



City of Greensboro

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Agenda Report

File Number: 2022-856

Agenda Item# G.15.

Agenda Date: 8/16/2022. **Department:** Housing and Neighborhood Development
Meeting Type: Council Meeting **Category:** Consent Agenda

Title: 2022 - 856 Resolution To Amend the Joint Cooperative Agreement With Greensboro/Guilford/Burlington/Alamance HOME Housing Consortium

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

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Council District: All

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date/By: NA

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PURPOSE:

The City of Greensboro, as Lead Entity of the Greensboro HOME Consortium, seeks to amend the existing Joint Cooperative Agreement between Greensboro, Guilford, Burlington, and Alamance. The amendment codifies required and suggested HUD provisions, strengthens funding and compliance requirements, and updates outdated program references.

BACKGROUND:

The City of Greensboro serves as the lead agency of the Greensboro HOME Consortium that also includes Guilford County, the City of Burlington, and Alamance County pursuant to the Joint Cooperative Agreement entered into by said parties and dated June 24, 2004. As the lead HOME Consortium agency, the City of Greensboro is responsible for Consortium compliance with HUD requirements and has the authority to disperse HUD granted HOME funds among the Consortium members. This consortium arrangement allows smaller municipalities to access HOME program funds for eligible housing activities.

The participating jurisdictions' governing bodies will vote on resolution approval at their regular August 2022 meetings.

BUDGET IMPACT:

No budget impact. Funding for this agreement will be provided from HOME Consortium funds awarded by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development.

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

It is recommended that City Council amend the Joint Cooperative Agreement with Guilford County, City of Burlington, and Alamance County.