

Council of the City of York, PA  
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Introduced by: Sandie Walker

Date: January 19, 2021

**A RESOLUTION**

OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YORK, PA, APPROVING A SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2019 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN AND CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN FOR THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development is authorized to extend financial assistance to communities in the elimination or prevention of slums or urban blight, or activities which will benefit low- and moderate-income persons or other urgent community development needs; and

WHEREAS, The Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (hereinafter “the CARES Act”) of 2020 makes available supplemental Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding for grants to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus (hereinafter “CDBG-CV grants”).

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has advised the City of York (hereinafter “the City”) that it is eligible to receive \$889,582 for CDBG-CV grants; and

WHEREAS, the City has prepared a Substantial Amendment to its FY 2019 Annual Action Plan to amend the proposed use of the CDBG-CV grants; and

WHEREAS, a draft of the Substantial Amendment and Citizen Participation Plan was on display from Dec. 1-Dec. 31, 2020, and the City held a public hearing on said Substantial Amendment and the comments of various agencies, groups and citizens were taken into consideration in the preparation of the final document.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YORK:

1. That the Substantial Amendment to the FY 2019 Annual Action Plan for the CDBG Program is hereby in all respects approved and the Secretary is hereby directed to file a copy of said Substantial Amendment with minutes of this meeting.
2. That it is cognizant of the conditions that are imposed in the undertaking and carrying out of community development activities with federal financial assistance, including those relating to (a) the relocation of site occupants and, (b) the prohibition of discrimination because of race, color, age, religion, sex, disability, familial status, or national origin, and other assurances as set forth under the certifications.
3. That the Mayor of the City of York, on behalf of the City Council, is authorized to file an application for financial assistance with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development which has indicated its willingness to make available a \$889,582 grant to carry out the CDBG-CV grants.

4. That the Mayor, on behalf of the City Council, is hereby authorized to provide such assurances and/or certifications as required by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as Amended, the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, as amended, the CARES Act of 2020, and also any supplemental or revised data which HUD may request in connection with the review of this Application.

5. That the Mayor is authorized to execute on behalf of the City the formal grant contracts, amendments, and other documents relating to the Substantial Amendment to the City's FY 2019 Annual Action Plan.

Resolved and adopted the 19th day of January 2021.

PASSED FINALLY:

BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

YEAS: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

NAYS: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

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Henry Hay Nixon, President of Council

ATTEST:

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Dianna L. Thompson-Mitchell, City Clerk