Final Outcome Report

Date: 9/27/2021

The Final Outcome Report must be submitted at the same time as the Final FSR by the Grantee.

| Grant #: HDF-2020-5828-NEP | | |
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| Grant Begin Date: 5/1/2020 | Grant End Date: 9/30/2021 | |
| Grantee: City of Stanton | | |
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Questionnaire

| Questionnaire | |
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| Project Results Summary The NEP grant enhanced our Downtown, will increase property values and made a postivie visual impact in the community. | (SAMPLE RESPONSE) As a result of the NEP in Smithvale neighborhood, property values will increase. |
| What indicators were used to measure results? Curb appeal to homes is apparent, Downtown is now more appealing and bike friendly, sale prices of homes. | (SAMPLE RESPONSE) Home sale prices in the neighborhood. |
| How were the indicators measured? A visual difference in the homes from before and after, many business owners and community members pleased with bike racks placed Downtown, assessed home values have increased. | (SAMPLE RESPONSE) Compared the average sale price at the start of the NEP to the average price at the end of 2-1/2 years. |

What were the findings of the measurements including baseline data?

Increased curb appeal and positive visual impacts in the neighborhoods, increased value/bike accessibility to our Downtown.

(SAMPLE RESPONSE) Average sales price in the beginning was \$61,000; at the end was \$67,000.

What Lessons were Learned?

The visual impacts have brought up moral in the community as a whole, made neighborhoods more desirable to potential home buyers, and contributed to our goal of beautifying our Downtown. (SAMPLE RESPONSE) Not only have the sales prices increased, the time on the market has decreased. The homes we built had waiting lists as we built them; and other properties in the neighborhood are selling more quickly.

Leverage Funds Summary

\$ Amount: \$24,597 Funding Source: MSHDA NEP Grant

Brief Description:

The City of Stanton received a NEP grant for \$30,000 and utilized \$24,597 for neighborhood home improvements including new roofs, siding and decks. Also, for Downtown enhancement including bike racks and a bike repair station.

Handicap ramp built for: Sharon Blaisdell 726 East Lake Street, Stanton, Mi. 616-302-2125 Sblaisdell67@gmail.com





















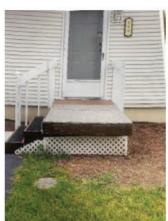


























BEFORE AFTER















Bike repair station located at the head of the Heartland Trail in town. Wave bike rack downtown. 4 smaller decorative bike racks through our downtown.





