless persons with mental illness	\$494,400	\$487,656 00
<u> </u>		Subtotal Requested Amount	\$807,468	\$837,768
		Total Requested Amount:	\$4,326,507	\$3,741,918

Note The 2008 Continuum of Care application for fiscal year 2009-10 is not due to HUD until September 2008