

City of Greensboro

Melvin Municipal Building 300 W. Washington Street Greensboro, NC 27401

Legislation Text

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Resolution Authorizing a Contract for FY 2020-21 US Treasury Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERA 2) Funds in the Amount of \$6,922,907 for Emergency Rent and Utility Assistance Programs (Greensboro Urban Ministry, Greensboro Housing Coalition, Housing Consultants Group, and Salvation Army of Greensboro)

Council Priority: Ensure Fiscal Stewardship, Transparency, & Accountability

Department: Neighborhood Development

Council District: All

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: N/A

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PURPOSE: City Council is requested to authorize sub-recipient contracts with local non-profit agencies to carryout emergency rent and utility assistance designated for rental households that are unable to pay rent and utilities due the COVID-19 pandemic.

BACKGROUND: The Neighborhood Development Department recommends FY 2020-21 US Treasury Emergency Rental Assistance 2 (ERA2) program funds be used for rent and utility assistance as reflected below:

Funding Source

US Treasury - ERA 2 \$6,922,907.00 Total \$6,922,907.00

Council is requested to consider the following funding recommendations:

Emergency Rent/Utility Assistance Program

Greensboro Urban Ministry	\$691,891.00
Greensboro Housing Coalition	\$1,730,727.00
Housing Consultants Group	\$1,038,836.00
Salvation Army of Greensboro	\$3,461,453.00
Total Emergency Rent/Utility Assistance	\$6,922,907.00

BUDGET IMPACT: FY 2020-21 US Treasury ERA 2 funds in the amount of \$6,922,907 will be used to fund the recommended contracts.

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED: Council is requested to authorize the City Manager to

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execute the contract documents for emergency rent and utility assistance designated for rental households that are unable to pay rent and utilities due the COVID-19 pandemic.