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Date: December 17, 2021
To: Honorable Mayor Armitage; City Council
From: Erin LaPere, City Manager
Re: Resolution to authorize MOU with MDHHS and CACS

On the agenda for Council's approval is a resolution authorizing the city to participate in a reimbursement program through the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services. The Low Income Household Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP) provides critical nationwide emergency support and is a federally funded, State of Michigan facilitated, COVID-19 relief related assistance program that has been awarded to Capital Area Community Services, Inc. (CACS). CACS has been awarded \$1.5 million in direct assistance dollars to make water and sewer related payments on behalf of eligible residents in its four county service area. In order for eligible residents in the City of Charlotte to participate in this program, the City must enter into a Memo of Understanding (MOU) with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services and the CACS for reimbursement.

In addition to the resolution, I have included a copy of the MOU from the state and a flyer detailing the program.

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