

## COMMUNITY GRANTS ADVISORY COMMISSION

MAY 20, 2015

The Community Grants Advisory Commission of the City of McKinney, Texas met in regular session in the Council Chambers, 222 N. Tennessee Street, McKinney, Texas on May 20, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.

### CALL TO ORDER

Commissioners Present: Myra Cisneros Taylor, Carla Bolds, Mark Phillips, Amy Evans, Kelly Maier, Maritza Spainhouer.

Absent: Trae Gardner.

Staff Present: Shirletta Best, Community Services Administrator; Will Honea, Community Services Coordinator; Judy Hawkins, Administrative Assistant.

Chairperson Myra Cisneros Taylor called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m. and noted the presence of a quorum.

### CONSENT ITEMS

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commissioner Carla Bolds, seconded by Commissioner Amy Evans, to approve and refer the Consent Items to City Council. Consent Items include, minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission meetings of March 19, April 8, and April 9, 2015.

### REGULAR AGENDA

- 15-460** Conduct a Public Hearing to Consider Funding Under the PY 2015-16 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. Grant applicants presented their requests and fielded questions from Commissioners. Habitat for Humanity, represented by Celeste Cox, is requesting \$30,000 to purchase lots for two homes for first time homebuyers; Community Lifeline Center, represented by Delphia Adeogun and Christine Hockin-Boyd, requested \$10,000 to be used for emergency assistance with rent, mortgage payments, and utilities; Wellness Center for Older Adults, represented by Stephen Hood, requested \$9,260 to support the Gatekeeper Program for at-risk older adults; Holy Family School, represented by Sarah Thomas, requested

\$10,000 to provide summer tuition scholarships for daycare; City of McKinney Housing Rehabilitation Program, represented by Cristel Todd, requested \$504,804 to fund rehabilitation of homes for low- and low-to-moderate income homeowners and for program delivery; City of McKinney Economic Development Program, represented by Will Honea, requested \$357,560 to be used for eligible CDBG Economic Development activities and program delivery, including microenterprises, public facilities and infrastructure, commercial rehabilitation, and projects in predominately low-to-moderate income census tracts.

The meeting concluded at 7:34 p.m. and Commissioners will reconvene at 6:30 p.m. on May 21, 2015.

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MYRA CISNEROS TAYLOR  
Chairperson