

POLICY DISCUSSION HOUSING DEVELOPER ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

General Obligation Bond Funds

-Should the current G.O. Bond funding split of 60% rental and 40% owner be revised to allow a higher percentage of funds to go toward rental projects?

See attached spreadsheet.

- -Should the balance of rental funds be reserved specifically for projects serving 30 percent median family income (MFI) and below?
- -Should term limits be implemented for Housing Bond Review Committee members? Should staff take necessary action to ensure that meetings are open to the public?

Program/Policy Questions

- -Does CDC recommend staff allocate up to \$5 million of local funding for a preservation fund?
- -Does CDC support requiring an applicant to contribute at least 10 percent of total project costs in order to access public dollars?
- -Should the City continue to utilize the Opportunity Map methodology to measure geographic dispersion of affordable units?
- -Does CDC recommend adding to the following framework that awards points for proposed developments:
 - Developments located in VMUs/TODs/PUDs;
 - Developments that preserve affordable units;
 - Developments that provide on-site services for permanent/supportive housing.