

Rochester City Council

Community Development Committee

MEETING MINUTES

Elaine Lauterborn, Chair Donna Bogan, Vice Chair Doug Lachance Laura Hainey Palana Belken

Meeting Date:	Monday, March 15, 2021	
Members Present:	Donna Bogan	Members Absent:
	Laura Hainey	Palana Belken
	Elaine Lauterborn	Doug Lachance
Guests/Staff:	Julian Long, Rochester Community Development Coordinator	

Council Lauterborn called the meeting to order at 5:18 p.m. Councilor Bogan made a motion to approve the February 22, 2021 committee meeting minutes, and Councilor Hainey seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC INPUT
FY 2022 CDBG
GRANT
APPLICATIONS-
Revised
Recommendations

No public input was received.

Since the February 2021 Community Development Committee meeting, the City of Rochester has received its FY 2022 grant allocation amount from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, which will be \$268,868. As this is considerably higher than the working estimate of \$216,300, the committee members discussed revising the Community Development Committee's funding recommendations:

- Community Action Partnership of Strafford County Weatherization Project: \$65,000
- Waypoint NH Youth Drop-In Center \$85,385.86

Motion was made by Councilor Lauterborn and seconded by Councilor Bogan to revise the FY 2022 CDBG housing rehabilitation and public facilities funding recommendations to increase the original funding allocations as above. The remaining allocations from the February 2021 meeting will remain unchanged. The motion passed unanimously.

Cross Roads House: \$10,000My Friend's Place: \$10,834.70

Strafford Nutrition Meals on Wheels: \$3,000

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	funding recommendations as above. The remaining allocations from the February 2021 meeting will remain unchanged. The motion passed unanimously.
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM REPORT	Mr. Long gave a brief overview of recent CDBG program activity. Councilor Lauterborn asked about the Home for All coalition, and Mr. Long explained that the coalition addresses homelessness issues throughout the greater Seacoast region.
OTHER BUSINESS	There was no other business.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:28 p.m.

Next Meeting – Monday, April 19, 2021, at 6:00 p.m., Cocheco Conference Room, City Hall Annex, 33 Wakefield St.

Topics – Community Development Program Report