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Hudson County Board of Commissioners approved the County of Hudson to award \$5,063,327 from the United States Department of Housing and Community Development Grant to organizations for them to provide Rapid Rehousing, various programs, and services to the homeless in Hudson County.

Jersey City-The Hudson County Board of Commissioners approved the County of Hudson to award \$5,063,327 from the United States Department of Housing and Community Development Grant to organizations for them to provide rapid rehousing, various programs, and services to homeless in Hudson County.

The purpose of this rapid rehousing program is to provide rental assistance to house at least 50 individuals and or families for up to two years. To be eligible, these individuals will be literally homeless, moving from streets, shelters, or motel placements and able to sustain the housing after the assistance ends. Households will receive support services to help move them to self- sufficiency.

This program will also help to provide services that include medical care, essential support services and social services programs for the homeless in Hudson County.

The program year shall run from July 1, 2023, to June 30, 2030.

The following are the 2023 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Projects that total \$2,017,843.

Municipality/Organization: Garden State Episcopal CDC, Hudson CASA Homeless Coordinated Entry, \$50,000, Collaborative Support Programs of NJ, Hudson Center Homeless Services, \$37,500, House of Faith, Transitional Housing Operations, \$10,000, ACT Now, Alzheimer's Care Project, \$15,000, Literacy NJ West Hudson, ESL and Adult Literacy Program, \$15,000, Save Latin America, Community Resource Center, \$20,650, Salvation Army, Food Pantry, \$13,050, CASA, CASA program, \$13,500, Big Brothers, Big Sisters, Youth Mentoring Program, \$30,000, Grace Theatre Workshop, \$8,500, Hudson Pride, Youth Connect, \$11,000, Kennedy Dancers, After School Dance Program, \$10,000, Waterfront Project, Housing and Legal Advocacy, \$25,000, Borough of East Newark, Senior Services, \$25,000, Town of Guttenberg, Park Avenue & 70th Street Improvements, \$85,640, Town of Harrison, Policemen's Playground Improvements, \$107,427, Town of Kearny, Chestnut & Garfield Avenue Improvements, \$392,845, Town of Secaucus, Dorigo Lane Improvements, \$87,231, Township of Weehawken, Louisa Park Improvements, \$185,349, Town of West New York, Washington Park Improvements, \$433,107, Waterfront Project, Advocacy Administration, \$25,000, HC Division of Housing and Community Development, Administrative Funding, \$25,000, and 2023 Program Reserves, \$18,476.

The 2023 Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Projects total \$183,328. The following organizations will receive the funds. Garden State Episcopal, Hudson Rapid Re-Housing, \$77,750, Garden State Episcopal, Street Outreach, \$68,000, and PERC, PERC Shelter, \$37,578.

The 2023 HOME Projects total \$2,862,156. The following organizations received the HOME Projects funds. Community Housing Development Organizations-Reserves, \$429,324, Rental and Homeowner Housing Production, \$2,146,618, and Program Administration, \$286,215.

Chairman Anthony Romano, the Board of Commissioners and the County of Hudson are committed to providing the necessary support and social services to assist the homeless of Hudson County.

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