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## M E M O R A N D U M

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**TO:** Hon. Mark D. Boughton via the Common Council  
**FROM:** Dena Diorio, Director of Finance and Personnel *Dena*  
**RE:** RESOLUTION – NEIGHBORHOOD ASSISTANCE ACT  
**DATE:** April 20, 2005

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Attached for your review is a resolution that will allow the agencies on the attached list (via the City of Danbury) to apply for and accept funding from the State of Connecticut Department of Revenue Services. This funding, provided through the Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act, will be in the form of tax credits for businesses, which contribute to community programs. No local match is required. The requested funding levels for each organization are attached.

A public hearing is required by the State of Connecticut before this resolution can be adopted. We ask that this item be referred for a public hearing.

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Attach.



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SERVICES



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TO: All Mayors and First Selectmen  
FROM: Pam Law, Commissioner   
DATE: March 1, 2005  
RE: 2005 Neighborhood Assistance Act - Program Applications

Enclosed is the 2005 Neighborhood Assistance Act program proposal application for distribution to interested organizations in your municipality. The application must be completed in full, approved locally, and submitted to the Department of Revenue Services (DRS) no later than **July 1, 2005**. Please note this deadline is set by statute.

For your convenience, a "fillable" **Form NAA-01, 2005 Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act (NAA) Program Proposal**, is available on the DRS Website at [www.ct.gov/DRS](http://www.ct.gov/DRS). Using the fillable **Form NAA-01** enables you and your community organization to input information directly onto the form from your computer.

Prior to your July 1 submission to DRS, your municipality must hold a public hearing on all programs, and the governing body of your municipality must vote to approve these programs. Copies of the public hearing notice and minutes of the meeting approving the programs must be submitted with your applications.

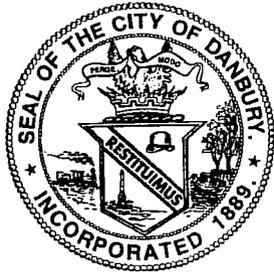
Please designate a liaison to handle all Neighborhood Assistance Act matters. You must enter the name, address, e-mail address, phone number, and fax number of your liaison in Part IV of the application. DRS will directly notify your liaison of the programs that have been approved. As you are aware, all approved programs are eligible for a 60% credit. You must notify your participating organizations accordingly as DRS will not contact them directly.

Direct any questions you have to Susan Sherman at 860-297-5687.

Enclosure

cc: Municipal Liaison (where previously designated)  
Connecticut Conference of Municipalities  
Councils of Government (7)

NAA-CVR  
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## RESOLUTION

CITY OF DANBURY, STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Danbury:

**WHEREAS**, the Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act Program is available for area non profits to submit applications for funding; and

**WHEREAS**, the Act provides tax credits for businesses which contribute to community programs having received both municipal and state approval; and

**WHEREAS**, certain local and area organizations are seeking to apply through Danbury for such tax credits; and

**WHEREAS**, no local matching funds are required; and

**WHEREAS**, said organizations and their requests are as set forth on the attached schedule.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the City of Danbury through its Common Council, hereby approves, subject to a public hearing as required by law, those organizations set forth in the schedule, for participation in the Neighborhood Assistance Program, and authorize Mark D. Boughton, Mayor of the City of Danbury to take such actions as may be necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes hereof.

City of Danbury

2005 Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act Program

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Abilitly Beyond Disability	Community Employment For People with Disabilities	\$ 150,000
Charles Ives Center for the Arts	Project Outreach	\$ 150,000
Danbury Children First Inc.	Brazilian Parent Support	\$ 20,000
Danbury Children First Inc.	Multi-Cultural Activities	\$ 20,000
Danbury Children First Inc.	Danbury Parent Leadership Training Institue	\$ 20,000
Danbury Regional Child Advocacy Center	Volunteer Menor Program	\$ 5,000
Danbury Regional Child Advocacy Center	Parent Aide Program	\$ 20,000
Danbury Regional Child Advocacy Center	Communication of Parent Effectiveness Skills (COPEs) Program	\$ 10,000
Danbury Youth Services	Youth & Family Counseling	\$ 20,000
Family and Children's Aid	Danbury Safe Home	\$ 50,000
Harambee	Computer Literacy Program	\$ 4,880
Harambee	Youth Tutoring Youth Program	\$ 23,600
Harambee	Theatre Arts Program	\$ 4,880
Hispanic Center of Greater Danbury	Life Skills/Anger Management	\$ 13,550
Hispanic Center of Greater Danbury	Computer Classes	\$ 20,150
Hispanic Center of Greater Danbury	Parenting Skills	\$ 13,550
John J. Driscoll United Labor Agency Inc	Senior Aides	\$ 35,000
Lions Club of Danbury	CT Radio Information Services-Danubury Location	\$ 10,000
Lions Club of Danbury	Danbury Low Vision Center	\$ 5,000
MCCA (Midwestern CT Council on Alcoholism Inc.)	MCCA/Sobering Center; MCCA/McDonoug House MCCA Outpatient Treatment	\$ 25,000
Regional YMCA of Western Connecticut	Boughton Street Facility Renovation	\$ 150,000
Regional YMCA of Western Connecticut	Escape to the Arts	\$ 60,000
United Way of Northern Fairfield County	Help for the Needy	\$ 150,000
		<b>\$ 980,610</b>