CITY OF DETROIT MICHAEL E. DUGGAN, MAYOR

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM (CDBG) NEIGHBORHOOD OPPORTUNITY FUND (NOF) 2014-2015 PUBLIC FACILITY REHABILITATION PROPOSAL AND COMMERCIAL FAÇADE REHABILITATION PROPOSAL FORM

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. This proposal form includes activity sections for Public Facility Rehab and Commercial Façade Rehab activities. All appropriate sections must be complete. All 2014-2015 CDBG/NOF proposals for Public Facility Rehab and Commercial Façade Rehab activities must be submitted on this form. Please type, no handwritten proposals will be accepted.

NOTE: If your organization is requesting public service/homeless you MUST use a different application. This proposal form is for PUBLIC FACILITY REHAB and COMMERCIAL FAÇADE REHAB only.

- 2. Every attempt should be made to answer the questions within the space provided. Supplemental material which the sponsor believes will assist in the proposal evaluation can be included with this form but should be limited to a maximum of 5 additional pages.
- 3. A separate activity section should be used for each Public Facility Rehab and Commercial Façade Rehab activity requested. Three (3) copies (the original and two copies) must be submitted.
- 4. SUBMIT **THREE COPIES** (original and two copies) of this form and any additional materials for each activity requested. Each set (which includes the application and all the attachments) should be placed in **SEPARATE ENVELOPES**.

If you have any questions, call the Detroit Planning and Development Department, Grants Management Section, at 224-3532.

Attendance at one of the proposal writing workshops is a prerequisite for funding.

DEADLINE DATE FOR SUBMISSION: All proposals for the 2014-2015 CDBG Program year **MUST BE RECEIVED** in the offices of the Detroit Planning and Development Department at the address below on or before 5:00 P.M., **Thursday**, **April 17**, **2014**.

WARNING: PROPOSALS RECEIVED AFTER THIS TIME AND DATE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR THE 2014-2015 CDBG/NOF PROGRAM EVEN IF POSTMARKED BY THE DEADLINE DATE. FAXED or EMAILED COPIES OF PROPOSALS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

REMEMBER: THE THREE (3) TYPED COPIES (Original and two copies) OF THE COMPLETE PROPOSAL AND ATTACHMENTS FOR EACH REQUEST MUST BE SUBMITTED TO AND RECEIVED BY THE DETROIT PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT. <u>Until 4/16/14 mail or deliver proposals to the 23rd Floor, On 4/17/14 deliver proposals to the 12th Floor, CADILLAC TOWER, 65 CADILLAC SQUARE, DETROIT, MICHIGAN, 48226 NO LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. ON THURSDAY, **April 17, 2014.**</u>

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2014-2015 PUBLIC FACILITY AND COMMERCIAL FAÇADE REHABILITATION Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Neighborhood Opportunity Fund (NOF)

Legal Name of Sponsoring Organization:	EACH REQUEST AMOUNT MUST BE A MINIMUM OF \$100,000.00 FOR REHABILITATION WORK. APPLICANTS MUS MATCH AT LEAST 35% OF REQUESTED			
List name as recorded on the incorporation papers	AMOUNT FOR PUBLIC FACILITY REHAB. APLLICANT MUST MATCH AT LEAST 50% OF			
Indicate any previously used names:	REQUESTED AMOUNT FOR COMMERCIAL			
Name:	FAÇADE REHAB.			
1.				
2.	Total Requested Amount:			
3.	(Public Facility Rehab)			
Project Name:				
Project Name: List project name, i.e., Community Recreation Center, Community Service Center				
Contact person: (The person most familiar with this proposal)				
Name:				
Preferred Mailing Address:	Total Requested Amount: (Commercial Façade Rehab)			
City: Detroit_Zip:				
Day phone: () - Ext.				
Evening phone: _ () -				
Fax Number: () -				
Email Address: (if any) @				
Organization DUNS Number:				
Address of the administrative offices/headquarters:				
Zip:				
Address of primary program site(s) Zip:				
Zip:				

