



January 5, 1994

MEMORANDUM

TO: Rita Harris, Boards and Commissions Coordinator

FM: Ron Phillips, Interim Planning Director

RE: CDBG Commission Annual Report

The CDBG Commission held 10 regular meetings and two public hearings during FY1992-1993. The public hearings were to solicit comments on the community development needs of the city to help guide decisions concerning the allocation of CDBG funds during the next program year. The regular meetings were held to review applications and monitor progress of the CDBG Program. In addition, the Commission held a joint work session with City Council in December to discuss the FY1993-1994 CDBG Program application guidelines.

The Commission provided recommendations to the City Council concerning the expenditure of \$1.2 Million of CDBG funds for FY1993-1994. The City received 41 applications for funding representing approximately \$4.2 Million. The Commission reviewed all applications and recommended funding for 16 proposals. Included in the projects and programs to be funded were: Fort Collins United Way's Acquisition of the LCS Building, Neighbor-to-Neighbor, Inc.'s Acquisition for Low Income Housing and Comprehensive Housing Counseling, C.A.R.E.'s Acquisition of Land, Senior Employment Services for Job Finding Services, Disabled Resource Services Youth Employment Program, Child Care Collaborative for Sliding Scale Child Care, Project Self-Sufficiency's Self-Sufficiency Program, Poudre Valley Hospital Foundation for Family Support Alliance, Children's Clinic for Physician Services for Indigent Children, CCS/N's Hostel of Hospitality and Hope Job Bank, Rehabilitation of Crossroads Safehouse Shelter Addition, Elevator Equipment Rehabilitation of DMA Plaza, Freezer Expansion Rehabilitation of the Larimer County Food Distribution Center, and Architectural Barrier Removal of Respite Care.

The Commission also reviewed the Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (C.H.A.S.).