

SUMMARY OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY BOARD ACTION

Subject: Recommended 2003-2004 HOME Program Plan

Meeting Date: April 22, 2003

Recommendation: That the Council approve the preliminary 2003-2004 HOME Program Plan. The Board also urges the Council to recommend that the Board of Orange County Commissioners release the \$75,000 of 1997 Affordable Housing Bond Funds allocated for the Transitional Housing Program.

Vote: 4- 1

Aye: Tracy Dudley, Carol Siebert, Henry Clark, Elizabeth Hollers-Welsby

Nay: Marywinne Sherwood

- Issues Raised:**
- 1) In 2002-2003 the Town received \$28,117 of HOME Program funding for the Transitional Housing Program. The HOME Program Committee recommends allocation of \$32,000 of 2003-2004 HOME Program funds for the program. Unless \$75,000 of Orange County Affordable Housing Bond Funds are released by the Board of Orange County Commissioners, these funds will not be sufficient to purchase a house for the program.
 - 2) The Board asks that the Council ask the Board of County Commissioners to release these funds.

Explanation of Dissenting Vote(s):

The dissenting member was concerned about the reduced level of funding proposed for the Transitional Housing Program.

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