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CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER
RESOLUTION NO 13-2011

A resolution to approve a project to provide afterschool tutoring and enrichment to children in the Queens Manor Apartments in the City of Mount Rainier, and information, referral, and family literacy programs to their families through the HIP Kids and Families Program. This resolution supports the application of HIP Services, Inc., [a non-profit organization certified by the Secretary of the State of Maryland,] to the State of Maryland to obtain Community Investment Tax Credits for the HIP Kids project. HIP Services will sell these credits to participating individuals and corporations to support the program.

WHEREAS, HIP Services, Inc., a non-profit organization, proposes to undertake the project described above (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, HIP Services, Inc., has applied to the Department of Housing and Community Development of the State of Maryland for approval of the project and an allocation of tax credits for business entities and individuals that contribute to the Project, under the Department's Community Investment Tax Credit Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mount Rainier approves the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Mount Rainier hereby expresses approval of the Project, as described above.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City of Mount Rainier this 6th Day of **September**, 2011.

Attest:

Jeannelle B. Wallace, City Manager

Malinda Miles, Mayor

Jimmy Tarlau, Council Member Ward 1

William Updike, Council Member Ward 1

Brent Bolin, Council Member Ward 2

Ivy R. Thompson, Council Member Ward 2

Housing Initiative Partnership

August 29, 2011

Ms. Wallace,

HIP Services, Inc. is applying for Community Investment Tax Credits in the amount of $50,000 to support operating and staff costs for our HIP Kids program in the Queens Manor Apartments in Mount Rainier. The program provides afterschool tutoring and enrichment to children in the Queens Manor Apartments, and information and referral and family literacy programs to their families through the HIP Kids and Families Program. HIP Services Inc. requests a resolution from the Mount Rainier City Council as part of the application process.

This resolution supports the application of HIP Services Inc., a nonprofit organization certified by the Secretary of State of Maryland, to the State of Maryland to obtain Community Investment Tax Credits for the HIP Kids project. HIP Services will sell these credits to participating individuals and corporations to support the program.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 301-699-1222. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Jocelyn D. Harris

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