



## INFORMATIONAL REPORT

DATE ISSUED: July 20, 2009

REPORT NO: HCR09-074

ATTENTION: Members of the Housing Authority and  
Members of the Housing Commission

SUBJECT: San Diego Housing Commission Grants Report for January – June 2009.

**NO ACTION IS REQUIRED ON THE PART OF  
THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OR HOUSING COMMISSION**

BACKGROUND:

On September 11, 2007, the Housing Authority authorized the Housing Commission Board of Commissioners to approve submission of grant applications and subsequent amendments to the Housing Commission's budget to incorporate awards of grant funds. The Housing Authority concluded that this process was a more efficient use of staff time rather than requiring that those actions be docketed on the Housing Authority agenda for approval.

Incorporated within the Housing Authority's action was a requirement that the Housing Commission inform the Housing Authority, with semi-annual reports, on grant applications, grant awards, and grant applications not awarded. The attached Housing Commission Grants Report is for the period of January through June 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Carrol M. Vaughan".

Carrol M. Vaughan  
Executive Vice President &  
Chief Operating Officer

Attachments: 1. Housing Commission Grants Report for January – June 2009

ATTACHMENT 1

SAN DIEGO HOUSING COMMISSION * GRANTS REPORT * JANUARY – JUNE 2009						
Granting Agency	Grant Name	Application, Award, or Not Awarded	Grant Amount	New or Renewal	City Council Districts or City Wide	Description of Grant
State Farm Insurance	“Es Para Mi” Grant	Award	\$1,000	New	Citywide	Provides savings match for Individual Development Accounts for a youth financial skills education program.
California HCD <sup>1</sup>	Housing Trust Funds	Application	\$2,000,000	Renewal	City-wide	Provides matching funds for local Housing Trust Fund programs.
San Diego Foundation	Prevention of Family Homelessness	Application	\$10,000	New	City-wide	Provides match funds for youth Individual Development Accounts.
U.S. Bank Foundation	Economic Opportunity	Application	\$20,000	New	City-wide	Provides non-federal match funds for Assets for Independence Project - Individual Development Accounts.
H&R Block	Asset Building and Tax Preparation	Application & Award	\$10,000	New	City-wide	Supports asset building, tax and EITC services at the Economic Development Academies.
HUD <sup>2</sup>	American Re-Investment and Recovery Act	Application & Award	\$2,173,051	New	City-wide	Carry out capital and management improvement activities.

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HUD	Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH)	Application & Award	105 Vouchers	New	Citywide	Vouchers provide homeless veterans and their immediate families with affordable housing. Vouchers are provided through a HUD / U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Supported Housing collaboration.
HUD	Shelter Plus Care (SPC)	Application & Award	\$1,717,932	New	City-wide	SPC houses homeless individuals with disabilities. The grant pays housing subsidies, and administrative fees to sponsoring agencies. There are several grants combined into one award, that the Housing Commission receives and passes through to non-profit organizations.
San Diego Foundation	Community Impact – San Diego Asset Building Coalition	Application & Award	\$71,000 (value of software & technical support)	New	City-wide	Providing Efforts To Outcomes (ETO) Enterprise software, and technical support to Housing Commission and the San Diego Asset Building Coalition. ETO will allow coalition members to track common performance measures and success indicators, and is quickly becoming the standard in human services software.

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San Diego National Bank	Community Re-Investment	Application & Award	\$20,000	New	City-wide	Provides non-federal match funds for the Assets for Independence Project - Individual Development Accounts.
United Way of San Diego County	Promoting Financial Stability and Independence	Application & Award	\$100,000	New	City-wide	Provides non-federal match funds for Assets for Independence Project - Individual Development Accounts.
United Way of San Diego County	Promoting Financial Stability and Independence – Marginalized Youth	Application & Award	\$75,850	New	City-wide	Provides youth, aged 15-24, with financial skills education and match funds for Individual Development Accounts.
HUD	Family Unification Supportive Housing	Application & Not Awarded (awards by lottery)	100 Vouchers	New	City-wide	Vouchers allow children to live with their parents, when separation is caused by a lack of adequate, affordable, and stable housing.

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Parker Foundation	Economic Development Academy	Application & Not Awarded	\$100,000	New	City-wide	To assist with the establishment of an Economic Development Academy at Smart Corner, to provide families with access to technology and other resources, to promote economic self-sufficiency and asset building.
Union Bank of California	Community Re-Investment	Application & Not Awarded	\$10,000	New	City-wide	Provides non-federal match funds for Assets for Independence Project - Individual Development Accounts.
<sup>1</sup> California Department of Housing & Community Development						
<sup>2</sup> HUD: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development						
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