AMENDMENT - 2020-2024 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CONSOLIDATED STRATEGIC PLAN

June 21, 2022

Background & Information

- A consolidated strategy is a requirement of U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) federal grant funding
 - A 3- or 5-year document; Consolidated Strategic Plan (CSP)
- CSP objective is to address priority community needs with goals and outcomes utilizing CDBG and HOME funding
- CSP outlines reasonable expectations of expenditures and accomplishments with the CDBG & HOME program funds
 - States priorities, goals, delivery structure and expected outcomes achievements
- Each Annual Action Plan (AAP) and & Comprehensive Annual Evaluation Report (CAPER) details how the City and community partners utilize the CDBG & HOME funding through activities addressing community need, tying back to achieve the CSP goals

Consolidated Strategic Plan Objectives

- Providing Decent Housing covers a wide range of housing activities where the purpose is to meet housing needs
- <u>Creating Suitable Living Environments</u> activities that are designed to benefit communities, families or individuals by addressing issues in their living environment
- Creating Economic Opportunities applies only to activities related to economic development, commercial revitalization or job creation.

- Availability/Accessibility applies to activities that make services, shelter and basics of daily living available and accessible to low-and moderate-income people where they live
- Affordability applies to activities that provide affordability in a variety of ways to low-and moderateincome people
- Sustainability applies only to activities focused on improving communities or neighborhoods, helping to make them more livable or viable

- Community surveys, community engagement meetings, and community planning meetings are held annually to gather citizen input and updates on changing community needs
- Results are posted to the city website annually
- Most recent results indicate a change in need for affordable rental housing, and an update to the description of Public Facilities & Improvements that are defined in the current CSP

Amending the 2020-2024 Consolidated Strategic Plan

At such time there is a significant change to community priority needs, the City must amend the affected Annual Action Plan and as applicable the Consolidated Strategic Plan in accordance with the adopted Citizen's Participation Plan

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Amendment

- The proposed amendment will impact lower income areas in northern Killeen with the addition of the priority for affordable rental housing development and updating the description of Public Facilities & Improvements in the adopted five-year CSP:
 - Affordable Housing Development Rental
 - Fire/Rescue Life Saving Devices for Public Facilities Fire Departments
- These activities are proposed in locally designated target areas:
 - Local Target Area -small
 - North Killeen Revitalization Area
 - Local Target Area large
- Increased activities in the local target areas will improve/increase affordable housing, provide public infrastructure and improvements, and public services

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- A CSP Amendment requires a 30-day comment period
 - June 27 July 26, 2022
- Approval of Ordinance at public hearing on July 26th
- Submittal of the CSP Amendment to HUD
- □ Approval in time for new fiscal year Oct 1, 2022