Agenda Item #: 31-1

PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date:	December 5, 2023	[X] Consent [] Ordinance			
Department:	Housing and Econom	c Development			
I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF					
Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to receive and file:					
A) a Funding Approval/Agreement with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in the amount of \$6,471,405 for the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG);					
B) a Funding Approval and HOME Investment Partnerships Agreement with HUD in the amount of \$2,673,040 for the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME); and					
,	roval/Agreement with HUI ergency Solutions Grant I		570,614 for the Fiscal Year		

Summary: These Funding Approvals/Agreements constitute the contracts between HUD and the County for the receipt of Federal funds, and are now being submitted to the BCC to receive and file. The documents have been executed on behalf of the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) by the Director of the Department of Housing and Economic Development (HED) in accordance with Agenda Item 6D-3 (R2023-1013) as approved by the BCC on July 11, 2023 that delegated authority to the County Administrator or designee to execute forms, certifications, funding agreements, amendments thereto, and all other documents necessary for implementation of the Action Plan, CDBG, HOME and ESG activities. County PPM CW-O-051, provides that all delegated contracts, agreements and grants must be submitted by the initiating department as a receive and file agenda item. The ESG required local match (\$570,614) will be provided by Adopt-A-Family of the Palm Beaches, Children's Home Society, Young Women's Christian Association, Salvation Army, Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse, Inc., the Department of Community Services, and HED. The HOME required local match (\$568,021) will be provided from the State Housing Initiatives Partnership Program. CDBG funds require no local match. Countywide (HJF)

Background and Justification: Palm Beach County receives annual allocations of CDBG, HOME, and ESG Program funds from HUD. On July 11, 2023, under R2023-1013, the BCC approved the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Action Plan, which is Palm Beach County's application to HUD for funding under the CDBG, HOME, and ESG Programs.

Attachments:

1. Documents as listed in A	through C	
Recommended By:	Den Harrand	11-20-23
	Department Director	Date
Approved By:	C Far	11/27/23
-	Assistant County Administrator	Date

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Capital Expenditures					
Operating Costs					
External Revenues			;		
Program Income					
In-Kind Match (County)					
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Funding for the refe 6D-3, R2023-1013.	erenced grants	was approp	oriated on J	uly 11, 2023,	agenda item
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	III. <u>REV</u>	IEW COMM	<u>ENTS</u>		
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(THIS SUMMARY IS NOT TO BE USED AS A BASIS FOR PAYMENT)

Department Director

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Funding Approval/Agreement

Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act (Public Law 930383) U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Office of Community Planning and Development Community Development Block Grant Program

OMB Approval No. 2506-0193 exp 1/31/2025

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1. Name of Grantee (as shown in item 5 of Standard Form 424)	3a. Grantee's 9-digit Tax ID Number	3b. Grantee's 9-digit DUNS Number
County of Palm Beach	596000785	XL2DNFMPCR44 (UEI)
2. Grantee's Complete Address (as shown in item 5 of Standard Form 424)	4. Date use of funds may begin	
301 N Olive Ave	10/01/2023	
West Palm Beach, FL 33401-4700	5a. Project/Grant No. 1	6a. Amount Approved
	B-23-UC-12-0004	\$6,471,405.00 (by this action)
	5b. Project/Grant No. 2	6b. Amount Approved

Grant Agreement: This Grant Agreement between the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the above named Grantee is made pursuant to the authority of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, (42 USC 5301 et seq.). The Grantee's submissions for Title I assistance, the HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 570 (as now in effect and as may be amended from time to time), and this Funding Approval, including any special conditions, constitute part of the Agreement. Subject to the provisions of this Grant Agreement, HUD will make the funding assistance specified here available to the Grantee upon execution of the Agreement by the parties. The funding assistance specified in the Funding Approval may be used to pay costs incurred after the date specified in item 4 above provided the activities to which such costs are related are carried out in compliance with all applicable requirements. Pre-agreement costs may not be paid with funding assistance specified here unless they are authorized in HUD regulations or approved by waiver and listed in the special conditions to the Funding Approval. The Grantee agrees to assume all of the responsibilities for environmental review, decision making, and actions, as specified and required in regulations issued by the Secretary pursuant to Section 104(g) of Title I and published in 24 CFR Part 58. The Grantee further acknowledges its responsibility for adherence to the Agreement by sub-

