



# MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

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### Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 5/10/12  
 Agenda Item #: R.2  
 Est. Start Time: 10:15 am  
 Date Submitted: 4/23/12

**Agenda Title: PUBLIC HEARING to Consider and Approve the 2012-13 Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan for the Community Development Block Grant Program.**

*Note: If Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation, provide exact title. For all other submissions, provide a clearly written title sufficient to describe the action requested.*

**Requested Meeting Date:** May 10, 2012      **Time Needed:** 10 Minutes  
**Department:** DCHS      **Division:** Community Services  
**Contact(s):** Carol Cade, Housing Development Spec. / Mary Li, Community Services Mgr.  
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**Presenter Name(s) & Title(s):** Mary Li, Community Services Manager & Carol Cade, Hsg. Develop. Spec.

## General Information

### 1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Approval of the 2012-13 Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan.

### 2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.

Multnomah County is entitled to annually receive U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funds through the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. For program year 2012-13 the planning has been done using the allocation amount of \$289,449.

HUD program requirements include the development of a Consolidated Plan that provides priorities for allocation of these federal funds and includes a market analysis, demographics, and descriptions of resources for low-moderate income persons. A program consortium, comprised of Multnomah County and the cities of Portland and Gresham, has worked to produce the annual update of the Plan. A draft can be viewed at [www.portlandonline.com/phb/index.cfm?c=55561](http://www.portlandonline.com/phb/index.cfm?c=55561). A required part of the Plan update is the inclusion of the Annual Action Plan, which provides the list of specific annual projects that will be funded with CDBG in the County. See attached 1) Action Plan list and, 2) recommendations description.

The County's Policy Advisory Board rated and ranked the list of activities of the Annual Action Plan draft on March 29, 2012 and public testimony was solicited on April 5, 2012. Citizen participation for the Consolidated Plan has taken place through a series of public hearings held by both cities and the County.

This action impacts Program Offer #25140 Community Development. Approval of this plan is a funding requirement; the plan identifies priorities and strategic direction for use of CDBG funds.

**3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).**

The 2012-13 CDBG Grant award is \$289,449.

**4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.**

None is anticipated.

**5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.**

Policy Advisory Board recommendations; Public testimony solicited at public hearing April 5, 2012.

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## Required Signature

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**Elected  
Official or  
Department  
Director:**



**Date:** 04/23/12