

RESOLUTION NO. 06-14

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A CITIZENS' PARTICIPATION PLAN AS PART OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) AND HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS (HOME) PROCEDURES.

WHEREAS, the City of Ashland intends to apply for State of Ohio CDBG AND HOME funding to perform qualifying activities, and,

WHEREAS, the City of Ashland wishes to obtain CDBG and HOME program funding to improve the community by providing decent housing, suitable living environments and, offering economic opportunities for low to moderate income citizens, minorities, and the disabled, and,

WHEREAS, the City of Ashland desires to encourage citizen participation emphasizing involvement by those served by the CDBG and HOME programs as well as those outside the scope of the CDBG and HOME services, and,

WHEREAS, a Citizen Participation Plan has been prepared and is ready for implementation,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Ashland, State of Ohio, 5 members thereto concurring:

Section 1. That Council hereby adopts the submitted Citizens' Participation Plan attached as Exhibit A, as part of the CDBG and HOME program process and hereby authorizes its implementation.

Section 2. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

Section 3: That for the reason that said Citizen Participation Plan must be enacted in order to remain in conformance with the State of Ohio's CDBG and HOME program requirements, this Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare.

Section 4: That this Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage by Council and approved pursuant to Section 12 of the Charter of the City of Ashland, Ohio.

PASSED: February 18, 2014

/s/ Stephen L. Stuart

Stephen L. Stuart, President of Council

Attest: /s/ Lindsey Queen
Lindsey Queen, Interim Clerk of Council

Approved: /s/ Glen P. Stewart
Glen P. Stewart, Mayor

Approved as to form & correctness:

/s/ Richard P. Wolfe
Richard P. Wolfe II, Director of Law

Date: February 18, 2014