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Office of Budget

July 1, 2024

The Honorable Detroit City Council
ATTN: City Clerk Office
200 Coleman A. Young Municipal Center
Detroit MI 48226

RE: Request to Accept and Appropriate the FY 2024 Community-Wide Assessment Grant

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has awarded the City of Detroit Buildings, Safety Engineering, and Environmental Department with the FY 2024 Community-Wide Assessment Grant for a total of \$500,000.00. There is no match requirement. The total project cost is \$500,000.00.

The objective of the grant is to perform environmental assessments in Detroit, focusing on brownfield properties near or adjacent to the Joe Louis Greenway. The funding allotted to the department will be utilized to hire two environmental contractors, and pay for a community liaison stipend, travel and supplies.

If approval is granted to accept and appropriate this funding, the appropriation number is 21414.

I respectfully ask your approval to accept and appropriate funding in accordance with the attached resolution.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:

Jerri Daniels

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Director of Grants, Office of Development and Grants

CC:

Sajjiah Parker, Assistant Director, Grants



Office of Development and Grants

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Buildings, Safety Engineering, and Environmental Department is requesting authorization to accept a grant of reimbursement from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, in the amount of \$500,000.00, to perform environmental assessments on brownfield properties in Detroit focusing on neighborhood commercial corridors near or adjacent to the Joe Louis Greenway; and

WHEREAS, this request has been approved by the Office of Budget; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Director or Head of the Department is authorized to accept and/or execute the grant agreement on behalf of the City of Detroit, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Budget Director is authorized to establish Appropriation number 21414, in the amount of \$500,000.00, for the FY 2024 Community-Wide Assessment Grant.



OFFICE OF BROWNFIELDS AND LAND REVITALIZATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

May 20, 2024

The Honorable Michael Duggan Mayor of Detroit 2 Woodward Avenue, Suite 1126 Detroit, MI 48226

Dear Mayor Duggan:

On behalf of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), I am pleased to congratulate you and confirm that the City of Detroit was selected as one of the entities EPA will begin negotiations with to award a cooperative agreement for an Assessment Grant. The City of Detroit submitted an outstanding application, and we deeply appreciate the tremendous commitment of time and energy that went into its preparation.

Since its inception in 1995, EPA's Brownfields Program has worked to help states, Tribal Nations, and communities around the country clean up and revitalize brownfield sites. We fully expect that these brownfield projects will provide benefits to the environment and economy of local communities. Ashley Green, your Regional Brownfields Contact, will work closely with the City of Detroit to negotiate the cooperative agreement prior to the grant award. You may contact Ashley Green at 312-886-6054 or green.ashley@epa.gov.

Again, congratulations on being selected! We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Patricia Overmeyer, Acting Director
Office of Brownfields and Land Revitalization

cc: Ashley Green
Anita Harrington

FY 2024 Brownfield Multipurpose, Assessment, and Cleanup Grant Selections FY 2024 Brownfield Revolving Loan Fund Supplemental Selections

Applicant/Recipient Name	Type of Application/Request	Site Name	Approved Funding	ıg
	Region 5			
	Illinois			
Chicago Southwest Development Corporation, IL	Cleanup	Former Washburne Trade School Parcel	\$2,000,000	*
Cook County Department of Environment and Sustainability, IL	RLF Supplemental	Community-Wide	\$950,000	*
Decatur, IL	Assessment	Community-wide	\$500,000	
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency	RLF Supplemental	Community-Wide	\$3,500,000	*
Mendota, IL	Cleanup	Former Campbell Cleaners Property	\$1,270,305	*
Moving Pillsbury Forward, Springfield, IL	Cleanup	Buildings B, C, D, and G of the Former Pillsbury Plant	\$2,652,300	*
North Central Illinois Council of Governments	Assessment	Community-wide	\$1,500,000	
Rockford, IL	RLF Supplemental	Community-Wide	\$3,500,000	*.
South Beloit, IL	Cleanup	Former Mannino Property	\$1,461,005	*
Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, IL	Assessment	Community-wide	\$500,000	
	Indiana			
Crawfordsville, IN	Assessment	Community-wide	\$400,000	_
DeKalb County, IN	Assessment	Community-wide	\$500,000	
Fort Wayne Redevelopment Authority, IN	Cleanup	Former OmniSource South Property	\$2,000,000	*
Indiana Finance Authority	RLF Supplemental	Community-Wide	\$1,000,000	*.
Michiana Area Council of Governments, IN	Assessment	Community-wide	\$1,500,000	
	Michigan			
Bay Mills Indian Community, MI	Cleanup	Silver Dome Site	\$575,000	*
Calhoun County Land Bank Authority, MI	Assessment	Community-wide	\$1,500,000	
Detroit, MI	Assessment	Community-wide	\$500,000	
Lenawee Chamber Foundation, MI	Assessment	Community-wide	\$500,000	
Macomb County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, MI	RLF Supplemental	Community-Wide	\$1,000,000	*.
Oakland County, MI	Assessment	Community-wide	\$1,500,000	
South Haven, MI	Assessment	Community-wide	\$300,000	
Tuscola County Economic Development Corporation, MI	Assessment	Community-wide	\$600,000	
	Minnesota			
Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development	RLF Supplemental	Community-Wide	\$1,000,000	*.

* Bipartisan Infrastructure Law Funding