LRB – RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS

JANUARY 13, 2009 AGENDA

ITEM 29, FILE #091044

FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

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File #091044 is a resolution relating to issuance and sale of general obligation bonds in the aggregate amount of \$11,254,220 for providing financial assistance to blight elimination, slum clearance, community development, redevelopment and urban renewal programs and projects.

Background and Discussion

- 1. The Comptroller's Office annually submits initial-borrowing resolutions for projects and programs approved in the adopted budget.
- The resolution authorizes the sale of general obligation bonds in the amount of \$11,254,220 for providing financial assistance to blight elimination, slum clearance, community development, redevelopment and urban renewal programs and projects.
- 3. The table below shows the projects and the amount of borrowing authorized by this resolution:

Capital Project	Amount
Development Fund	\$1,050,000
Business Improvement Districts	\$1,236,250
30 th St Industrial Corridor	\$7,000,000
(replace 2009 Tower Contingent Borrowing)	
Healthy Neighborhood Initiative	\$200,000
ADA Riverwalk Construction	\$1,167,970
Housing Infrastructure Preservation Fund	\$600,000
Total	\$11,254,220

Fiscal Impact

This resolution authorizes general obligation debt for the detailed specific purpose. The actual debt is issued pursuant to a separate General Obligation note or General Obligation Bond resolution. Until the actual structuring of the debt issue is determined by the Public Debt Commission, details relating to the long-term fiscal impact will not be known. Depending on actual sale date in 2010, a maximum of 6 months interest would be incurred during the year. If sold after July 1, 2010, there would be no fiscal impact in 2010.

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