CITY OF ALLENTOWN

Introduced by the Administration on April 7, 2021

Approves the Submission of an application for a pass through grant for HADC from DCED for affordable housing activities.

Resolved by the Council of the City of Allentown,

WHEREAS, the City of Allentown is desirous of obtaining funds for HADC from DCED for affordable housing activities fundable under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12701 et. seg and the implementing regulations at 24 CFR Part 92.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that housing needs exist that have been identified in the local Consolidated Plan and the proposed housing activity addresses this need.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City of Allentown will conduct the required citizen participation process.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City of Allentown will assure the provision of other necessary funds to make the activity feasible.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that City of Allentown will reimburse the Commonwealth for any expenditures found by DCED to be ineligible.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the appropriate officer of the City of Allentown is directed to execute a certificate attesting to the adoption of this Resolution and to furnish a copy of this Resolution to Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED).

LEGISLATIVE TEMPLATE

What Department or bureau is Bill originating from? Where did the initiative for the bill originate?

Department of Community and Economic Development

Summary and Facts of the Bill

Authorizing the Filing of an Application for Funds with the Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED) for the HOME Program for HADC, a pass-through grant.

- Purpose Please include the following in your explanation:
 - What does the Bill do what are the specific goals/tasks the bill seek to accomplish
 - What are the Benefits of doing this/Down-side of doing this
 - How does this Bill related to the City's Vision/Mission/Priorities

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- Financial Impact Please include the following in your explanation:
 - Cost (Initial and ongoing)
 - Benefits (initial and ongoing)

- Funding Sources Please include the following in your explanation:
 If transferring funds, please make sure bill gives specific accounts; if appropriating funds from a grant list the agency awarding the grant.