

# NEIGHBORHOOD STABILIZATION PROGRAM AMENDMENT

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING** 

**APRIL 17, 2023** 

# NEIGHBORHOOD STABILIZATION PROGRAM (NSP)

## **Purpose**

 The purpose of assisting communities with high rates of abandoned and foreclosed homes due to 2008 recession.

### **NSPI** Grant

- Received in 2008.
- Closing NSPI grant.
- NSP program income is \$120,000.

# **PROPERTY TYPES**

- Only 3 property types can receive NSP assistance:
  - I. Foreclosed Properties
  - 2. Abandoned Properties
  - 3. Development of Vacant Land



#### Financing Mechanisms

For purchase and redevelopment of foreclosed homes and residential properties.



Acquisition and Rehabilitation

Purchase and rehabilitate homes and residential properties abandoned or foreclosed.



Land Banking

Establish land banks for foreclosed homes.



Demolition of Blighted Structures

Demolish blighted structures to mitigate decline of surrounding properties.



Redevelop demolished or vacant properties

# NSP ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

# **NSPI PROPOSED AMENDMENT**

- \$120,000 NSP Program Income
- Proposed Activity
  - First time homebuyer assistance for 5 single-family homes constructed on NW 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. and N Court St. with HOME funds.
- Loan Terms
  - 30-year deferred at 0% interest.

## NSPI PROPOSED AMENDMENT BENEFITS

# Secondary financing for NW 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. Project

- Secondary financing needed due to high housing market.
- Not sold within 9 months of construction, must be rented low-income tenant.

### Closeout of 2008 NSPI Grant

- Only 3 eligible types:
  - Foreclosed properties
  - Abandoned properties
  - Vacant land.

## **ACTION TONIGHT**

### • Staff Recommends:

- Conduct a Public Hearing.
- Motion to approve and appropriate funds for the FY 2022-23 NSPI Amendment.
- Motion to enter into all contracts as listed in the FY 2022-23 NSPI Amendment.
- Authorize submission to HUD.

#### NSP INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

#### Foreclosure prevention

• Including refinancing mortgages, paying back taxes or mortgage payments.

Demolition of nonblight structures Any NSPI activity that is not within the approved neighborhood/target area.