Sum-1	Check One: (See definitions of each category in the Instructions) Subrecipient Community based Development Organization (CBDO) Both None of the above (indicate type of organization)	
Sum-2	Is this a faith-based organization?	
Sum-3	Has this organization previously applied for CDBG/NOF funding?	No
Sum-4	Is this the same project area that your organization served last year? Yes No	
	ensus tract(s) DOES this project serve? (See census track map in the Instructions) blies to both Public Facility Rehab and Commercial Façade Rehab)	

BRIEFLY describe the project for which CDBG funds are being requested: (USE ONLY THE SPACE PROVIDED! A more extensive description is in the public facility rehabilitation/commercial façade rehabilitation section.) Request 1:

Sum-5

Request 2:

Threshold Information

Thr-1. Does your proposal meet one of the following HUD National Objectives?	
☐ Benefits Persons with low/moderate income☐ Eliminates slums and/or blight	
Thr-2. Did someone from your organization attend the 2014-15 Workshop? If yes, date attended:	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-3. Is your proposal complete, typed, and submitted on the correct forms?	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-4. Does your organization have at least five (5) member board If yes, does the board meet quarterly? Yes No	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-5. Is the organization tax exempt, 501(c)(3)? Attach copy as Attachment #1 If yes, give date exemption granted:	☐Yes ☐No
Does the organization have a federal tax I.D. number?	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-6. Has your organization been in existence for at least a year? If yes, provide proof see attachment #2 page 30 for detail and attach copy as a	☐Yes ☐No attachment #2
Thr-7. Does your organization have substantial balances of unexpended unresolved audit findings? If yes, please explain	funds of more than 2 years or Yes No
Thr-8. Did your organization submit the most recent fiscal year cash flow state available, recent audit? Attach copy as Attachment #3	ement, financial statements, and if
Thr-9. Are three support letters attached? Attach as Attachment #4	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-10. Did you read and sign Certification Form?	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-11. Is your current Non-Profit Corporation Information Update (Michattached? Attach as Attachment #5	igan Annual Non-Profit Report) ☐Yes ☐No
Thr-12. Is your Certificate or Articles of Incorporation attached? Attach copy as Attachment #6	☐Yes ☐No
Thr-13. Is your request for CDBG funding at least \$100,000.00?	☐Yes ☐No

Thr-14.	FR only) Is do	cument	tation attached	l showii	ng matchin	g funds equali	ng at lea	st 35% of requested
amount	please p	rovide b	ank stai	tements (Attach	copy as	Attachmen	et #7)		☐Yes ☐No
Thr-15.	-		_	ation have ow leed or long-ter	_	_	_	Yes []No
Thr-16.		-		organization s of financial c			commitment chment #9	from	business owners? Yes No
		•	_	zation have bu project commit			_	o progra	am? Yes No

Organizational Information

Org-1. What are the unique experiences and qualifications that make the organization the most appropriate to

Org-2. How many persons do the by-laws specify to be on the board?

Org-3. List dates and times the board met last year:

Org-4. List dates and times the board is anticipated to meet this year:

Org-5. Who is the Chairperson/President of the board?

Org-6. Are the board members bonded?

If yes, how many?

Org-7. List organization's board members: See criteria regarding board, Instructions, page 5.

Org-8. Describe management and staff skills, experience, and appropriate credentials to administer and conduct an accountable and responsible activity:

Public Facility Rehabilitation Activity Section

If you are requesting funding for more than one public facility rehabilitation activity:

- 1. Please duplicate the activity section (pages 10-17) and
- 2. Complete one for each public facility rehabilitation activity requested.

