

Meeting Date: 5/24/2011



Agenda Item # 8B

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

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Type of Item: Public Hearing Resolution
 Ordinance First Reading Discussion & Action
 Ordinance Second Reading Council Approval

Subject: Community Development Block Grant 2011 submittal

BACKGROUND: Each year, Orange City is required to prepare an Annual Plan and a Five-Year Budget Projection to secure funding through the federal program known as the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG).

A public hearing took place on March 9, 2011 to receive citizen comments and input. Staff and Councilmembers were in attendance, with no additional attendees. The CDBG area of eligibility is primarily based upon criteria to benefit low or moderate income persons, to benefit specific persons presumed low or moderate income, or to prevent or eliminate slum and blight.

The five year plan is a planning tool, and actual allocation of dollars will be determined as needs and priorities are reviewed each year. All funds can be redistributed as deemed necessary. If funds are not utilized in a timely manner they may be forfeited, and redistributed to another agency.

It is projected that Orange City will receive \$56,120 for FY 2011/12. Upon securing City Council's decision, one of the following project will be submitted for inclusion in Volusia County's FY 2011/12 Action Plan submittal to HUD:

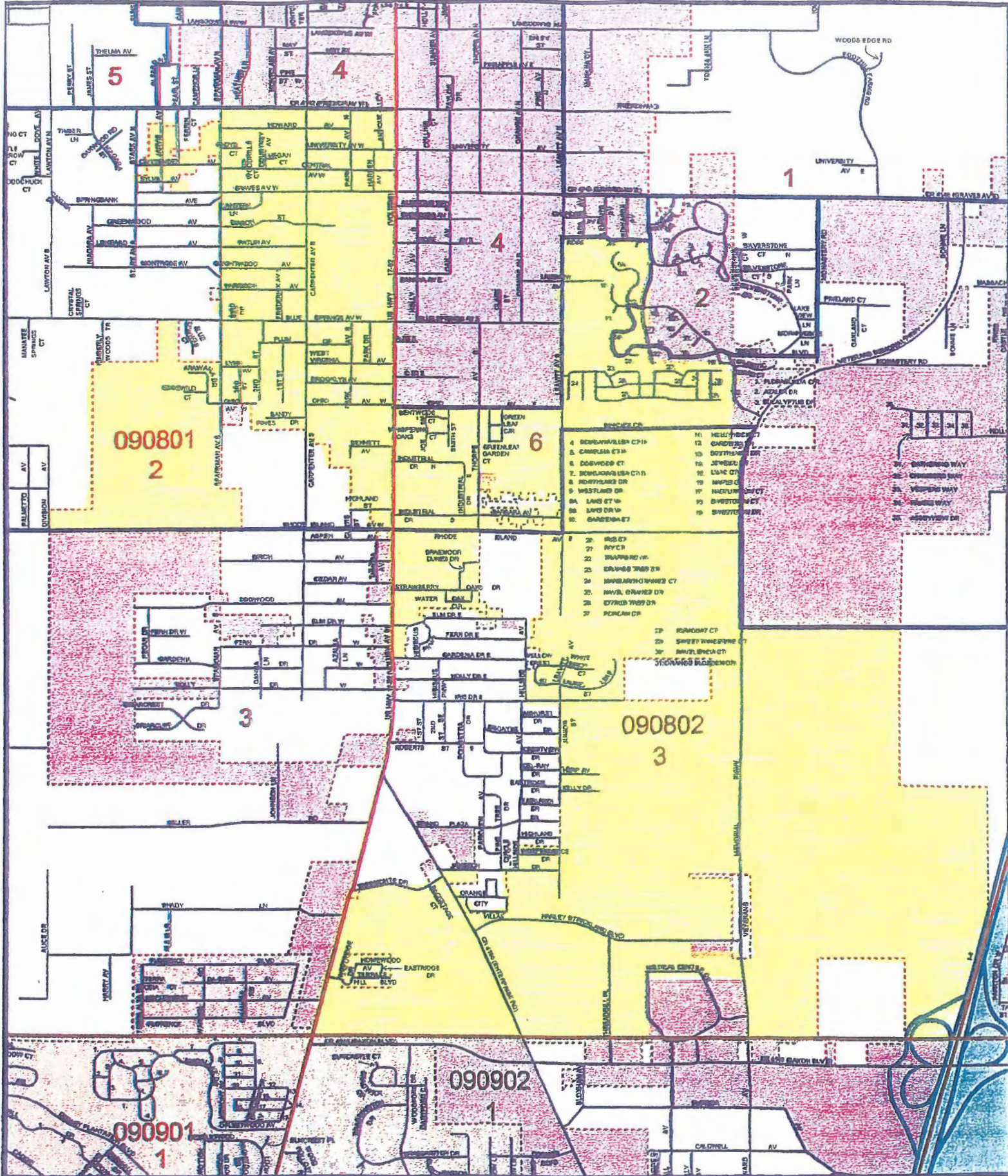
- Sidewalk improvements/ installation of sidewalks to ADA standards -- Total anticipated expense \$ 56,120
1. Southside Harley Strickland Blvd from Veterans Memorial Parkway to Hospital Entrance (1146 linear feet)
 2. Southside Harley Strickland Blvd from Hospital Entrance to Threadgill (950 linear feet)

RECOMMENDATIONS: City Council approval of the 2011/12 Annual Plan and Five-Year CDBG Budget Projections.

ATTACHMENTS: None

FINANCIAL IMPACT: Receive estimated \$56k in reimbursable grant revenue.

Reviewed by City Attorney _____
Reviewed by Finance Dept. _____
Reviewed by: _____



Orange City

- Census Tract
- Census Blockgroup
- City Boundary
- 51% or Greater Low-mod Income

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