

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
JUNE 4, 2024 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>Submission of the 2024 Annual Action Plan to the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development and to execute agreements with approved applicants.</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Housing & Neighborhood Programs Department</p>	<p>Ordinance √ Resolution</p>	<p>Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>
SYNOPSIS	<p>The Annual Action Plan delineates the uses of the CDBG, HOME and HOPWA Entitlements for the 2024 Program Year (January 1, 2024 - December 31, 2024). This Board action approves the submission of the Action Plan to the Department of Housing and Urban Development and authorizes the City Manager, or his/her designated representative, to execute agreements with the applicants in the Action Plan.</p>	
FISCAL IMPACT	<p>The City’s CDBG, HOME and HOPWA Entitlement Funds, along with projected program income for the 2024 Program Year, total \$3,587,918.14, and were approved via Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 16,243 (February 20, 2024). The final HUD Entitlement Funds, along with projected program income for the 2024 Program Year, total \$3,524,896.14, and were approved via Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 16,324 (May 21, 2024).</p>	
RECOMMENDATION	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
BACKGROUND	<p>The 2024 Annual Action Plan is submitted in accordance with requirements of the Title I of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. The 2024 Annual Action Plan is normally submitted by November 15, 2023, for the Program Year beginning January 1, 2024.</p>	

**BACKGROUND
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However, the Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) is allowing grantees to submit to HUD Field Offices after the aforementioned date until final grant amounts are determined.