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NAME	OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATION:
ADDR	ESS OF BUILDING TO BE REHABILITATED:
	PROJECT DESCRIPTION
PFR-1	The project must meet one of the following minimally: o ensure local/health safety codes are met ensure ADA compliance
PFR-2	 Which HUD National Objective does your project meet? Low/Mod Area: Project benefits all the residents in a primarily residential area that is low/moderate income and the area is smaller than the entire city of Detroit Low/Mod Clientele: a specific group of people are served and client Income is verified by determining: Presumed benefit¹ Income verification—requires information on family size and income so that it is evident that at least 51% of the clients are low/mod income Nature and location of the service—is of such nature AND such location that it may reasonably be concluded that the clientele is low/mod income
PFR-3	Amount requested from CDBG/NOF for this PFR activity?
PFR-4	Describe in priority order, the rehab work proposed for which CDBG/NOF funding is being requested. Priority will be given to projects addressing building code violations and/or ADA

accessibility renovations, and hazardous building conditions.

¹ Abused children, battered spouses, severely disabled adults, homeless persons, illiterate adults, Persons with AIDS, migrant farm workers, and the elderly.

PFR-5	Is this PFR project ready to be implemented?		∐Yes ∐No
	 Ownership of the facility Pending purchase (if so, expected purchase Long Term Lease (5 or more years) Is the required funding in place? Total project budget Committed matching rehabilitation fund (Do not include previous CDBG award 	Yes No Ids from other sources \$	\$
Sour	ce of Committed Funds	Amount	
Tota	1		
1018	II.		
•	Estimated start date: o 3 months o 6 months o One year o More than one year		
•	Estimated completion date: o 60-90 days o 6 months o One year o More than one year		
PFR-6	Are there public service activities taking place in at the present time? a. If yes, describe the public service activity	n this facility	Yes No
	b. How are these public service activities funded?		

PFI	R-7	Describe in detail any additional public service activities, which will be carried out at this facility after rehabilitation.					
		How will these p	ublic service activiti	ies be funded?			
PFF					eration. (City staff will assume that the		
			am ın place durıng tı Department in writii		ange in these hours you MUST inform th		
		, 1			Name to a section of		
			Activity	CURRENT HOURS OF	Number of hours		
				OPERATION			
		NDAY					
		ONDAY					
		ESDAY					
		DNESDAY					
		URSDAY					
		DAY					
	SA	ΓURDAY					
PFF	(] (on the Detroit Lan Rehabilitation/Con If yes, provide a co	lity located in one of ad Bank Authority n mmercial Façade Ro ppy of the Detroit Lan	nap located at the end at the ehabilitation RFP Informated Bank Authority map refere			
PFF	R-10	Does this public accessibility requ	•	eet local building code and	Yes No		
PFF	R-11	Are there any ou	tstanding fire code	violation notices?	Yes No		
PFI	R -12	accessibility requ	Facility meet local buirements upon combitation activities?	uilding code and apletion of current or	Yes No		

PFR-13	Does this p If no, please	•	h State rule in Attachment 11?	Yes No				
PFR-14	-14 What is the source of general operating funds for this facility? i.e., how are funds raised to pay the facility expenses, including utilities, insurance, maintenance, repairs, etc.? (Please include a budget that outlines how current operating costs are covered and also how the requested repairs would be maintained).							
			Budget					
Bud-1.		esponsible for maintaining eper, accountant, treasurer,	the organization's financial receetc.)	ords?				
	Name	Phone Position						
Bud-2.	What wa		ization's total budget for the mo	ost recent fiscal year (for the entire				
		as the amount of the total activity)?	al budget for the organization	's most recent fiscal year (for the				
Bud-3.	What is	the organization's total cas	sh on hand? \$					
Bud-4.	Has the	organization had an A-133	3 audit by a Certified Public Ac	countant?				
Bud-5.		ns the most recent audit, con I records completed?	mpilation, or review of your Da	nte:				
Bud-6.	List CD 1 <i>6</i>).	BG/NOF funds awarded sin	nce July, 2010. (If necessary, attac	ch additional pages, and label as #Bud-				
	DATE	CDBG/NOF Activity	Amt awarded	Balance Remaining (if any)				

