PRIORITY NEEDS LIST

HOUSING RELATED PRIORITY NEEDS

- H-1. <u>Affordable Rental Housing</u>-Expand housing opportunities for lower income households through an increase in the supply of decent, safe and affordable rental housing and of rental assistance.
- H-2. <u>Affordable Ownership Housing</u>-Increase homeownership opportunities for lower income households.
- H-3. Affordable Housing Preservation-Maintain and preserve affordable housing stock.
- H-4. Public Housing-Improve the public housing stock.
- H-5. <u>Continuum of Care</u>-Adopt the Continuum of Care Plan as the overall approach to addressing homelessness in the City and the Consortium.
- H-6. <u>Homeless Shelters/Housing</u>-Assist the homeless and those at risk of becoming homeless by helping to provide emergency and transitional housing, permanent affordable housing, and appropriate supportive services.
- H-7. <u>Supportive Housing</u>-Increase the supply of appropriate and supportive housing for special needs populations.
- H-8. Reduce Housing Discrimination-Alleviate problems of housing discrimination.
- H-9. Reduce Development Constraints-Remove constraints to affordable housing development.

NON-HOUSING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT RELATED PRIORITY NEEDS

- CD-1. <u>Economic Development</u>-Reduce the number of persons below the poverty level, expand economic opportunities for low- and moderate-income residents, and increase the viability of neighborhood commercial areas.
- CD-2. <u>Infrastructure/Public Facilities</u>-Maintain quality recreational, public facilities, and adequate infrastructure and ensure access for the mobility impaired.
- CD-3. <u>Accessibility Improvements</u>-Continue to identify and address physical access barriers to public facilities and infrastructure as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- CD-4. <u>Homeless Services</u>-Reduce incidence of homelessness and assist in alleviating the needs of the homeless.
- CD-5. <u>Special Needs/Prevention</u>-Ensure access to programs that promote prevention and early intervention related to a variety of social concerns such as domestic violence, HIV/AIDS, substance abuse, and illiteracy.
- CD-6. <u>Special Needs/Services</u>-Ensure that opportunities and services are provided to improve the quality of life and independence for person with special needs such as frail elderly, disabled

- persons, abused children, those with substance abuse problems, illiterate adults, battered spouses, and persons with HIV/AIDS.
- CD-7. <u>Communities</u>-Target resources to underserved areas to ensure that the community and neighborhoods are safe and provide a high quality of life.
- CD-8. <u>Families</u>-Promote and support programs that assist families to be safe, stable, and nurturing.
- CD-9. <u>Seniors</u>-Enhance the quality of life of senior citizens and enable them to maintain independence.
- CD-10. Youth-Increase opportunities for children/youth to be healthy, succeed in school and prepare for productive adulthood.
- CD-11. <u>Historic Preservation</u>-Preserve and protect historic properties for the use and enjoyment of citizens, primarily of lower income, or to eliminate conditions of blight.
- CD-12. <u>Fair Housing</u>-Continue to promote fair housing activities and affirmatively further fair housing.