# Public Hearing for PRO Housing Funding Application



Town Council Meeting September 25, 2024

#### **Recommended Action**

Council adopt R-6 opening the public hearing.

Council adopt R-7 closing the public hearing

## Background & Context



- U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Pathways to Removing Obstacles to Housing (PRO Housing)
- \$100 million available, max award \$7 million
- Proposed activities implement the Affordable Housing Plan & Investment Strategy
- Public hearing required

## Affordable Housing Plan Recommendations

The Plan focuses on four goals that address and respond to the challenges in the housing market and prioritize racial equity:



REDUCE
BARRIERS TO
BUILDING
HOMES



EXPAND & PRESERVE AFFORDABLE HOMEOWNERSHIP

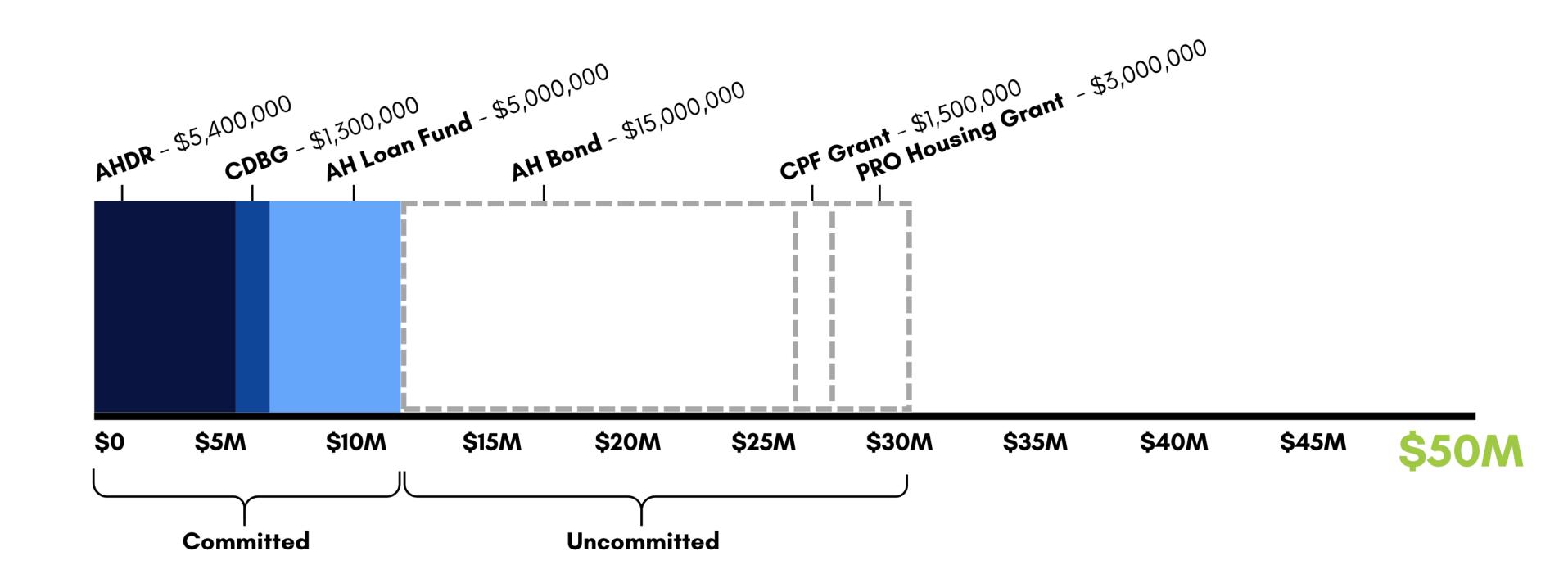


EXPAND &
PRESERVE
AFFORDABLE
RENTAL HOUSING



INCREASE STAFF & FUNDING CAPACITY

#### **Progress Toward Investment Strategy**



## Proposed Grant Activities

- 1. Provide gap financing to affordable housing
- 2. Subsidize housing costs for renters and owners
- 3. Land use planning and studies to support denser housing development

## Tradeoffs & Impacts

- Application due on October 15<sup>th</sup>
- Cannot submit the application if substantial amendments are requested at this hearing

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