

**RESOLUTION 25-2010**

**RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BENSON, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR FY 2010 STATE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS**

WHEREAS, the City of Benson is desirous of undertaking community development activities; and

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona is administering the Community Development Block Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the State CDBG Program requires that CDBG funds requested address one of the three Congressional mandated National Objectives; and

WHEREAS, the activities within these applications address the community's identified housing and community development needs, including the needs of low and moderate income persons; and

WHEREAS, an Applicant of State CDBG funds is required to comply with the program guidelines and Federal Statutes and regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Mayor and Council of the City of Benson, Arizona, authorize application to be made to the State of Arizona, Department of Housing for FY 2010 CDBG funds, and authorize the Mayor to sign the application and contract or grant documents for receipt and use of these funds for the reconstruction of 5<sup>th</sup> Street between Ocotillo and Quarterhorse Streets; and/or for a drainage study in the low/moderate income area known as North Benson, to be written and administered by SEAGO for a fee not to exceed 12% of the total allocation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this application for State CDBG funds meets the requirements of low- and moderate-income benefit for activities justified as benefiting low and moderate income persons, aids in the prevention or elimination of slum and blight or addresses an urgent need which poses a threat to health; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Benson will comply with all State CDBG Program guidelines, Federal Statutes and regulations and applicable to the State CDBG Program and the certifications contained in these applications.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that City staff are authorized and directed to take all actions necessary and appropriate to complete the application process and administer the projects identified therein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Benson, Arizona, this 12th day of April, 2010.



MARK M. FENN, Mayor

ATTEST:



VICKI L. VIVIAN, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



MICHAEL J. MASSEE, City Attorney