Bud-7	□Yes □No									
Bud-8	If yes:	Have you submitted CDBG/NOF payment reimbursement requests? Yes No NA If yes: Date last payment request was submitted: For what period was the reimbursement requested?								
Bud-9			ded since December, 2012. If necessary e. letter of credit, notarized award statem							
	DATE	Funding Source	Amount awarded, activities, etc.	Balance Remaining (if any)						
Bud-1	0. Does th	ne United Way fund this o	organization?	☐Yes ☐No						
Bud-11. Are all taxes paid to date? (See attac		taxes paid to date? (See	e attachment No. 9 on last page).	☐Yes ☐No						
Bud-1	that mi	inimizes any opportunity	tion of an acceptable and accountable fif for fraud, waste, or mismanagement. It handling procedures, accounts payable #Bud-12].	Explain the proposed activity's						

MASTER REHAB PLAN BUILDING INFORMATION

The following information should be provided for each building where rehabilitation is requested.

MRP-1 Address of site (number, street name & zip code):					
MRP-2 D	MRP-2 Does your organization own this building? If no, who owns this building?				
	If no, does your organization have a long term lease? If yes, Date lease effective: Date lease expires:	Yes No			
		Yes	No	Unknown or N/A	
A	Are property taxes for this site paid to date?				
В	Is this facility used as an emergency homeless shelter for more than 4 weeks/year?				
C	Is this facility licensed as an emergency shelter for the homeless?				
D	Is this facility/program licensed as a substance abuse treatment program?				
E	Is this site barrier-free (handicap accessible)?				
F	Does building use comply with zoning regulations?				
G	Does building comply with building and fire code regulations?				
Н	Has this building been designated historic?				
I	Has this building been inspected by the Health Department? If so, provide date of most recent inspection:				
J	Has this building been inspected by Buildings, Safety Engineering, and Environmental Dept? If so, provide date of most recent inspection:				
K	Has this building been inspected by the fire marshal? If so, provide date of most recent inspection:				
L	Does sponsor have sufficient income to operate/maintain this site?				
M	Are any religious activities held at this site?				

MRP-3. If any inspection reports have indicated violations, please explain what is being done to correct those violations? Attach separate sheet labeled Att # MRP-3.

Master Rehabilitation Plan

ATTENTION TO ALL PFR APPLICANTS:

Each sponsor applying for PFR funding must provide two (2) copies of a Master Rehabilitation Plan (MRP) building assessment to be prepared by a registered (in the state of Michigan) architectural/engineering consultant. Since there is typically a preparation time of 2 weeks or more needed by the registered professional consultant in order to complete the Master Rehabilitation Plan (MRP) building assessment, we strongly suggest the applicant secure a consultant as soon as possible so that the building assessment will be completed and received by the deadline. There will be no extensions. The MRP building assessment must be attached and delivered with the PFR application by April 17th, 2014 as Attachment #13. Failure to submit the building assessment by this deadline will result in your proposal being declared ineligible. NOTE: If you submitted an MRP last year, you must submit an updated copy of it this year.

BUILDING ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Each sponsor applying for PFR funding must provide two copies of a **Master Rehabilitation Plan (MRP)** building assessment to be prepared by a registered (in the state of Michigan) architect/engineering consultant, which includes the following:

- 1. The MRP shall clearly define the project location, including a map of the surrounding area.
- 2. The consultant preparing the MRP shall be a registered (in the state of Michigan) architect/engineering consultant, having experience in rehabilitation projects and whose credentials are acceptable to the City (Note: In the past, some applicants have provided building assessments/estimates completed by contractors or others which have been substandard and therefore unacceptable.). For assistance in selecting a qualified consultant, please contact the office of the Planning and Development Department.
- 3. The following tasks/information shall be provided by the professional consultant:
 - A. **Building History:** Meet with the grant applicant contact person at the project site in order to secure relevant information about the building's history (e.g.: structural problems, violations. etc) and program.
 - B. **Building Assessment:** Evaluate the total structure in terms of the condition of: the building envelope (roof, walls, windows), mechanical/electrical/plumbing systems, city building code violations, ADA barrier-free requirements, parking, security, site concerns, environmental concerns, historic significance, internal configurations, potential "unknown conditions", and other special conditions.

