

SUMMARY OF STAFF REPORT FOR ITEM #20-00489

May 14, 2020

ITEM SUBJECT:

Actions pertaining to proposed Substantial Amendment 2019-02 to the 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan:

1. CONTINUED HEARING to obtain public comments regarding Substantial Amendment 2019-02 to the 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan to reprogram Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) entitlement funds for the construction of a Multigenerational Community Center in Large Park, located at 4424 N. Millbrook Avenue, Fresno, CA 93726; and
2. RESOLUTION – Adopting Substantial Amendment 2019-02 to the 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan to submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to reprogram CDBG entitlement funds for the construction of a Multigenerational Community Center and authorizing the City Manager to sign all necessary implementing documents

SUMMARY:

- Today the City Council is holding a Public Hearing to request citizen comments regarding the proposed Substantial Amendment 2019-02 to the 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan to reprogram \$2.55 million CDBG funds for the construction of the Multigenerational Center.
- Following the Public Hearing, the City Council is taking formal action to complete the funding package needed to construct a new community center in District 4.
- The \$2.55 million proposal includes project savings of \$52,818.52 and \$2,497,181.48 from the City's General Fund previously approved for this purpose.
- In addition to the Section 108 loan application approved by council on April 9, 2020, along with \$700,000 of CDBG funds previously approved for this purpose, this amendment will complete the funding package of \$10.75 million