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12a. Amount of Loan Guarantee Commitment	now being Approved		12b. Name and complete Address of Public Agency					
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- 8. Special Conditions.
 - (a) The period of performance and single budget period for the funding assistance specified in the Funding Approval ("Funding Assistance") shall each begin on the date specified in item 4 and shall each end on September 1, 2030. The Grantee shall not incur any obligations to be paid with such assistance after September 1, 2030.
 - (b) The Recipient shall attach a schedule of its indirect cost rate(s) in the format set forth below to the executed Agreement that is returned to HUD. The Recipient shall provide HUD with a revised schedule when any change is made to the rate(s) described in the schedule. The schedule and any revisions HUD receives from the Recipient shall be incorporated herein and made a part of this Agreement, provided that the rate(s) described comply with 2 CFR part 200, subpart E.

Administering Department/Agency	Indirect cost rate	Direct <u>Cost Base</u>
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<u>Instructions</u>: The Recipient must identify each agency or department of the Recipient that will carry out activities under the grant, the indirect cost rate applicable to each department/agency (including if the de minimis rate is used per 2 CFR §200.414(f)), and the type of direct cost base to which the rate will be applied (for example, Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC)). Do not include indirect cost rates for subrecipients.

- (c) In addition to the conditions contained on form HUD 7082, the grantee shall comply with requirements established by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) concerning the Dun and Bradstreet Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS); the System for Award Management (SAM.gov.); the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act as provided in 2 CFR part 25, Universal Identifier and General Contractor Registration; and 2 CFR part 170, Reporting Subaward and Executive Compensation Information.
- (d) The grantee shall ensure that no CDBG funds are used to support any Federal, State, or local projects that seek to use the power of eminent domain, unless eminent domain is employed only for a public use. For the purposes of this requirement, public use shall not be construed to include economic development that primarily benefits private entities. Any use of funds for mass transit, railroad, airport, seaport or highway projects as well as utility projects which benefit or serve the general public (including energy-related, communication-related, water- related and wastewater-related infrastructure), other structures

designated for use by the general public or which have other common-carrier or public-utility functions that serve the general public and are subject to regulation and oversight by the government, and projects for the removal of an immediate threat to public health and safety or brownfield as defined in the Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act (Public Law 107-118) shall be considered a public use for purposes of eminent domain.

- The Grantee or unit of general local government that directly or indirectly receives CDBG funds may not sell, trade, or otherwise transfer all or any such portion of such funds to another such entity in exchange for any other funds, credits or non-Federal considerations, but must use such funds for activities eligible under title I of the Act.
- **(f)** E.O. 12372-Special Contract Condition - Notwithstanding any other provision of this agreement, no funds provided under this agreement may be obligated or expended for the planning or construction of water or sewer facilities until receipt of written notification from HUD of the release of funds on completion of the review procedures required under Executive Order (E.O.) 12372, Intergovernmental Review of Federal Programs, and HUD's implementing regulations at 24 CFR Part 52. The recipient shall also complete the review procedures required under E.O. 12372 and 24 CFR Part 52 and receive written notification from HUD of the release of funds before obligating or expending any funds provided under this agreement for any new or revised activity for the planning or construction of water or sewer facilities not previously reviewed under E.O. 12372 and implementing regulations.
- (g) CDBG funds may not be provided to a for-profit entity pursuant to section 105(a)(17) of the Act unless such activity or project has been evaluated and selected in accordance with Appendix A to 24 CFR 570 - "Guidelines and Objectives for Evaluating Project Costs and Financial Requirements." (So (Source -P.L. 113-235, Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015, Division K, Title II, Community Development Fund).
- The Grantee must comply with the requirements of the Build America, Buy America (BABA) Act, 41 USC 8301 note, and all applicable rules and notices, as may be amended, if applicable to the Grantee's infrastructure project. Pursuant to (h) HUD's Notice, "Public Interest Phased Implementation Waiver for FY 2022 and 2023 of Build America, Buy America Provisions as Applied to Recipients of HUD Federal Financial Assistance" (88 FR 17001), any funds obligated by HUD on or after the applicable listed effective dates, are subject to BABA requirements, unless excepted by a waiver.

