

City of Greensboro

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

Agenda Report

File Number: 2021-349

Agenda Item# C.21.

Agenda Date: 10/19/2021. **Department:** Neighborhood Development

Meeting Type: Council Meeting Category: Consent Agenda

Title: 2021 - 349 Ordinance Establishing FY 21-22 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 HOME

Program Initial Funding Grant Program Budget

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

☐ Create an Environment to Promote Economic Development Opportunities and Job Creation

⊠Maintain Infrastructure and Provide Sustainable Growth Opportunities

☐ Promote Public Safety & Reduce Crime

□ Exceptional Customer Service and a Diverse City Government Workforce

□ Ensure Fiscal Stewardship, Transparency, & Accountability

Council District: All

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: N/A

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PURPOSE:

City Council approval is requested for a budget ordinance to establish the initial grant project budget for a special allocation of funds awarded to the City of Greensboro by the U. S. Department of the Housing and Urban Development in the amount of \$330,087.35 as a preapproved advance for planning and administrative funds for the future use of HOME-ARP funding.

BACKGROUND:

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 appropriated \$5 billion to provide housing, services, and shelter to individuals experiencing homeless and other vulnerable populations, to be allocated by formula to jurisdictions that qualified for HOME Investment Partnerships Program allocations in Fiscal Year 2021. The total amount awarded to Greensboro is \$6,601,747. However, it will not be made available until the HOME-ARP Allocation Plan is approved by HUD. Administrative and planning costs in the amount of \$330, 087.35 are immediately available for use for planning and administrative purposes.

BUDGET IMPACT:

\$330,087.35 HOME – American Rescue Plan

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

213-9098-01

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

City Council is requested to approve the initial administrative and planning funding of the grant budget ordinance for the U.S. Department of the Housing and Urban Development award to the City in the amount of \$330,087.35 and to authorize the City Manager to execute grant documents.