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TO : Johnny C. Johnson, Director

FROM : John E. Ferren, Economic Development Coordinator *JEF*

SUBJECT: Process Required for Funding Model Neighborhood, Inc.

On August 12 Dave Caldwell asked me what procedure should be followed by Model Cities to financially assist Model Neighborhood, Incorporated to the tune of \$6,000. Specifically, he asked me the following two questions:

1. What will be needed in the way of amendment to the EDA contract specifically to allow disbursement of \$6,000 to Model Neighborhood, Inc.?
2. The City has received \$25,000 of the EDA grant. It was received at the initial phase of the contract. How is the additional money requisitioned?

To get the answers to these questions, I called Scott Rutherford's office in Washington, D. C. and talked to Mr. Dan Herrington.

In answer to question one, Mr. Herrington said that because the remaining \$12,000 was not put in the original budget as a line item and was, therefore, uncommitted, the procedure to enable us to give Mr. Moody this money would be to have Model Neighborhood, Inc. submit a detailed statement on how they would expend these funds, if they had them. This would be submitted to our staff who would in turn submit this document along with either a recommendation or otherwise to Mr. Gordon Berry of EDA in Huntsville. Mr. Herrington suggested that we also send an unofficial copy to Scott Rutherford. He further suggested that we make certain that we would not need this money for line expenditures between now and March 31, 1969.

He was unable to answer question two, but said that he would like to look into it and give us an answer in the next couple of days.

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