

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

RESOLUTION 87-08

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2008 PROGRAM YEAR ACTION PLAN AS
A PART OF THE CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION 2006 FIVE-YEAR
CONSOLIDATED PLAN FOR THE GRAND JUNCTION COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM**

Recitals.

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Junction was designated as an Entitlement Community by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development in 1996 when Mesa County's population reached 100,000;

WHEREAS, this designation entitles Grand Junction to an annual grant of funds under the CDBG Program;

WHEREAS, to be eligible for funding, the City of Grand Junction must submit an annual Program Year Action Plan to be adopted as part of the City's Five-Year Consolidated Plan which serves as a federally-required planning document that guides community development efforts in Grand Junction;

WHEREAS, the primary objective of the City's Consolidated Plan and CDBG Program is the development of viable urban communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low- and moderate-income;

WHEREAS, the planning process in developing the 2008 Program year Action Plan included an emphasis on Citizen Participation and interagency involvement;

WHEREAS, the 2006 Five-Year Consolidated Plan included a process of setting local priority needs and objectives through a coordinated effort with non-profit and government agencies in the community that serve the low income and special needs populations; and

WHEREAS, the 2006 Five-Year Consolidated Plan established a strategic plan that addresses the priority needs, goals and strategies identified by the community that will be undertaken between 2006 and 2010.

Adopted this 18th day of June, 2008.

/s/ Gregg Palmer
President of City Council

/s/ Stephanie Tuin
City Clerk