- C. **Building Warranties/Insurances**: Request any data, warranties and other information the owner may have, or can secure, regarding the building and its internal systems.
- D. Code Violations: Research the building records for any code violations, historic, or other considerations.
- E. Building/Zoning Classification
- F. **Building Photographs:** Photograph exterior and interior of building and project site to illustrate its current condition.
- G. **Cost Estimate:** Prepare a cost estimate, broken down into logical phases of work, based upon the program priorities and including federal, state and local requirements. Each phase shall encompass work that results in significant impact. The cost estimate will reflect current costs of rehabilitation under the PFR program, taking into account federal wage requirements, procurement practices and other federal and local requirements.
- H. **Executive Summary:** Prepare an executive summary which shall include, but may not be limited to: building description (Number of stories, building material, square footage, etc), current and future use of structure, and character of surrounding area, hazardous building conditions, public service provided and consultant recommendation regarding building use.

A sample Master Rehabilitation Plan package and Consultant List may be obtained from the office of the Planning and Development Department.

Provide the name of the consultant(s) preparing the Master Rehabilitation Plan building assessment.

NOTE: Sponsors can resubmit an MRP from previous year that must be updated by a registered (in the state of Michigan) architect/engineering consultant. The MRP shall include information about hazardous and flammable liquids or substances to be used or stored on the premises. Rehabilitation plan shall describe alteration that will result in tampering, moving, or abating such materials.

Commercial Facade Rehabilitation Activity Section

If you are requesting more than one commercial façade rehabilitation activity

- 1. Please duplicate the activity section (pages 19-22) and
- 2. Complete one for each commercial facade rehabilitation activity requested.

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Cfr-1.	Amount	requested	l
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Cfr-2. Please describe the proposed activity in detail. (Sponsoring organization must present a clearly stated description of the project including the location of the project area and the name of the principal non-profit organization. (If more space is needed, please attach additional pages labeled "Cfr-2".)

Cfr-3. Project is:	Citywide	For a specific pro	oject area	
(If for a specific project ar	ea, please provide bou	ındaries and/or other	descriptions of your proj	ect area)
Preference will be given to	o projects located in H	ardest Hit Fund prion	ity areas shown in green	on Detroit Land Bank
Authority map at the end	of the Public Facility R	ehabilitation/Comme	rcial Façade Rehabilitation	on RFP Information
Package. If your specific	project is located in th	e one of the Hardest	Hit Fund areas please p	rovide a copy of the Detroit
Land Bank Authority Map	with the location of yo	ur project shown. At	tach and label as #CFR-	3.

Cfr 4. Attach building photographs of exterior and interior to illustrate its current condition. (Please attach and label Cfr-4)

Cfr 5. Please provide a cost breakdown:

(Please attach and label Cfr-5 and note below)

- Consultant and architect fee not to exceed 12% of construction cost for preparing construction document and overseeing construction progress
- Organization administration fee not to exceed 3% of construction cost for coordinating between City, consultant and business owners
- Construction cost of any code violations and improvement on the façade of the building that is visual to pedestrians and consists of but not limited to brick work, windows replacement, exterior paint, signage attached to the structure of the building only, lighting and exterior electrical work, exterior doors replacement, canopy and stone work restoration.

Please note that landscaping, fencing, decorative walls, site improvement and trash enclosure and stand alone signs are considered as a match to the grant Cfr-6. Is this Commercial Development project ready to be implemented? Yes No Yes No • Is required funding in place? Total project budget Total Committed funds from other sources \$ (Verification data should be available upon request) Total CDBG funds requested Source of Committed funds Amount Total • Estimated time to implement the project if awarded funding: o 3 months o 6 months o 12 months More than 12 months **Budget** Bud-1. Who is responsible for maintaining your financial records? (Bookkeeper, accountant, treasurer, etc.) Position Name Phone Bud-2. What was the amount of the organization's total budget for its most recent fiscal year (for the entire organization)? \$ (Attach a copy of the financial statements for the most recent fiscal year as attachment #3) What was the amount of the total budget for the most recent fiscal year (for the proposed activity)?