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Dept. of Housing and Economic Development HALL DO

Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency
Howard J.
By: Falcon III
Howard J. Falcon, III Chief Assistant County

Funding Approval and HOME Investment Partnerships Agreement

Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act Assistance Listings #14.239 - HOME Investment Partnerships Program

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Community Planning and Development

200, Subpart E-Cost Principles, provide the name of the department/agency, its indirect cost rate (including if the de minimis rate is charged per 2 § CFR 200.414), and the direct cost base to which the rate will be applied. Do not include cost rates for

1. Grantee Name (must match the name associated with 3b.) Grant Number (Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN)) M23UC120215 and Address Palm Beach County BOCC Tax Identification Number 3b. Unique Entity Identifier (formerly DUNS): XL2DNFMPCR44 301 N Olive Ave West Palm Beach, FL 33401-4700 596000785 4. Appropriation Number Budget Period Start and End Date 86 3/6 0205 FY 2023 through FY 2031 6. Previous Obligation (Enter "0" for initial FY allocation) \$0 a. Formula Funds \$ b. Community Housing Development Org. (CHDO) Competitive \$ 7. Budget Approved by the Federal Awarding Agency/Current Transaction (+ or -) \$2,673,040.00 a. Formula Funds \$2,673,040.00 1. CHDO (For deobligations only) \$ 2. Non- CHDO (For deobligations only) \$ b. CHDO Competitive Reallocation or Deobligation \$ 8. Revised Obligation \$ a. Formula Funds \$ b. CHDO Competitive Reallocation 8 Special Conditions (check applicable box) 10. Federal Award Date (HUD Official's Signature Date) (mm/dd/yyyy) d/12/2023

1 12. Period of Performance Start and End Date Indirect Cost Rate* Administering Agency/Dept. Indirect Cost Rate Direct Cost Base * If funding assistance will be used for payment of indirect costs pursuant to 2 CFR

This Agreement between the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Grantee is made pursuant to the authority of the HOME Investment Partnerships Act (42 U.S.C. 12701 et seq.). The Grantee's approved Consolidated Plan submission/Application, the HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 92 (as is now in effect and as may be amended from time to time) and this HOME Investment Partnership Agreement, form HUD-40093, including any special conditions, constitute part of this Agreement. Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, HUD will make the funds for the Fiscal Year specified, available to the Grantee upon execution of this Agreement by the parties. All funds for the specified Fiscal Year provided by HUD by formula reallocation are covered by this Agreement upon execution of an amendment by HUD, without the Grantee's execution of the amendment or other consent. HUD's payment of funds under this Agreement is subject to the Grantee's compliance with HUD's electronic funds transfer and information reporting procedures issued pursuant to 24 CFR 92.502. To the extent authorized by HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 92, HUD may, by its execution of an amendment, deobligate funds previously awarded to the Grantee without the Grantee's execution of the amendment or other consent. The Grantee agrees that funds invested in affordable housing under 24 CFR Part 92 are repayable when the housing no longer qualifies as affordable housing. Repayment shall be made as specified in 24 CFR Part 92. The Grantee agrees to assume all of the responsibility for environmental review, decision making, and actions, as specified and required in regulation at 24 CFR 92.352 and 24 CFR Part 58.

subrecipients.

The Grantee must comply with the applicable requirements at 2 CFR part 200 that are incorporated by the program regulations, as may be amended from time to time. Where any previous or future amendments to 2 CFR part 200 replace or renumber sections of part 200 that are cited specifically in the program regulations, activities carried out under the grant after the effective date of the part 200 amendments will be governed by the 2 CFR part 200 requirements as replaced or renumbered by the part 200 amendments.

