

CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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HONORABLE HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file the Housing Authority Financial and Operational Performance Reports for October 2020. (Citywide)

DISCUSSION

The Housing Authority receives funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to provide subsidies for low-income individuals and families so they can afford to obtain decent, safe, and sanitary housing.

Attached are the Financial and Operational Performance Reports for the Housing Authority for October 2020.

This matter was reviewed by Revenue Management Officer Geraldine Alejo on December 17, 2020.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

Action on this matter is not time critical.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal or local job impact associated with this recommendation.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted.

KELLY COLOPY

ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

APPROVED:

THOMAS B. MODICA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Attachments

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE FOR THE PERIOD ENDING OCTOBER 31, 2020

	OCTOBER			
HAP INCOME/(EXPENSE)	Month		Year-to-Date	
Housing Assistance Payments (HAP) Expended	\$	(8,124,548)	\$	(8,124,548)
HAP Due from HUD	6,948,894			6,948,894
HAP Due from Other Housing Authorities		378,133		378,133
Net HAP	\$	(797,521)	\$	(797,521)
OPERATING INCOME/(EXPENSE)				
Administrative Fee Income	\$	682,089	\$	682,089
FSS Coordinator Grant	Ψ	28,189	Ψ	28,189
Miscellaneous Revenue		12,426		12,426
Operating Expense		(282,009)		(282,009)
Net Operating Income/(Loss)	\$	440,695	\$	440,695
NON-OPERATING INCOME/(EXPENSE) Interest Income Total Interest on HUD Advances		13,528 -		13,528 -
Total Non-Operating Income	\$	13,528	\$	13,528
TOTAL INCOME	\$	(343,298)	\$	(343,298)
AVAILABLE FUND BALANCE 1		•		
Operating Reserves Beginning of the Period-Admin	\$	15,878,348	\$	15,878,348
Operating Reserves Beginning of the Period-HAP		-		-
Total Income/(Loss) Admin Fee Reserves		454,223		454,223
Total Income Reserved for HAP		(797,521)		(797,521)
Balance in Reserve End of Period	\$	15,535,050	\$	15,535,050

¹ The unrestricted admin fee operating reserve at 10/31/20 is \$16,332,571. There is net loss for the current year in the amount of (\$343,298), which is comprised of a decrease in HAP funding of (\$797,521) and administrative fee net income of \$454,223. Administrative fee net income is calculated by subtracting administrative expenses from the total administrative fees earned by HUD. The net HAP restricted fund balance at 10/31/20 is (\$797,521). It is HUD's policy that the Housing Authority may use the restricted HAP reserves to pay for any excess HAP expenses over and above the amount of HAP subsidy received from HUD. Since the Housing Authority has a deficit in HAP reserves, a request of funds can be made to HUD to cover the difference from the program reserve. The program reserve balance is \$15,025,513. These are funds that belong to the Housing Authority, but are held by HUD. The total HAP HUD funds currently available for use is \$14,227,992 which is the total of the restricted fund balance and program reserve. See note below for information relating to this decrease in HAP funds and HUD covering the deficit with short-fall funding.

Note: Currently, the Housing Authority is experiencing higher HAP costs than the funding provided by HUD. The CY2020 renewal funding is based off CY2019 HAP expenses, so there is a gap between the funding available and the HAP expenses incurred since the Housing Authority is still able to lease the project-based and VASH vouchers. We are working with the shortfall prevention team at HUD to fund any deficits. A shortfall application has been sent to HUD and has been aproved for \$1,556,463. Total HAP funds remaining for CY2020 is \$15,784,455.

OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE FOR PERIOD ENDING OCTOBER 31, 2020

•	Leasing Performance	
	Total Households Authorized7	',637
	Total Households Served6	,734
•	Voucher Program	
	Total Authorized6	,713
	Total Households Served6	,035
•	Shelter Plus Care Performance	
	Total Households Authorized	94
	Total Households Served	71
•	VASH – Veterans' Affairs Supportive Housing 1	
	Total Households Authorized	.830
	Total Households Served	.628
•	Portability Program ²	
	Port-In Households Served	.151
	Port-Out Households Served by Other Jurisdictions	.132
•	Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	
	Program Leasing Performance	
	Total Households Served	66

¹ Program between HUD & Veterans' Affairs (VA) Administration effective 5/08. Referrals for assistance come thru VA case management.

² Incoming Portabilities are households moving into the City of Long Beach from another Public Housing Authority and Outgoing Portabilities are households holding City of Long Beach vouchers or certificates who are moving to another city.