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COUNCIL COMMUNICATION City Manager's Office

GENERAL INFORMATION

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Roll Call No.:

Submitted by: Chris M. Johansen, Housing Services Director

SUBJECT—

Approval of the reallocation of \$43,500 of unexpended Weed & Seed funding from the Executive Office for Weed & Seed (EOWS).

SYNOPSIS—

Approval of the reallocation of \$43,500 of unexpended Weed & Seed funding for three Community Based/ Faith Based projects.

FISCAL IMPACT—

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION—

Approval.

BACKGROUND—

On August 25, 2003, by Roll Call No. 03-1976, Council authorized submitting an application for 2003-2004 Weed & Seed funding which was approved in the amount of \$225,000 and accepted by Council on August 9, 2004, by Roll Call No. 04-1697. In addition, at their meeting on August 9th, Council authorized and directed the City Manager to approve and execute the detailed work programs and written agreements with sub-recipient entities implementing all projects as reflected on **Exhibit A** (attached to roll call).

The Weed & Seed Steering Committee (WSSC) has reviewed the projects included on **Exhibit A** and determined that \$43,500 of 2003-2004 Weed & Seed funding remains unexpended and is available for reprogramming.

At their meeting on June 28, 2005, the WSSC recommended that the aforementioned \$43,500 of 2003-2004 Weed & Seed funding be reallocated for three Community Based/Faith Based projects as reflected on **Exhibit B** (attached to roll call) which includes the Safe Village Academic Enhancement Program (St. Paul A.M.E. Church), Willkie House After School Program (Willkie House, Inc.) and CFUM After School and All Day Programming (Children and Family Urban Ministries) projects.