

CITY OF CONCORD

In the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-one

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION IN AN AMOUNT OF UP TO FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$500,000) AND TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE GRANT PROCEEDS OF UP FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$500,000) IN PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF PROPERTIES OWNED BY RIVERBEND COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH, INC.

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The City of Concord resolves as follows:

- WHEREAS, Riverbend Community Mental Health, Inc. is a private, not-for-profit, community-based agency whose mission is to care for the mental health services for the community; and
- WHEREAS, Riverbend Community Mental Health, Inc., provides a full range of outpatient and residential behavioral health services to residents of Concord and the surrounding region; and
- WHEREAS, the majority of Riverbend Community Mental Health, Inc.'s clients are low to moderate income persons; and
- WHEREAS, Riverbend Community Mental Health, Inc. owns several properties located in the City of Concord to fulfill its mission; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Concord desires to secure Public Facilities Community Development Block Grant Funds to repair and renovate facilities owned by Riverbend Community Mental Health, Inc. within the City of Concord which are used to provide mental health services and programs to primarily low- and moderate-income persons; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Concord is eligible to apply to the New Hampshire Community Development Finance Authority, Community Development Block Grant Program Division, for up to \$500,000 in Public Facilities Community Development Block Grants annually; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Concord desires to continue its Community Development efforts by performing Community Development projects, including, but not limited to, providing housing rehabilitation assistance to low- and moderate-income individuals or families, as well as the construction and rehabilitation of public facilities which provide services for low- and moderate-income households; and

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WHEREAS, Community Development funds are available through the New Hampshire Community Development Finance Authority, Community Development Block Grant Program Division, to assist such projects; and

WHEREAS, this appropriation is for a purpose not included in the Fiscal Year 2021 adopted budget, therefore, section 37 of the City Charter requires a two-third vote of the City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Concord that:

1. The sum of\$500,000
be and is hereby appropriated as follows:

CDBG Fund

Riverbend Community Mental Health, Inc.\$500,000

2. Revenue to meet said appropriation shall be provided from the following source:

CDBG Fund

CDBG (Public Facilities) grant.....\$500,000

3. That the City Council approves this Community Development Block Grant application and hereby authorizes the City Manager to submit the necessary grant documents and to accept, administer, and spend said CDBG funds for the purposes described herein upon approval by the NH Community Development Finance Authority.
4. Sums as appropriated shall be expended under the direction of the City Manager.
5. This resolution shall take effect upon its passage and grant award.