The Grantee shall comply with requirements established by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) concerning the Universal Numbering System and System for Award Management (SAM) requirements in Appendix I to 2 CFR part 200, and the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) in Appendix A to 2 CFR part 170.

The Period of Performance for the funding assistance shall begin on the date specified in item 12 and shall end on September 1st of the 5th fiscal year after the expiration of the period of availability for obligation. Funds remaining in the account will be cancelled and thereafter not available for obligation or expenditure for any purpose. Per 31 U.S.C. 1552. The Grantee shall not incur any obligations to be paid with such assistance after the end of the Period of Performance.

The Grantee must comply with the requirements of the Build America, Buy America (BABA) Act, 41 U.S.C. 8301 note, and all applicable rules and notices, as may be amended, if applicable to the Grantee's infrastructure project. Pursuant to HUD's Notice, "Public Interest Phased Implementation Waiver for FY 2022 and 2023 of Build America, Buy America Provisions as Applied to Recipients of HUD Federal Financial Assistance" (88 FR 17001), any funds obligated by HUD on or after the applicable listed effective dates, are subject to BABA requirements, unless excepted by a waiver.

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2023	86 3/6 0205	HMF (M)	\$2,673,033.00		
2016	86X0205-16	HMF	\$ 7.00		
Total		(D)	\$2,673,040.00		

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By: Falcon III
Howard J. Falcon, III
Chief Assistant County Attorney

Funding Approval/Agreement

Appropriation Number: 1192

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Emergency Solutions Grants Program
Subtitle B of Title IV of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act,
42 U.S.C. 11371 et seq.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Community Planning and Development

Assistance Listing Number 14.231 1. Recipient Name and Address 2. Unique Federal Award Identification Number: Palm Beach County Bocc E-23-UC-12-0004 301 N Olive Ave 3. Tax Identification Number: 596000785 West Palm Beach, FL 33401-4700 4. Unique Entity Identifier: XL2DNFMPCR44 5. Fiscal Year (yyyy): 2023 6. Previous Obligation (Enter "0" for initial Fiscal Year allocation) \$0 7. Amount of Funds Obligated or Deobligated by This Action (+ or -) \$570,614 Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated \$570,614 9. Total Required Match 10. Total Amount of Federal Award Including Match 12. Date HUD Received Recipient's Consolidated Plan Submission 13. Period of Performance and Budget Period Start Date/ Federal 11. Start Date of Recipient's Program Year (mm/dd/yyyy) Award Date (the date listed in Box 19 for initial Fiscal Year allocation) (mm/dd/yyyy) (mm/dd/yyyy) 9/21/2023 14. Type of Agreement (check applicable box) 15. Special Conditions and Requirements Initial Agreement (Purpose #1 – Initial Fiscal Year allocation) ☐ Not applicable Attached Amendment (Purpose #2 - Deobligation of funds) 16. Period of Performance and Budget Period End Date (24 months after the date listed in Box 13) (mm/dd/yyyy) Amendment (Purpose #3 – Obligation of additional funds) General Terms and Conditions: This Agreement between the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Recipient is made pursuant to the authority of Subtitle B of Title IV of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11371 et seq.) and is subject to the applicable appropriations act for the specified Fiscal Year. The Recipient's Consolidated Plan submissions (including the Recipient's approved annual Action Plan and any amendments completed in accordance with 24 CFR Part 91), the Emergency Solutions Grants Program regulations at 24 CFR Part 576 (as now in effect and as may be amended from time to time), and this Agreement, including any special conditions attached to this Agreement, constitute part of this Agreement. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, HUD will make the funds for the specified Fiscal Year available to the Recipient upon execution of this Agreement by the Recipient and HUD. The funds may be used for costs incurred before the Budget Period under the conditions specified in HUD Notice CPD-23-01 or another prior written approval by HUD, or if the Recipient is not covered by Notice CPD-23-01, under the condition that the costs are otherwise allowable and were incurred on by HUD, or if the Recipient is not covered by Notice CPD-23-01, under the condition that the costs are otherwise allowable and were incurred on or after the date listed in box 11, the date listed in box 12, or 90 calendar days before the date in box 13 (whichever is later). The Recipient agrees to assume responsibility for environmental review, decision making, and action under 24 CFR Part 58; except that if the Recipient is a state and distributes funds to a unit of general local government, the Recipient must require the unit of general local government to assume that responsibility and must comply with the state's responsibilities under 24 CFR 58.4. To the extent authorized by applicable law, HUD may, by its execution of an amendment, deobligate funds under this Agreement without the Recipient's execution of the amendment or other consent. The Recipient must comply with the applicable requirements at 2 CFR part 200, as may be amended from time to time. Where any previous or future amendments to 2 CFR part 200 replace or renumber sections of part 200 that are cited specifically in 24 CFR part 576, activities carried out under the grant after the effective date of the part 200 amendments will be governed by the part 200 requirements as replaced or renumbered by the part 200 amendments. The Recipient must comply with the Award Term in Appendix A to 2 CFR Part 25, "System for Award Management and Universal Identifier Requirements," and the Award Term in Appendix A to 2 CFR Part 25, "System for Award Executive Compensation Information." If the amount in Box 8 exceeds \$500,000, the Recipient must comply with Appendix XII to 2 CFR part 200—Award Term and Condition for Recipient Integrity and Performance Matters. The Recipient must comply with the requirements of the Build America, Buy America (BABA) Act, 41 USC 8301 note, and all applicable rules and notices, as may be amended, if applicable to the Recipient's infrastructure project. Pursuant to HUD's Notice, "Public Interest Phased Implementation Waiver for FY 202 as creating or justifying any claim against the federal government or the Recipient by any third party. 17. For the U.S. Department of HUD (Name, Title, and Contact Information of 18. Signature 19. Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Authorized Official) Matthew King, Acting CPD Director X 9/21/2023 22. Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 20. For the Recipient (Name and Title of Authorized Official) Signature 10/10/2023 <u> Ionathan</u> Funding Information (HUD Accounting Use Only): Program Code: SOE PAS Code: SOE Region: 04

