

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2022-720

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: September 27, 2022

Committee(s) of Reference: NCSPHS, F

Date of Analysis: September 29, 2022

Type of Action: Appropriation; approving positions

Bill Summary: The bill reappropriates \$280,117.66 in Community Development Block Grant - Disaster Recovery funds originally appropriated by Ordinance 2022-165-E for forgivable loans, to reallocate the funds for salaries and benefits for four full-time equivalent positions within the CDBG-DR program. It approves the four FTEs within the CDBG-DR program to be funded from this appropriation.

Background Information: Ordinance 2022-165-E appropriated \$1.5 million in Community Development Block Grant - Disaster Recovery funds for Hurricane Matthew-related forgivable loans for housing repair and rehabilitation purposes for low- and moderate-income households. This bill reappropriates \$280,117.66 of that funding to pay the salaries and benefits of 4 employees working in the CDBG-DR program from a single source at one time in order to alleviate the need to make monthly transactions to reallocate funding from multiple CDBG-DR grants to cover the salaries and benefits for those employees. This single appropriation promotes sound grant reporting and should minimize the opportunity for processing errors posed by multiple monthly transactions.

Policy Impact Area: Grant accounting

Fiscal Impact: None

Analyst: Clements