

Summary

Proposed Recommendations for the 2017-2018 Annual Action Plan to the Consolidated Plan

Each year, the City receives federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership (HOME) and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). These funds are to be used for housing, community and economic development activities, and for human services as spelled out in the Annual Action Plan (AAP) to the Consolidated Plan.

The Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority (TCRA) and Human Services Commission (HSC) have completed their deliberations for the 2017-2018 Consolidated Plan Annual Action Plan.

For fiscal year 2017-2018, Tacoma anticipates funding that includes \$2,250,000 new allocation in CDBG funds. The Tacoma/Lakewood Consortium anticipates receiving HOME funding which is divided between Tacoma and Lakewood (Tacoma's portion is estimated to be \$815,366); the result of a 1999 agreement between Tacoma and Lakewood to form a HOME Consortium. Each city receives a separate CDBG entitlement grant.

In addition to new monies being received from HUD, staff will recommend reprogramming \$209,666 in existing funds from prior year's activities. These funds will be reallocated to housing and economic development activities.

Tacoma also anticipates receiving Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds in the amount of \$201,000 and staff will recommend reprogramming \$6,308 in existing funds from prior year's activities to Rapid Rehousing programs. ESG recommendations are made by the Human Services Commission.

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747 Market St., Room 243
Tacoma, WA 98402

Tacoma Municipal Building
Community & Economic Development
747 Market St., Room 900
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