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Special Conditions and Requirements for FY 2023 ESG Program

Indirect Cost Rate

The Recipient shall attach a schedule of its indirect cost rate(s) in the format set forth below to the executed Agreement that is returned to HUD. The Recipient shall provide HUD with a revised schedule when any change is made to the rate(s) described in the schedule. The schedule and any revisions HUD receives from the Recipient shall be incorporated herein and made a part of this Agreement, provided that the rate(s) described comply with 2 CFR part 200, subpart E.

Instructions: The Recipient must identify each agency or department of the Recipient that will carry out activities under the grant, the indirect cost rate applicable to each department/agency (including if the de minimis rate is used per 2 CFR §200.414(f)), and the type of direct cost base to which the rate will be applied (for example, Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC)). Do not include indirect cost rates for subrecipients.

Recipient Department/Agency	Indirect cost rate	Direct <u>Cost Base</u>
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Approved as to Terms and Conditions Dept, of Housing and Economic Development

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Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency

By: Falcon III
Howard J. Falcon, III
Chief Assistant County Attorney

Special Conditions and Requirements for FY 2023 ESG Program

Serving Youth Who Lack 3rd Party Documentation or Live in Unsafe Situations

Notwithstanding any contrary requirements under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act or 24 CFR part 576, youth aged 24 and under who seek assistance (including shelter, services or rental assistance) shall not be required to provide third-party documentation that they meet the homeless definition in 24 CFR 576.2 as a condition for receiving assistance; and unaccompanied youth aged 24 and under (or families headed by youth aged 24 and under) who have an unsafe primary nighttime residence and no safe alternative to that residence shall be considered homeless for purposes of assistance provided by any private nonprofit organization whose primary mission is to provide services to youth aged 24 and under and families headed by youth aged 24 and under.