

### **Dane County**

# Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

# Community Development Block Grant Commission - Application Review Team

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?
Who does not have a voice at the table?
How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Thursday, August 26, 2021

3:30 PM

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### A. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m.

Staff and others present: Casey Becker, Joanna Cervantes, and Pedro Ruiz (staff); see registration report, attached, for list of other members of the public present.

Present 3 - Chair DAVE RIPP, GODWIN AMEGASHIE, and TAYLOR BROWN

#### **B.** Action Items

Motion by Brown, seconded by Amegashie, to nominate Ripp as Chair of the Application Review Team. Motion carried unanimously by a voice vote.

### C. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

None.

#### D. Presentations

Applicants that submitted proposals for 2022 CDBG/HOME funding were invited to present to the 3-member Application Review Team subcommittee of the CDBG Commission. Applicants were given 5-7 minutes to present their proposal and respond to the following interview questions:

- 1. If you are not awarded the full amount, can the project still move forward? Please be as specific as possible, i.e. how will a lower funding level change the scope and outcomes of the project?
- 2. Describe the risks to undertaking this project and your plans to address them.
- 3. If your organization currently has a CDBG/HOME contract with the County and have unexpended funds, describe your timeline for expending the funds and why your organization should be given additional dollars.

Following the presentation, 5 minutes were allotted for questions from the Application Review Team.

Day 1 interviews:

Badger Prairie Needs Network
VILLAGE OF MOUNT HOREB
Boys & Girls Clubs of Dane County
City of Fitchburg
Vera Court Neighborhood Center, Inc.
NewBridge Madison, Inc.
YWCA Madison, Inc.
UNIDOS Against Domestic Violence Inc.
Stoughton Affordable Transportation Program
Boys & Girls Clubs of Dane County

### E. Future Meeting Items and Dates

Tuesday, August 31, 2021 at 3:30 p.m.

### F. Adjourn

Motion by Amegashie, seconded by Brown, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously by a voice vote, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:00 p.m.