



## City Council Regular Meeting AGENDA ITEM

NUMBER: 6
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**SUBJECT:**

Citizens' Advisory Committee Recommendations for the Project Allocation of \$61,500 in FY2025-2026 Emergency Solutions Grant Funding; Authorize the City Manager or Her Designee to Enter into Appropriate Agreements of Approved Programs and Projects as Required; and Authorize Staff to Administratively Approve Revised Final Funding Allocations. (Citywide) (For Possible Action; Recommendation – Approve and Authorize)

**REQUESTED BY:**

Wilson Ramos, Director of Community Services and Engagement

**WARD:**

(Citywide)

**RECOMMENDATION OR RECOMMEND MOTION:**

Approve the Citizens' Advisory Committee's recommendations for FY 2025-2026 Emergency Solutions Grant Funding allocations and authorize the City Manager or his designee act as stated; and authorize Staff to act as stated.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount: \$61,500

Explanation: Projected Allocation of FY 2025-2026 Emergency Solutions Grant Funding

**ACCOUNT NUMBER:**

00225-210620-430716

**STAFF COMMENTS AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds may be used for four program components: street outreach, homelessness prevention, rapid re-housing assistance, and Homeless Client Data Collecting, as well as administrative activities (up to 7.5% of a recipient's allocation can be used for administrative activities)

The projected formula-based allocation is part statutory and part regulatory. The \$61,500 allocation is contingent upon US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) final approval. The ESG program provides funding to engage unsheltered homeless individuals and persons at risk of homelessness.

The North Las Vegas Citizens' Advisory Committee (CAC) has been actively engaged throughout the grant process for the year. Below is a detailed timeline of the key milestones and actions taken by the CAC to ensure a transparent and thorough process:

- September 3, 2024: CAC initiated the grant application process.
- October 4, 2024: Zoomgrants applications officially opened, providing eligible applicants with the platform to submit their funding requests.
- November 8, 2024: The application period closed, marking the beginning of the CAC's review and scoring of the final submissions.

-December 3, 2024 & January 7, 2025: Public hearings were held, allowing eligible applicants to present their proposals and respond to questions from the CAC regarding their funding needs and project objectives. - February 4, 2025: The CAC convened for the allocation meeting to prioritize and finalize their funding recommendations. After careful deliberation, the committee voted to approve the final list of recommendations for City Council consideration.

The CAC’s recommendations are detailed in Exhibit A, which is attached for review.

CIP No.	Related Item: Yes. Citizens’ Advisory Committee Recommendations for the Project Allocation of \$294,400 in FY2025-2026 Community Development Block Grant Funding	
LIST CITY COUNCIL GOAL(S): Community Health and Well-Being, Community Identity and Engagement, Innovative, Efficient, and Stable Government		
PREPARED BY:	Respectfully Submitted	MEETING DATE:
Wilson Ramos, Director of Community Services and Engagement	Micaela R. Moore, City Manager	April 2, 2025