

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS 2008-13 CONSOLIDATED PLAN AND 2008 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN FOR SUBMISSION TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD) FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, since 1974 the Community Development Block Grant Program has been an important Federal resource for cities and counties to principally benefit their low- and moderate-income communities, eliminate slums and blight, and address urgent needs in support of local government efforts to develop viable urban communities and stable neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sandy Springs was notified by HUD of the City's qualification as an CDBG Entitlement Community on October 1, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the City held a public hearing for the purposes of soliciting public comment prior to the development of its Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan on March 4, 2008; and

WHEREAS, additional public meetings were held on March 10, 2008, at the Mt. Vernon Presbyterian High School and on April 1, 2008, at the Sandy Springs United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, the 2008-13 Consolidated Plan and 2008 Annual Action Plan were advertised for a 30-day public comment period from May 9, 2008, to June 9, 2008, to solicit final comments on these documents prior to adoption by Mayor and City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan are due to HUD no later than July 1, 2008, to qualify to participate in the 2008 CDBG Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THIS COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS, GEORGIA, AND IT IS RESOLVED BY THE AUTHORITY OF SAID CITY COUNCIL.

By passage of this resolution, the City of Sandy Springs Mayor and City Council authorizes submission of the 2008-13 Consolidated Plan and 2008 Annual Action Plan, and an original copy of this resolution, to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for the purposes of participating in the Community Development Block Grant Program.

RESOLVED this 17th day of June 2008.

Approved:



Eva Galambos, Mayor

Attest:



Christina Rowland, City Clerk

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