



City of Conway, Arkansas
Resolution No. R-09-06

A RESOLUTION APPROVING YEAR 2009 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT BUDGET, THE AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF THE 2009 ACTION PLAN AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Conway to allocate Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds in such a manner that the maximum feasible priority is given to activities which will benefit low to moderate income families and eliminate slum and blight.

WHEREAS, there is an approximate total of \$400,000 for Year 2009 funds allocated to the CDBG Program for budgetary purposes;

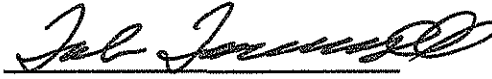
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS THAT:

- SECTION 1:** The Year 2009 CDBG approximate budget totaling Four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000) for budgeting purposes is adopted by reference to the attached budget sheet.
- SECTION 2:** The in-house Affirmative Action Policy which prescribes equal opportunity policies for the recruitment, hiring, training, promoting, demotions and termination of employees, with personnel goals revised annually.
- SECTION 4:** The Year 2009 CDBG Affirmative Action Plan is adopted to provide contractual procedures with regard to equal opportunity personnel policies on the part of CDBG project contractors.
- SECTION 5:** The Fair Housing Program/Policy of the City of Conway to affirmatively further Fair Housing practices in the sale, lease or rental of housing and to prevent discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability or familial status and to provide a procedure and Fair Housing Officer to assist and educate the public on their rights and procedures available to have complaints reviewed, investigated and resolved.
- SECTION 6:** The Director of Community Development is authorized to prepare and submit the 2009 Action Plan to carry out the activities/projects identified in the 5-Year Consolidated Plan to the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for review and approval. Once the approval by HUD has occurred, the City Council approval, Mayor is authorized to execute contracts, his signature being attested by the City Clerk, and City Attorney with the agencies identified in the 2009 Community Development Department Budget as application numbers to undertake the activities/projects in the Action Plan.
- SECTION 7:** All approved agencies of CDBG funds will use the city's procurement procedures for any services or contracts.

SECTION 8: The Annual Action Plan for 2008 is hereby amended to fund the Pine Street Neighborhood Revitalization Program from the CDBG awarded amount for 2008 in the amount of \$300,000. This new activity is hereby added to the 2008 Action Plan for the. The Director of Community Development is authorized to submit the amendments to the Action Plan to the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

THIS RESOLUTION APPROVED THIS 24th DAY OF February 2009.

APPROVED:



Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:



**Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer**