

Hallandale Beach Community Redevelopment Agency Board of Directors Meeting

Agenda Cover Memo Resolution **Meeting Date:** January 29, Item Type: Ordinance Other 2018 Χ 1st Reading 2nd Reading **Fiscal Impact: Ordinance Reading:** Yes No **Public Hearing:** Χ Yes No Yes No Χ Χ **Advertising Requirement: Funding Source:** Land Yes No Acquisition Χ 5910-561000 Account Balance: \$1,306,000 **Project Number:** 16305 RFP/RFQ/Bid Number: Strategic Priority (Enter X in box): Contract/P.O. Required: Yes No **Capital Improvements** Χ Goal 1 - Undertake Total Improvements of Public Realm Goal 2 - Promote Public/Public and Public/Private Partnership **Promote Projects with Large-Scale Impacts** Goal 1 - Issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for **NW** infill Housing Goal 2 - Issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Dixie Highway/Foster Road parcel **Priority Area:** North West Quadrant **FEC Corridor** Southwest Quadrant Northeast Quadrant Southeast Quadrant **Sponsor Name: Roger Carlton** Department: **HBCRA HBCRA** Executive Director



Short Title:

A RESOLUTION OF CHAIR AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE HALLANDALE BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF SALE LISTING AGREEMENT BETWEEN PRIME REALTY ADVISORY GROUP, INC. AND THE HALLANDALE BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF SALE LISTING AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO TAKE ALL STEPS NECESSARY AND APPROPRIATE TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF SALE LISTING AGREEMENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Staff Summary:

Background:

As part of the Hallandale Beach Community Redevelopment Agency (HBCRA) Implementation Plan, the HBCRA pursues property acquisitions for redevelopment opportunities in the area, which assist in economic development and improvement of property values. Additionally, the HBCRA is at the final stages of completing Phase II of the Infill Housing Project. Two housing units are still under construction by Stuart and Shelby and are expected to be completed in March and October 2018. Further, the HBCRA has identified 373 vacant parcels in the CRA area, some of which could potentially be purchased in order to develop future affordable/workforce housing projects. These can be single family homes or multifamily for both affordable and market rate housing opportunities. A presentation was made to the City Commission and the HBCRA Board of Directors on Janaury 10,2018 (Exhibit #3).

The HBCRA has successfully been working with PRAG Realty, which was engaged through an RFP Process on December 2015 (RFP # FY2014-2015-CRA001). PRAG has represented the HBCRA with the sale of the In-Fill housing units and property acquisitions, specifically for the following tasks:

- Market housing units to low and moderate income first time homebuyers using various methods
- Facilitate buyers in obtaining 1st mortgages
- Assist buyers through inspection, appraisal and all lender requirements
- Coordinate transaction and closing between buyer, lender and HBCRA
- Perform all functions of Real Estate Agent to keep the transaction flowing, meeting requirements of lender, title companies, HBCRA and the City
- Install lockbox at the properties and provide access when necessary
- Liaison between HBCRA staff and seller through closing and provide assistance to facilitate closing transactions



- Provide status of all activities performed related to the contract
- Provide full realtor services for other properties that the HBCRA may wish to purchase or dispose, and
- Inspections walkthroughs, closings, HBCRA Board meetings and related meetings.

PRAG Realty is a full service Real Estate firm brokered by Ms. Dawn Williams-Bobo who has over 20 years of experience in the real estate industry. Ms. Williams-Bobo has extensive experience with affordable housing programs and government agencies. Additionally, PRAG Realty has working experience and knowledge on performing realtor services for the City of Tamarac since 2010 for property acquisition, management and sales to low-to-moderate income clients.

PRAG Realtors worked with the HBCRA for the sale of two units during the In-Fill Housing Phase I, and has successfully represented the Agency for the entire Phase II of the project. Additionally, Ms. Williams-Bobo has gone above and beyond to successfully finalize the acquisition of the properties assembled for the Icebox Project on NE 3rd Street. Ms. Williams-Bobo is reliable, dependable, professional, and possesses excellent customer service and communication skills. Therefore, staff recommends that the HBCRA continue working with PRAG Realtors for future real property acquisitions and disposal of HBCRA owned properties.

Fiscal Impact:

The realtor will be paid on a commission basis as properties are purchased or sold. The Fee for PRAG Realtors will continue to be 3% of sales price, or 4.5% (split 50/50) when an additional realtor is involved in the transaction. The HBCRA will pay 3% of the sales price (if the seller does not pay commission) when the CRA is purchasing.

Why Action is Necessary:

Pursuant to City of Hallandale Beach, procurement, Chapter 23, Section 23-6 Award of Contract, the City Manager shall have the authority to recommend to the City Commission award of contracts. The Hallandale Beach Community Redevelopment Agency has adopted the City's purchasing policy and has incorporated the same into their By-Laws.

The HBCRA recommends continuation of the services provided by PRAG Realtors to assist with real estate transactions. Accordingly, staff is requesting HBCRA Board of Directors approval of the continued retention of PRAG Realtors.



Proposed Action:

That the HBCRA Board of Directors approve the first amendment to exclusive right of sale listing agreement between Prime Realty Advisory Group, Inc. (PRAG) and the Hallandale Beach Community Redevelopment Agency; authorizing the Executive Director to execute the first amendment to exclusive right of sale listing agreement; and authorizing HBCRA staff to engage PRAG to pursue property acquisitions for the term of two additional years.

Attachment(s):

Exhibit 1 - Resolution

Exhibit 2 - First Amendment to Exclusive Right of Sale Listing Agreement

Exhibit 3- Workforce Housing Presentation

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