

# ANNUAL UPDATE COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT (CSBG) 2017 COMMUNITY ACTION PLAN

#### **Community Development Commission**

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#### 2017 Community Action Plan

- Met or exceeded all goals except:
  - Number of people unemployed and obtained a job 65 people achieved the outcome (86.67% of goal)
  - Number of participants in tax preparation program who qualified for Federal or State tax credits
     116 people achieved the outcome (92.80% of goal)
  - Number of participants who were enrolled in telephone lifeline discounts with assistance
     New measure – 1 person achieved the outcome (20% of goal)

#### **Demographics**

- 2,742 unduplicated persons received direct funded CSBG services.
- 54,037 unduplicated persons received CSBG supported services (no additional demographics gathered).

#### Race

| Black or African American      | 1,306 |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| <ul><li>White</li></ul>        | 1,276 |
| American Indian/Alaskan Native | 1     |
| <ul><li>Asian</li></ul>        | 28    |
| <ul><li>Multi-race</li></ul>   | 41    |
| Other                          | 90    |
|                                | 2,742 |

Ethnicity

| Hispanic or Latino     | 999   |
|------------------------|-------|
| Not Hispanic or Latino | 1,743 |
|                        | 2,742 |

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> Age
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**\*** 0-5 355

**❖** 6-17 700

**❖** 18-23 143

**\*** 24-44 586

**\*** 45-54 284

**♦** 55+ <u>674</u>

2,742

Education -Adults ages 24 and over:

| <b>*</b> 0-8                        | 11% |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| <ul><li>9-12/Non Graduate</li></ul> | 18% |
| * HS Grad/GED                       | 43% |
| 12+ Post secondary                  | 17% |
| 2 or 4 Yr. College Graduate         | 11% |

> Housing

♦ Own
14%

❖ Rent 77%

Homeless 4%

Other5%

#### Successes

- > 38 persons were employed and maintained a job for 90 days.
  - Exceeded our goal of 25 persons (152% of goal)
- 12 persons achieved "living wage" job and/or benefits.
  - Exceeded our goal of 10 persons (120% of goal)
- > 51 persons transitioned out of poverty
  - Exceeded our goal of 45 persons (113% of goal)

#### Successes (cont.)

- > 36,826 persons received food assistance
- > 591 persons received rent assistance
- > 7,904 persons received health care services

#### Areas for Improvement

- Need to sharpen focus on outreach to low-income individuals and families
- Continue to explore options for service expansion to underserved areas
- Continue to strengthen partnerships that help remove barriers to self-sufficiency

#### **Questions?**