

# Community Development & Housing Department

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## HOME-American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) City Council Community Development Committee February 8, 2022



# HOME-ARP

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- ❖ March 11, 2021, President Biden signed ARP into law providing over \$1.9 trillion in relief to address the continued impact of the COVID-19 pandemic
- ❖ \$5 billion in ARP funds to be administered through the HOME Program
- ❖ City of High Point received an allocation of \$1,988,359
  - \$1,690,105 for programs/projects
  - \$298,254 for administration and planning

# HOME-ARP

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**Purpose of funds:** Primarily to benefit qualifying individuals and families who are homeless, at risk of homelessness, or in other vulnerable populations (i.e. veterans, <30% AMI)

**Eligible activities include:** (1) development and support of affordable housing, (2) tenant-based rental assistance (TBRA), (3) provision of supportive services; and (4) acquisition and development of non-congregate shelter units.

**Substantial Amendment:** Participating jurisdictions (PJs) must submit a Substantial Amendment to the Fiscal Year 2021 Annual Action Plan

# HOME-ARP ALLOCATION PLAN

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- ❖ Must engage in consultation and public participation processes to develop the HOME-ARP allocation plan
- ❖ Allocation plan must include:
  - A summary of the consultation process and results of upfront consultation;
  - A summary of comments received through the public participation process and a summary of any comments or recommendations not accepted and the reasons why;
  - A description of HOME-ARP qualifying populations within the jurisdiction;
  - An assessment of unmet needs of each qualifying population;
  - An assessment of gaps in housing and shelter inventory, homeless assistance and services, and homelessness prevention service delivery system;
  - A summary of the planned use of HOME-ARP funds for eligible activities based on the unmet needs of the qualifying populations;
  - An estimate of the number of housing units for qualifying populations the PJ will produce or preserve with its HOME-ARP allocation; and
  - A description of any preferences for individuals and families in a particular qualifying population or a segment of a qualifying population.

# Thank You

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