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CITY COUNCIL

GABRIELA SANTIAGO-ROMERO
COUNCIL MEMBER, DISTRICT 6

MEMORANDUM

TO: Rico Razo, Deputy Director
Housing and Revitalization Department

THRU: Council Member Mary Sheffield, Council President

FROM: Council Member Gabriela Santiago-Romero *GR*

DATE: February 6, 2024

RE: Income Requirements for CDBG-DR Basement Backup Protection Program

The CDBG-DR Basement Backup Protection Program is designed to provide relief for homeowners impacted by the June 25-26, 2021 flood event through sewer infrastructure improvements. The program requires residents to be at or below 80% of the Area Median Income (AMI), as determined annually by HUD, to be eligible. However, residents of all income levels were impacted by the floods.

1. Please explain why there is an income restriction for this program.
2. Will there be additional funding opportunities for residents above the 80% AMI?

Please do not hesitate to contact my office if you have any questions. Thank you.

Cc: Honorable Detroit City Council
Louise Jones, City Clerk's Office
Malik Washington, City Council Liaison

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