CIP EXPENSE DETAIL

DATE OF BOARD CONSIDERATION: CONTACT DEPARTMENT(S):

3/8/12
Austin Housing Finance Corporation

SUBJECT: Approve the negotiation and execution of a loan to ESCT AUSTIN HOUSING IV, INC., in an amount not to exceed \$624,898 to acquire ten condominium units at 3204 Manchaca Road to be rented to very low-income persons with disabilities.

CURRENT YEAR IMPACT:

Department: Austin Housing Finance Corporation

Project Name: ESCT Austin Housing IV, Inc.

Fund/Department/Unit: 8605-7207-0400 Funding Source: GO Bonds

 Current Appropriation:
 55,000,000.00

 Unencumbered Balance:
 3,947,970.18

 Amount of This Action:
 (395,108.00)

 Remaining Balance:
 3,552,862.18

Total Amount of this Action 395,108.00

ANALYSIS / **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**: If approved, the \$624,898 requested will be used to assist with the acquisition of ten condominium units. The proposed funding sources are: Community Development Block Grant (\$209,790); G. O. Bond Funds (\$395,108); and Housing Trust Funds (\$20,000).

Austin Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) funds would represent approximately 37 percent of the total project cost, with an average cost of \$62,490 per unit.

The requested funding is consistent with the City of Austin's currently approved Consolidated Plan and AHFC's strategy to provide assistance through below market-rate financing for the development of affordable rental housing for low- and moderate-income households and persons with special needs.