Fairview Community Council Resolution No. 2010-06

A Resolution seeking matching funds for development of a U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development sanctioned Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy for the Fairview area.

Whereas the Fairview Community Council has garnered the support of the Housing and Neighborhood Development (HAND) Commission for development of a Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy (NRS) and

Whereas, said NRS is an official urban redevelopment tool offered by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development to leverage public and private sector funds for economic and neighborhood redevelopment, and

Whereas, a NRS provides access to a variety of HUD financing programs offering increased flexibility in application in exchange for a commitment to performance benchmarks, development of a realistic action plan and evidence of robust public support, and

Whereas, the HAND Commission has approved the programming of \$20,000 of CDBG funds in the 2011 Action Plan in support of a NRS conditional upon the acquisition of matching funds, and

Whereas, matching funds can be in the form of donated volunteer service, contributions or state appropriations, and

Whereas, the Fairview Community Council has arranged commitments of in-kind contributions of approximately \$5,000 and working with other interested organizations for commitments of approximately \$10,000, and

Whereas it is anticipated that development of a successful NRS will cost approximately \$70,000 with an additional \$35,000 needed in State matching funds.

Therefore, Be It Resolved the Fairview Community Council requests the Municipal Administration and Assembly include in the 2011 Legislative Request package a line item of \$35,000 as matching funds as a Grant to Named Recipient (Fairview Community Council) for development of a Fairview Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy.

Passed this 11th day of November, 2010, by a vote of 17-0, as attested to by the following:

Sharon Chamard, President

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