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CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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January 18, 2022

HONORABLE HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Conduct a public hearing to review the proposed Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Action Plan (2021-2022), receive supporting documentation into the record, conclude the hearing, adopt a Resolution to certify the new FSS Action Plan, and authorize the Assistant Executive Director and/or the Deputy Executive Director to transmit them to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). (Citywide)

DISCUSSION

This hearing is to review and adopt a new FSS Action Plan, as required by HUD. The purpose of the FSS Action Plan is to establish policies for carrying out the family self-sufficiency program in a manner consistent with HUD requirements and local goals and objectives contained in the Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) FSS Action Plan.

The Housing Authority FSS Action Plan is consistent with the City of Long Beach (City) Consolidated Plan in expanding economic opportunities for low income households.

HUD regulations require that a Resident Advisory Board (RAB) be established to provide input regarding the creation and amendment of these Plans. This requirement was met in a forum held on April 21, 2021. The group was able to provide thoughtful feedback on the program, and their recommendations and insights have been considered and addressed in the FSS Action Plan. The draft Plans have been available for review by the public on the website, www.haclb.org, at all Long Beach Public Libraries, and at the Housing Authority, located at 1500 Hughes Way, A-150, LB, CA 90810.

The attached Resolution updates and accompanies the FSS Action Plan (2021-2022) for submission to HUD.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Richard F. Anthony on December 13, 2021 and by Budget Analysis Officer Greg Sorensen on December 16, 2021.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

Housing Authority Commission action is requested on January 11, 2022 to adopt a Resolution and certify the new FSS Action Plan in a timely manner.

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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

ATTACHMENT: RESOLUTION

APPROVED:

THOMAS B. MODICA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

RESOLUTION NO. H.A._____

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING A NEW FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY ACTION PLAN AND AUTHORIZING THE DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO TRANSMIT THE PLAN TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT(HUD)

WHEREAS, the Family Self-Sufficiency Program ("FSS Program") enables HUD-assisted families to increase their earned income and reduce their dependency on welfare assistance and rental subsidies; and

WHEREAS, Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) work in collaboration with a Program Coordinating Committee (PCC) to secure commitments of public and private resources for the operation of the FSS Program, to develop the PHA's FSS Action Plan, and to implement the program; and

WHEREAS, HUD regulations require that a Resident Advisory Board be established to provide input regarding the creation and amendment to the FSS Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2021, the Resident Advisory Board provided input and thoughtful feedback on the FSS Action Plan and such recommendations and insights have been considered and addressed;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California resolves as follows:

Section 1. The Housing Authority adopts the new Family Self-Sufficiency Action Plan, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof.

Section 2. The Deputy Executive Director is hereby directed to transmit to the Department of Housing and Urban Development a copy of the new Family Self-

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1	Sufficiency Action	n Plan.		
2	Sec	ction 3.	The Clerk w	ill certify to the passage of this resolution by the
3	Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, and it will immediately take			
4	effect.			
5	I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Housing Authority			
6	of the City of Long Beach, California, at its meeting of, 2021			
7	by the following vote of the qualified members of the Authority:			
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CERTIFICATE OF RECORDING OFFICER

I, the undersigned, the duly qualified and acting Clerk of the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, do certify:

- 1. That the attached resolution is a true and correct copy of a resolution as finally adopted by a duly called meeting of the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California held on _______, 2021 and duly recorded in the official records of the Governing Body; that the resolution has not been amended, modified, or rescinded, and is now in full force and effect;
- 2. That the meeting was duly convened and held in all respects in accordance with law; that to the extent required by law, due and proper notice of the meeting was given; that a legal quorum was present throughout the meeting and that a legally sufficient number of members of the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California voted in the proper manner for adoption of the resolution; that all other requirements and proceedings under the law incident to the proper adoption or passage of the resolution, including publication, if required, have been duly fulfilled, carried out, and otherwise observed; that I am authorized to execute this Certificate; and that the seal affixed below constitutes the official seal of the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California and this Certificate is executed under that official seal.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand on ______, 2021.

(Signature)
CITY CLERK