

## Neighborhood Activations Fund FAQs

1. **Question:** If our organization applies for this round (capped at \$10k), would that make us ineligible for the next round of funding which could take larger funding requests?

**Answer:** Organizations who apply for the \$10,000 pot will also be eligible for the larger competitive pot.

2. **Question:** Our organization has entered into a contract with the City for Neighborhood Business District project implementation but has not received operating support through HOMEBASE. Are we eligible for this program?

**Answer:** Yes. Community Development Corporations who have not received operating support through HOMEBASE but have had a direct contract with the City to implement an NBDIP project in the last five years are eligible if they are the only CDC within their neighborhood.

3. **Question:** Our organization does not have a resolution authorizing certain persons to handle the funds. Will this be a problem? Is that document the resolution that the bank has on file with authorized signatories? Or a board resolution as to whom is responsible for contracting, receiving funds from City etc.?

**Answer:** We are updating the application to modify this requirement. We will be using a standard form like the Authorized Signature Form for the Neighborhood Support Program.

4. **Question:** What is the deadline for applying?

**Answer:** There is no imminent deadline for applying. Funds will be made available through Invest in Neighborhoods in September of 2021. The City and Invest are working to ensure that all funds are allocated and expended by September of 2022.