



CITIZENS' COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FULL COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, June 3, 2021
Zoom Meeting
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

MINUTES

1. Call to Order at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Members Present: Irene Riley, Clint Loftman, Emma Kelsey, Azalea Renfield, and Aileen Hernandez.

City Staff in Attendance: Brian Cheu (MOHCD), Pierre Stroud (MOHCD), Dedria Black (HSH), David Taylor (OEWD), Marissa Bloom (OEWD), Angel Cardoz (OEWD), Iris Rollins (OEWD)

2. Approval of Meeting Minutes

Meeting minutes from May 25, 2021, were moved by Clint Loftman, seconded by Irene Riley, and approved unanimously by the Committee.

3. Director's Report (*Discussion Item*)

None

4. Committee Members' Report (*Discussion Item*)

None

5. Review and discuss feedback from June 1st Public Hearing

Brian Cheu recapped Public Hearing logistics, and the use of simultaneous interpretation. Irene Riley commented that she thought the hearing went well.

Irene Riley asked about the public comments regarding the Rapid Response Network – Brian Cheu explained that they are receiving \$1.2 million in baseline funding (the same amount as 2020-21), but that MOHCD was not able to backfill the \$182,000 one-year board addback.

Aileen Hernandez asked about public comment from multiple Filipino agencies regarding potential funding cuts. Brian Cheu noted that most of the public comments we received regarded the Rapid Response Network and the Filipino Community Center's TULAY program. He explained

that they are receiving \$242,000 in baseline funding (the same amount as 2020-21), but that MOHCD was not able to backfill the \$116,000 one-year board addback.

Irene Riley asked about Chinese for Affirmative Action's convening and collaboration funding recommendation. Brian Chue explained that we did not invest as much in convening and collaborating in 2021-22, as the Mayor had directed us to focus more on direct services projects/ Marissa Bloom also clarified that Chinese for Affirmative Action is receiving \$100,000 in CDBG Workforce Development funding, but they will receive a total of \$150,000 once General Funds are announced.

Aileen Hernandez asked about MOHCD staffing – Brian explained that we are currently hiring to fill the Community Development Operations Manager position, along with Program Evaluation Specialist. The department is also in the process of hiring six Dream Keeper positions.

David Taylor from OEWD explained \$6 million in Dream Keeper funding was \$6 million put out through RFP. Accompanied by five new staff positions. Several other departments received Dream Keeper funding for positions and/or grants.

Irene Riley asked if they could see a chart of Dream Keeper Initiative funding to see how different departments are being funded.

Aileen Hernandez asked if these is an update on new CCCD members. Brian Cheu responded that MOHCD did not have an update at this time.

6. Approve funding recommendations for Federal CDBG, ESG, and HOPWA funds for FY 2021-22

Action Item: HSH Homelessness Services federal funding recommendations were **moved by Clint Loftman, seconded by Irene Riley, and approved unanimously by the Committee.**

Action Item: OEWD Economic Development federal funding recommendations were **moved by Irene Riley, seconded by Clint Loftman, and approved unanimously by the Committee.**

Action Item: OEWD Workforce Development federal funding recommendations were **moved by Aileen Hernandez, seconded by Emma Kelsey, and approved unanimously by the Committee.**

Action Item: MOHCD federal funding recommendations were **moved by Clint Loftman, seconded by Aileen Hernandez, and approved unanimously by the Committee.**

7. Public Comment

None

8. Adjournment at 6:05 p.m.