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To: Board of SupervisorsFrom: Catherine Kutsuris, Conservation & Development DirectorDate: January 12, 2010



Contra Costa County

Subject: Reallocation of FY 2009/10 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Funds

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE the reallocation of \$40,000 in FY 2009/10 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds from the North Richmond Education and Employment Program to the Contra Costa County Small Business and Microenterprise Loan Program.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No General Fund impact. All funds are provided to the County on a formula basis through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

BACKGROUND:

On April 29, 2009, the Board of Supervisors approved the Contra Costa County Action Plan for FY 2009/10 CDBG/HOME/ESG funds. Under the CDBG Economic Development category, the Community Housing Development Corporation of North Richmond (CHDC) was allocated \$40,000 in CDBG funds to support the operation of the North Richmond Education and Employment Program (formerly North Richmond Youth Build Program).

On July 9, 2009, CHDC informed County CDBG staff that, due to programming difficulties, the North Richmond Education and Employment Program will not be able to

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RECOMMENDATIO	N OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR 🗌 RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 01/1	2/2010 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS	
 AYE: John Gioia, District I Sup Gayle B. Uilkema, Distric Supervisor Mary N. Piepho, District Supervisor Susan A. Bonilla, Distric Supervisor Federal D. Glover, Distric Supervisor 	ct III hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the BoardIIIof Supervisors on the date shown.ATTESTED:January 12, 2010EIVDavid Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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operate and will be going through a "close-out"

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

phase. Based on this information, the County and CHDC agreed to not enter into a CDBG Program Agreement for the operation of this program during FY 2009/10.

CDBG staff recommends reallocating the \$40,000 to the County's Small Business and Microenterprise Program. This program is an existing CDBG program under the Economic Development category and the \$40,000 will be utilized to assist small businesses and/or microenterprises to create or retain jobs in the County.