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3 **Resolution Relating to**

Aubin, Siegel: Community Develop & Neighborhood Revitalization Com.

RESOLUTION

Sponsor(s): Councilors Adrian,
Neighborhood Revitalization Com.

Introduced: 05/07/12

Referred to: _____

Action: _____

Date: _____

Signed by Mayor: _____

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7 AUTHORIZATION TO SUBMIT
8 2012 BURLINGTON CONSOLIDATED PLAN
9 ONE-YEAR ACTION PLAN

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12 **CITY OF BURLINGTON**

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14 In the year Two Thousand Twelve.....

15 Resolved by the City Council of the City of Burlington, as follows:

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17 That WHEREAS, the City of Burlington adopted a Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community
18 Development in May 2008 as part of federal requirements by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban
19 Development (HUD); and

20 WHEREAS, this Consolidated Plan covers two formula grant programs under which Burlington
21 receives funding, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Home Investment Partnership
22 (HOME); and

23 WHEREAS, the goal of this Plan is to reduce poverty among the residents of Burlington by
24 directing resources to meet the social, economic and housing needs of Burlington's low and moderate
25 income citizens; and

26 WHEREAS, the Consolidated Plan was developed in accordance with the Citizen Participation
27 Plan included therein; and

28 WHEREAS, the City of Burlington is committed to fostering citizen participation in meaningful
29 decisions about their community; and

30 WHEREAS, the Citizen Participation Plan includes workshops, public meetings, and a citizen
31 advisory board; and

32 WHEREAS, the City of Burlington is required to develop a One-Year Action Plan which
33 describes how resources are expected to be used to address the priority needs and specific objectives of
34 this Consolidated Plan; and

35 WHEREAS, the availability of CDBG funds to implement the 2012 Action Plan for Housing &
36 Community Development was widely publicized; and

37 WHEREAS, the CDBG Advisory Board reviewed all CDBG applications for funding and
38 developed recommendations on the allocation of 2012 CDBG funds to assist with implementation of the
39 Action Plan; and

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2012 BURLINGTON CONSOLIDATED PLAN
ONE-YEAR ACTION PLAN

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17 WHEREAS, the proposed 2012 Action Plan for Housing & Community Development,
18 incorporating the recommendations of this Board, was published online on April 9, 2012 for public
19 comment; and

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21 WHEREAS, a duly warned public hearing was held on April 16, 2012, before the Mayor and City
22 Council to receive further input on the proposed 2012 Action Plan; and

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24 WHEREAS, federal funding for the CDBG and HOME programs may be reduced in December
25 2012 pursuant scheduled automatic federal budget reductions;

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27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor is authorized and directed to sign on
28 behalf of the City of Burlington the 2012 Burlington Action Plan for Housing & Community
29 Development and any and all assurances deemed necessary by the Department of Housing and Urban
30 Development; and

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32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby approves the expenditure of 2012
33 Community Development Block Grant and HOME Investment Partnership Act funds as described in the
34 2012 Action Plan for Housing & Community Development, subject to the availability of federal funds;
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37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby acknowledges the service offered to
38 the City of Burlington by the members of the CDBG Advisory Board in giving their time to evaluate
39 spending proposals and to make difficult decisions about allocating scarce resources to address pressing
40 needs.