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To: HARRISBURG CITY COUNCIL  
From: Kirk Petroski, City Clerk  
LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL FORM

Date:

LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL FORM/CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

BILL NO. -2022      RESOLUTION NO. -2022

THE ABOVE LISTED ITEM WAS WRITTEN AND PREPARED FOR FINAL INTRODUCTION AT THE HARRISBURG CITY SOLICITOR'S OFFICE ON:

  
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Sr. Deputy City Solicitor

3.18.22  
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Date

Requested by Department/Bureau: DBA/D  
Department/Bureau Contact Person: D. Hill

For Action on or before:

The attached was received in the Office of the City Clerk for introduction on

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An Ordinance appropriating Emergency Solutions Grants Program funds from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for Fiscal Year 2020 & 2021 and authorizing expenditure of such funds.

**WHEREAS**, the *Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021*, P.L. No. 116-260, became law on December 27, 2020 and included therein the *Transportation, Housing And Urban Development, And Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2021*, whereunder Title II thereof the annual appropriation for the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the federal fiscal year ending on September 30, 2021 was authorized; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 8, 2021, the Office of Community Planning and Development of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development formally issued NOTICE: CPD-21-02, entitled “Guidance on Submitting Consolidated Plans and Annual Action Plans for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021,” which instructed that “[g]rantees are advised not to submit their Consolidated/Action Plan until after FY 2021 allocations have been announced” and furthermore confirmed that a “[f]ailure to submit an Action Plan by August 16, 2021, will result in the automatic loss of FY 2021 CDBG funds to the grantee”; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2021 Annual Action Plan has been completed, made available for public comment and was submitted to and approved by the Council for the City of Harrisburg and so, in consideration thereof, the Council does now make and ordain the following enactment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HARRISBURG, AND IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY AUTHORITY OF THE SAME, as follows:**

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**SECTION 1.** The City of Harrisburg’s 2018-2022 Consolidated Plan is required to provide the City’s comprehensive vision for the use of federal funds that encompasses a description of the needs related to affordable housing, infrastructure, fair housing, economic development and helping the homeless. Through a process of consultation with the community, the City developed Goals and Objectives for addressing these needs. The 2018-2022 Consolidated Plan and 2021 Action Plan were approved in accordance with Title 24 of the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) following the submission of supplemental detail. The Consolidated Plan and the related 2021 Annual Action Plan chart a strategic course of action for revitalization and community development. Benchmarks for performance of specific goals and objectives have been established by which the City and its citizens should be able to measure and track the performance of the programs established by the City.

The 2018-2022 Consolidated Plan and the 2021 Annual Action Plan as approved strive to meet the application requirements of the Community Development Block Grant program (CDBG), the HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME) and the Emergency Solutions Grants Program (ESG). The City of Harrisburg is a formula grantee and receives funding each year in October for the new program year.

**SECTION 2.** Emergency Solutions Grants Program funds for Fiscal Years 2020 and 2021 of \$334,833.00 comprised of \$167,683.00 from the 2020 allocation and \$167,150.00 from the 2021 allocation shall be appropriated as noted below.

<b><u>Activity</u></b>	<b><u>Appropriation</u></b>
Grant Administration	\$29,294.00
Capital Area Coalition on Homelessness	\$50,000.00
CCU	\$100,000.00

57	Shalom House	\$50,000.00
58	YWCA	\$50,000.00
59	<b>Total ESG Allocation</b>	<b><u>\$279,294.00</u></b>
60	<b>Total Remaining 2021 Unallocated Funding</b>	<b><u>55,529.00</u></b>

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62 **USE OF ANY UNALLOCATED FUNDING IN WILL REQUIRE A SEPARATE**  
63 **ALLOCATION AND COUNCIL APPROVAL.**

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65 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Building and Housing Development is authorized to  
66 submit the Annual Action Plan for the City’s 2022 allocation of Emergency Solutions Grants funds  
67 for Fiscal Year 2022 to the appropriate agency in order to obtain Emergency Solutions Grants  
68 funds.

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70 **SECTION 4.** **DELEGATION.**

71 Appropriate City officials are authorized to take such actions as are necessary to effectuate  
72 this ordinance.

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74 **SECTION 5.** **SEVERABILITY.**

75 If any provision, sentence, clause, section or part of this ordinance or the application thereof  
76 to any person or circumstance is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid by  
77 a court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity shall not affect  
78 or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections or parts of this ordinance.  
79 It is hereby declared as the intent of the Council of the City of Harrisburg that this ordinance would  
80 have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid provision, sentence, clause, section  
81 or part not been included herein.

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83            **SECTION 6.**            **REPEALER.**

84            All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby  
85 repealed.

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87            **SECTION 7.**            **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

88            This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the law.

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