



RESOLUTION NO. 38806

1 A RESOLUTION relating to community and economic development; authorizing
2 the adoption of an updated Citizen Participation Plan that outlines the
3 planning process for development of the 5-year Consolidation Plan for
4 Community Development Block Grant, HOME Investment Partnership
5 program, and the Emergency Solutions Grant.

6 WHEREAS the adoption of an updated Citizen Participation Plan ("CPP")
7 will outline the planning process for development of the 5-year Consolidation
8 Plan for Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG"), the HOME Investment
9 Partnership ("HOME") program and the Emergency Solutions Grant ("ESG"),
10 and

11 WHEREAS the City's CPP was last amended in May of 2005, and

12 WHEREAS to remain compliant with Federal legislative changes, the
13 City must amend its Plan to include: (1) a section to facilitate the participation of
14 residents with limited English proficiency; and (2) amend the roles of the Human
15 Services Commission to allow for a subcommittee to review funding requests in
16 consultation with the Tacoma/Lakewood/Pierce County Continuum of Care to
17 address homeless issues on a county-wide basis, and

18 WHEREAS the amendment will also update department name changes
19 and a name change for the former Emergency Shelters Grant, now known as
20 the Emergency Solutions Grant, and

21 WHEREAS, in compliance with federal requirements, the City must
22 adopt a CPP that encourages the participation of its citizens in the planning
23 process for development of the 5-year Consolidation Plan for CDBG, the HOME
24 program, and the ESG, and
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WHEREAS the CPP also encourages citizen participation during the annual action plan process and the allocation of the federal funds and outlines the roles of the Human Service Commission and the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority in the review, recommendation and/or awarding process, as well as encourages further outreach to minority populations, and

WHEREAS without this plan amendment, the City would be out of compliance with the Consolidated Plan requirements, and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development could withhold future CDBG, HOME and ESG grant allocations until such a time as the City was compliant with the federal requirement, and

WHEREAS it is in the best interests of the City to adopt an updated Citizen Participation Plan; Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to adopt an updated Citizen Participation Plan that outlines the planning process for development of the 5-year Consolidation Plan for Community Development Block Grant, the HOME Investment Partnership program, and the Emergency



1 Solutions Grant, said Plan to be substantially in the form of the document on file
2 in the Office of the City Clerk.
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7 Mayor

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10 City Clerk

11 Approved as to form:
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13 Deputy City Attorney

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