

RESOLUTION R-5560

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND REALLOCATING THE CITY'S PORTION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FUNDS FOR CV-3.

1           WHEREAS, on May 20, 2014, the City Council authorized the City  
2 of Kirkland's ("City") participation in the King County Community  
3 Development Block Grant and HOME Investment Partnerships Program  
4 (CDBG/HOME) Consortium as a Joint Agreement City and the City  
5 entered into an Interlocal Agreement with King County for that purpose;  
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8           WHEREAS, on July 21, 2020, the City Council extended its  
9 Interlocal Agreement with King County as a Joint Agreement City  
10 through 2023; and

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12           WHEREAS, as a Joint Agreement City, the City receives funds in  
13 support of programs and projects that directly benefit our community,  
14 including but not limited to home repair, affordable housing, community  
15 facilities, public infrastructure, and human services; and

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17           WHEREAS, as part of the Interlocal Agreement with King County,  
18 the City must develop a plan for allocating its portion of the CDBG funds  
19 each year; and

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21           WHEREAS, as part of CARES Act the City received a special  
22 allocation of CDBG-Coronavirus (CV) funds to support community efforts  
23 to prevent, prepare for, and respond the Coronavirus; and

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25           WHEREAS, toward developing such a plan, the City's Human  
26 Services Commission held a public hearing on September 27, 2022, at  
27 which time the Commission provided an opportunity for the public to  
28 comment on recommendations for the plan, which recommendations  
29 are now being forwarded to the Council.

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31           NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City  
32 of Kirkland as follows:

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34           Section 1. The recommendations of the Human Services  
35 Commission are accepted and approved by the City Council.

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37           Section 2. Based on estimates provided by the United States  
38 Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the City intends  
39 to reallocate its third tranch of CDBG-CV funds as follows:

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41           a) \$176,000 for hourly wage premiums for staff of behavioral  
42 health agencies that are currently funded by Kirkland 2021-  
43 2022 human services grants. Two agencies have been awarded  
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b) \$100,000 to Hopelink to buy fresh produce, dairy and meat for distribution to Kirkland residents.

c) \$150,945 for an agency to provide case management for housing stability and mental health support to Spanish and Portuguese speaking community members. One agency has applied and was awarded partial funding.

Section 3. In the event the funding level actually provided by HUD is more or less than estimated, the above projects, services and administration should receive proportionate increases or decreases based upon the final distribution amount.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 04 day of October, 2022.

Signed in authentication thereof this 04 day of October, 2022.

  
Penny Sweet, Mayor

Attest:

  
Kathi Anderson, City Clerk