

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE City Council Meeting of: July 21, 2021

Agenda Item No.: **12**

CONSENT

DEPARTMENT: Community Services DIRECTOR: Kathi Thomas

SUBJECT:

For possible action to approve an allocation of \$15,668,695 in Emergency Rental Assistance Round 2 (ERA2) funds to the City of Las Vegas by the United States Department of the Treasury to support housing stability for renters at risk of eviction - All Wards

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

The City of Las Vegas will utilize \$15,668,695 of the United States Department of the Treasury ERA2 funds to support housing stability for renters at risk of eviction to include, but not limited to, payment of rents and rent arrears, utility assistance, moving expenses, eviction prevention and diversion programs, helping families experiencing homelessness gain access to assistance, outreach activities, and administration costs.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Mayor and City Council to approve the ERA2 allocation and authorize the Mayor to execute any and all related agreements and documents required for the projects, programs, and awards following approval as to form by the City Attorney. Staff also recommends the Director of Community Services be authorized to execute documents related to the award of unallocated funds and reprogram unspent funds in the event that funds are recaptured in accordance with eligible ERA2 program guidelines.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Summary of Total ERA2 Allocations