

City Council Action Item Cover Sheet

Date of Council Meeting:

Agenda Item:

Letter of Support for DLCD Housing Grant application

Question Before Council:

Will Council authorize the Mayor to sign a letter of support on their behalf for a State planning and implementation grant? The State allows the support letter from the elected officials to be submitted post-grant submittal.

Person/Group Initiating Request:

City Planning Commission and City Planner

Item Summary/Background:

At the request of the City Planning Commission and invitation from the State Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD), the City Planner submitted a two-year planning grant application to DLCD at the end of July, 2023. This grant, if awarded, would fund a DLCD-selected planning consultant to help the City adopt and implement municipal code amendments, Housing Implementation Plan, Comprehensive Plan amendments, and Housing Needs Assessment to help the City improve its housing diversity, affordability, and availability.

Resolution For Council:

See sample letter of support in Council packet.