Bud-3							
Bud-4							
Bud-5		When was the most recent audit, compilation, or review of your financial records completed? Date:					
Bud-6	List CI #Bud-6		since July, 2010. (If necessary, attach a	additional pages, and label as			
	DATE	CDBG/NOF Activity	Amt awarded	Balance Remaining (if any)			
Bud-7	=	currently have a contract What are term date(s) of the	with the city for CDBG/NOF funds? contract?	☐Yes ☐No			
Bud-8	If yes: 1	ou submitted CDBG/NOF Date last payment request wat period was the reimburser]Yes □No □NA			
Bud-9			ed since December, 2012. If necessary letter of credit, notarized award staten				
	DATE	Funding Source	Amount awarded, activities, etc	Balance Remaining (if any)			

Bud-10. Does the United Way fund this organization?		nnization?	Yes No		
Bud-1	Bud-11. Are all taxes paid to date?			Yes No	

Bud-12. Describe or provide documentation of an acceptable and accountable financial management system that minimizes any opportunity for fraud, waste, or mismanagement. Explain the proposed activity's fiscal management system, cash handling procedures, accounts payable, etc. Please use the space below

or attach a separate page labeled #Bud-12].

Certifications

To be signed and notarized by an authorized representative of the Board of Directors

- 1. I certify that I have read the "HUD Final Rule: Revised Church and State Regulations" as printed in the appendices, and that, if funded, all proposed activities shall be carried out in full compliance with the requirements of the U.S. Constitution regarding separation of church and state, and I commit the sponsoring organization to full compliance.
- 2. I certify that I have read the "HUD Conflict of Interest Regulations" as printed in the appendices, and that, if funded, all proposed activities shall be carried out in full compliance with HUD Conflict of Interest Regulations, and I commit the sponsoring organization to full compliance.
- 3. I certify that the Board of Directors of this organization is not majority family controlled or related by blood and/or marriage.
- 4. I certify that I have read and understand the notices and warnings listed above.
- 5. I certify that the information presented in this proposal is true.
- 6. I certify that the Board of Directors has authorized the submission of this CDBG/NOF proposal.
- 7. I certify that no persons or organizations associated with this CDBG/NOF proposal is on the HUD Debarment List.
- 8. I further certify that I have been authorized by the Board of Directors to execute these certifications on our behalf.

Signed:	Title:	
Date:Telephone:		
	ged before me this day of, 20, the	
Name	, the	
Organization Name	_, a non prom corporation on centari of the corpor	
Notary Public		

Attachment 14

HUD Conflict of Interest Requirements

The City of Detroit, Planning and Development Department has revised HUD's conflict of interest clause in all City of Detroit contracts. Please be aware, these requirements will apply if you are awarded a contract with the City of Detroit.

