

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 1071

By: Mass

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A Concurrent Resolution relating to use of Community Development Block Grant funds; recognizing importance of funds; directing certain allocation of funds; and providing for distribution.

WHEREAS, federal funds allocated to the State of Oklahoma for use in the Community Development Block Grant program are extremely important to the state's economic development efforts; and

WHEREAS, Community Development Block Grant funds can be utilized to enhance economic development in all areas of the State of Oklahoma, including areas which have traditionally been defined as rural in nature; and

WHEREAS, rural Oklahoma benefits greatly to the extent of reducing its dependence upon tax revenues and other public finance initiatives by the effective use of Community Development Block Grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Legislature recognizes the significance of economic activity which takes place in areas of the state which have traditionally been defined as rural in nature.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 44TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Department of Commerce is directed to allocate Community Development Block Grant funds for the current applicable fiscal year in a manner which maximizes the potential benefits to communities in the State of Oklahoma which are traditionally characterized as rural.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to the Director of the Oklahoma Department of Commerce, the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor and the executive director or other chief administrative officer of the following entities: the Association of Central Oklahoma Governments; the Association of South Central Oklahoma Governments; the Central Oklahoma Economic Development District; the Grand Gateway Economic Development Association; the Indian Nation Council of Governments; the Kiamichi Economic Development District of Oklahoma; the Northern Oklahoma Development Association; the Oklahoma Economic Development Association; the Southern Oklahoma Development Association; the Southwestern Oklahoma Development Association; and the Southwestern Oklahoma Development Authority.

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