



## Housing and Community Development Committee

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**Council Member Jolanda "Jo" Jones (Chair)**  
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**Ronald Green**  
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**District D**

### **AGENDA**

**Thursday, December 10, 2009, 2:00 P.M.**  
**City Hall Council Chambers, 901 Bagby, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

- I. Welcome – Council Member Jolanda "Jo" Jones, Chair
- II. The Face of Flooded Homes and the Community
- III. Housing and Community Development Security: The Impact of Flooding - Jim Blackburn, CEO of Blackburn Carter
- IV. David Godwin, with the City of Houston Housing and Community Development Department, will present on the following:
  - The City of Houston, through the Housing and Community Development Department (HCDD), is proposing to award Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds to the Vietnamese Community Center in the amount of \$400,000 for facility improvements.
  - HCDD is proposing to award CDBG funds in the amount of \$1,500,000 to be used for the acquisition, design, and construction of the Deluxe Theater. Through a partnership with the Fifth Ward Community Redevelopment Corporation and the Houston Public Library, the abandoned Deluxe Theater will be renovated into a library to meet the needs of the surrounding community.
  - HCDD is proposing to award CDBG funds to the Houston Food Bank in the amount of \$1,000,000 for the acquisition of a new warehouse and operations facility.
- IV. Public Comments
- V. Adjournment



Action may be taken on any of the above items. Committee meetings are open to the Public. For special needs or information about this committee, please contact Ingrid Flornoy or Pat McFarland at 832-393-3006

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