- a. The Contractor warrants that its participation in this contract will conform to the requirements of all the applicable Community Development Block Grant regulations including Sections 84.42, 85.36 and 570.611 of Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and further warrants that such participation will not result in any organizational conflict of interest. Organizational Conflict of interest is defined as a situation in which the nature of work under this contract and the Contractor's organizational, financial, contractual or other interests are such that:
 - 1. Award of the contract may result in an unfair competitive advantage; or
 - 2. The Contractor's objectivity in performing the contract work may be impaired.
- b. In the event the Contractor has an organizational conflict of interest as defined herein, the Contractor shall disclose such conflict of interest fully in the submission of the proposal and/or during the life of the contract.
- c. The Contractor agrees that if after award he or she discovers an organizational conflict of interest with respect to this contract, he or she shall make an immediate and full disclosure in writing to the Director and Executive Manager, which shall include a description of the action which the Contractor has taken or intends to take to eliminate or neutralize the conflict. The Planning and Development Department may, however, terminate the contract if it is in best interest of the City.
- d. In the event the Contractor was aware of an organizational conflict of interest before the award of this contract and intentionally did not disclose the conflict to the Planning and Development Department, the Planning and Development Department may terminate the contract for default.
- e. The provisions of this clause shall be included in all subcontracts and consulting agreements.
- f. No federal, state or local elected official nor any member of the City of Detroit Planning Commission or employee of the Planning and Development Department nor any corporation owned or controlled by such person, shall be allowed to participate in any share or part of this contract or to realize any benefit from it. This provision shall be construed to extend to this contract if made with a corporation for its general benefit.
- g. No member, officer, or employee of the City of Detroit Planning and Development Department, no member of the governing body of the City of Detroit or any other local government and no other public official of such locality or localities who exercises any functions or responsibilities with respect to the project, shall, during his or her tenure, or for one year thereafter, have any interest, direct or indirect, in this contract or the proceeds thereof.
- h. The Planning and Development Department reserves discretion to determine the proper treatment of any conflict of interest disclosed under this provision.

HUD FINAL RULE: REVISED CHURCH AND STATE REGULATIONS

Pursuant to Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and the implementing CDBG regulations at 24 CFR 570.200(j) dated September 30, 2003, the Sponsoring Organization agrees that, if awarded CDBG funds for eligible activities: a) It will not discriminate against any person applying for, or seeking to participate in, CDBG funded activities on the basis of religion and will not limit such services or give preference to persons on the basis of religion or religious belief; b) It will provide no religious instruction or counseling, conduct no religious worship or services, and engage in no religious proselytizing, in the provision of funded CDBG activities; c) If the organization conducts any religious activities, such activities must be offered separately in time or location from the funded CDBG activities and participation of beneficiaries of CDBG funded activities in any such religious activities must be wholly voluntary; d) If CDBG funds are received for public service activities, minor maintenance repairs may be made to the facility space in which public services are to be provided only in proportion to the CDBG funding allocation for the entire facility and to the extent to which the facility is used for secular, public service eligible purposes. Such space must not be a sanctuary, chapel or other room(s) used as a principal place of worship or for inherently religious activities.) No CDBG funds may be used to improve, acquire, construct, rehabilitate, repair or maintain a sanctuary, chapel or other rooms that a CDBG-funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship or for inherently religious activities. However, if CDBG funds are awarded for public facility rehabilitation, and space other than provided above is used, the CDBG funds may be used for rehabilitation of structures only to the extent and proportion that those structures are used for conducting eligible CDBG activities. CDBG funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible CDBG activities in accordance with cost accounting requirements of OMB Circular A-122.

DETROIT CITY COUNCIL CDBG PROPOSAL APPEALS PROCEDURE

Process for Appealing a City Council Funding Recommendation

The City Council Community Development Block Grant Appeals Hearing date will serve as a formal opportunity for applicants to appeal the funding recommendations made to City Council. All applicants who applied for funding will receive a letter of notification of the date, time, and location for the Appeals Hearing. Appeals may only be made by those organizations that were not recommended for funding. Appeals are to be made in writing using the attached form (attachment B). The form is to be submitted on the day of the hearing at the registration table. Organizations are asked to retain a copy of the form for your records. Final decisions will not be made on the day of the appeal, but they will be addressed during the Council's deliberations. Any applicant making an appeal after the appeals hearing or desiring to appeal the decisions of the City Council may make such an appeal through the office of the City Clerk utilizing the normal petition process.

City of Detroit City Council 2014-2015 Community Development Block Grant/Neighborhood Opportunity Funds (CDBG/NOF)

APPEAL REQUEST FORM

(Only those organizations not recommended for funding are eligible to make an appeal.)

