June 6, 2024 Meeting of the Housing Opportunity Fund Advisory Board for the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh

A. Roll Call

Present: Tanika Harris, Elly Fisher, Alan Sisco, James Reid, Adrienne Walnoha, Kellie Ware, Mark Masterson,

Not Present: Lena Andrews, Karen Garret, Deb Gross, Jerome Jackson, Deidra Washington, Marcus Reed, Dr. Paul Spradley

URA Staff Present: Eric Bernheimer, Alicia Majors, Kristen Lawrence, Quianna Wassler, Rae Ann Driscoll, David DiBernardo, Donna Freeman,

B. Review and Acceptance of Minutes from May 2nd, 2024, Meeting

Motion: Alan Sisco

Second Motion: Derek Tillman

C. Public Comment -

none

D. URA Administrative Updates -

Advisory Board Membership Updates

- Welcome Tanika Harris
- Goodbye to Derrick Tillman
- HOF Audit
- URA Response

UA staff provided 10% random sample of projects
20 recommendations: URA administration, HOF programs, etc
combination document will be made public
URA has already addressed the recommendations or in the process of addressing the
recommendations

Next HOF AB meeting July 11th, 2024 to be combined with HOF Retreat

E. Annual Allocation Plan Survey Launch

Over 200 Surveys completed

- Email Blast
- Upcoming Outreach Events
 - June 8 PHDC Mobile Mexican Consulate
 - June 12 Troy Hill Citizens Inc.

- June 13 Market Square Farmers Market
- June 29 City in the Streets: Hill District

F. HSP Program Update Recommendation

- Vote to enter into agreement with Action Housing as Housing Stabilization Program administrator
- Current contract is with DHS who then subcontracts with ACTION Housing. Both DHS and ACTION take a 10% administrative fee for their roles
- Since ACTION began coordinating HSP in March of 2023, 306 households have been served. Of those 306 households, 76% (232) were black households

Motion: Elley Fisher

Second Motion: Derek Tillman

Abstention: Tanika Harris

G. HOF Advisory Board Discussions

- Retreat
- Next HOF AB meeting July 11th, 2024 to be combined with HOF Retreat
- Allocation Plan
- Bring a friend

H. Advisory Board Administrative Updates

• Committee Updates DEI and Outreach

I. State of HOF/Programmatic Expenditures and Updates

Regular Update

HOF May 2024

LAP-\$4,505

HSP-\$33,450.80

SLF-\$17,486

HAP-\$161,896.59

J. Adjournment The next HOF Advisory Board Meeting

The next HOF Advisory Board Meeting is Thursday, July 4, 2024, at 2:00 PM, held at the Dollar Bank Headquarters Downtown (20 Stanwix Street Pittsburgh PA 15222) in the first-floor conference room, virtually, and aired live on the City of Pittsburgh's YouTube Channel.

Motion: Dr. Paul Spradley

Second Motion: Elley Fisher