Name of organization:		
What activity did you apply for? (Circle all the Public Service Homeless Public Service		Commercial Façade Rehab
If you applied for more than one activity whice appeals form will be needed for each activity.	•	are you appealing? (A separate
What type of service does your organization petc.)	provide? (Ex. senior meals, ;	youth tutoring, new construction,
Please explain your understanding of the reason	on your organization was no	ot recommended for funding.
In the space provided below, state your reason funding.	•	you should be recommended for
Name:(Please print)	Title:	(Please print)
` ,	.	
Signature:	Date:	

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

Ц	1: NONPROFIT DESIGNATION
	 2. At least one proof that the organization has operated a program or project activity for at least one year. Label as ATTACHMENT 2: OPERATING PROOF. Proof must be dated during calendar year 2013 and consist of ONE of the following: Annual Report of sponsoring organization describing program accomplishments; Program or project evaluation report or letter from outside evaluator; Performance report made to an outside funding source, e.g. Exhibit E of NOF contract with City of Detroit; Minutes of Board of Directors meeting containing performance status/update of program activity; Article in newspaper or publication of general circulation describing organizational program or activities.
	3. To demonstrate financial standing and capacity provide a copy of your financial statement including income and expense report and balance sheet for your most recent fiscal year, labeled as <u>ATTACHMENT 3</u> , <u>FINANCIAL STATEMENT</u> . This statement should reflect the annual expenses indicated on Bud-2
	4. At least (3) three, signed support letters dated after January 1, 2013 Letters from program recipients or community organizations/agencies providing similar services and/or serving a similar population indicating the impact this program has had on the client or their families are ideal. (These letters MUST be dated after January 1, 2013 and should clearly indicate the need for the program, the impact of the program, efforts that you have made to collaborate and/or the reasons the sponsoring organization is an appropriate agency as an agent or operator of the program. These letters should include the name, address, and signature of the author. (It is recommended that at least one of the support letters should be from a program recipient or participant) Label these letters as ATTACHMENT 4: SUPPORT LETTERS
	5. If you are incorporated, a copy of your most recent State of Michigan Annual Nonprofit Report , labeled as <u>ATTACHMENT 5: ANNUAL REPORT</u> . Updates should have been filed in October, 2013.
	6. A copy of your organization's certificate of incorporation with the State of Michigan labeled <u>ATTACHMENT 6: CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION.</u>
	7. A copy of your organization's recent Bank Statement to show proof of operating cash (<i>within past 3 months</i>) ATTACHMENT 7: BANK STATEMENT (For PFR ONLY)
	8. Copy of deed or long-term lease for building, or if unavailable, a statement of explanation labeled as ATTACHMENT 8: PROOF OF OWNERSHIP (FOR PFR ONLY)
	9. Copies of certified financial commitments from business owners who want to be a part of the Commercial Rehabilitation Project labeled as <u>ATTACHMENT 9: FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS (FOR CFR ONLY)</u>
	10. Copies of commitment letters from business owners who want to be a part of the Commercial Rehabilitation Project, labeled as ATTACHMENT 10: COMMITMENT LETTERS (FOR CFR ONLY)
	11. Copies of your most recent health department, fire marshal, and building inspection reports or if unavailable, a statement of explanation, labeled as <u>ATTACHMENT 11: INSPECTION REPORTS</u>

- 12. A copy of the most recent City property tax statement(s) for the facility to be rehabilitated, labeled as ATTACHMENT 12: PROPERTY TAX
- 13. A copy of a Master Rehabilitation Plan building assessment to be prepared by a registered (in the state of Michigan) architect/engineering consultant, labeled as ATTACHMENT 13: Master Rehabilitation Plan. See pages 15-16 for more information. NOTE: If you submitted an MRP last year, you must submit an updated copy of it this year. Copies may be submitted for three consecutive years before a new MRP must be completed.

☐ 14. Read attachment 14: Conflict of Interest Regulations. 15. Read attachment 15: Church and State Regulations. ☐ 16. Read Appeals Processes □ 17. Sign Certification on page 23. FINALLY, if your organization has had an audit, please attach ONE COPY OF THE MOST RECENT

AUDIT TO THE ORIGINAL COPY of this proposal. (You do not need to provide 3 copies of the audit.)