

**FISCAL YEAR 2011 APPROPRIATIONS (HR 1473)  
Key Provisions Related to Mayoral Priorities**

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**I. CDBG AND HOUSING**

**Community Development Block Grant:** CDBG formula funding is cut 16.2 percent, from \$3.99 billion in FY 2010 to \$3.343 billion in FY 2011 (a \$647 million cut). HR 1 would have cut the program by 62.5 percent, down to \$1.5 billion.

**HOME Investment Partnerships Program:** Cut 12 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$1.825 billion, to \$1.606 billion.

**Public Housing Capital Fund:** Cut 18 percent below the FY 2010 level, to \$2 billion.

**Public Housing Operating Fund:** Cut three percent below the FY 2010 level, to \$4.6 billion.

**Section 8 Tenant-Based Rental Assistance:** Increased one percent above the FY 2010 level, to \$18.4 billion.

**Homeless Assistance Grants:** Increased two percent above the FY 2010 level, to \$1.9 billion.

**Sustainable Communities Initiative:** Cut 33 percent below the FY 2010 level, to \$100 million.

**II. ENERGY**

**Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grants (EECBG):** There is no funding in the FY 2011 bill for this Conference priority, a program authorized at \$2 billion annually to provide direct funding to cities and counties for energy efficiency/conservation initiatives.

**III. TRANSPORTION**

**TIGER Grants:** Cut 12 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$600 million, to \$528 million.

**High Speed Rail Grants:** Eliminated. Was funded at \$2.5 billion in FY 2010.

**Amtrak Operating:** Level funded at the FY 2010 level of \$563 million.

**Amtrak Capital:** Cut 8 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$1 billion, to \$922 million.

**Federal Transit Administration:** Funded at \$10 billion, \$710 million below the FY 2010 level.

**Transit New Starts Grants:** Cut 20 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$2 billion, to \$1.6 billion.

**Transit TIGGER Grants:** Cut 33 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$75 million, to \$50 million.

**Highway Trust Fund Programs:** Level funded at \$41.1 billion as in FY 2010.

**Highway General Fund Programs:** Eliminated. Was funded at \$943 million in FY 2010.

**Federal Aviation Administration:** Funded at \$16 billion, \$357 million above the FY 2010 level.

**Airport Improvement Program (AIP):** Level funded at \$3.5 billion as in FY 2010.

#### IV. PUBLIC SAFETY

**COPS Hiring Grants:** Cut 17 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$298 million, to \$247 million.

##### Law Enforcement:

- *Byrne Justice Assistance Grants:* Cut 17 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$511 million, to \$424 million.
- *Juvenile Justice Programs:* Cut 35 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$424 million, to \$276 million.
- *Weed and Seed Grants:* Eliminated. Was funded at \$20 million in FY 2010.

##### Homeland Security:

- *State Homeland Security Block Grants:* Cut 24 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$950 million, to \$725 million.
- *Urban Area Security Initiative Grants:* Cut 18 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$887 million, to \$725 million.
- *Transportation and Port Security Grants:* Both cut 17 percent, from \$300 million in FY 2010, to \$250 million.

**Fire Grants:** Level funded at \$810 million, with \$405 million going to SAFER hiring grants and \$405 million going to assistance to firefighter grants.

#### V. WORKFORCE

**Adults, Youth and Dislocated Worker Programs:** The bill provides a total of \$2.8 billion for job training state grants, which is \$182 million below the FY 2010 level. This funding was completely eliminated in HR. 1.

- *Adult Training:* Cut 10.5 percent, to \$771 million in FY 2011.
- *Dislocated Workers:* Cut 10 percent, to \$1.06 billion in FY 2011.
- *Youth Training:* Cut 10.4 percent, to \$827 million in FY 2011.

**Workforce Innovation Fund:** The bill provides \$125 million for a new program to encourage States and regional partnerships to engage in systemic reform to improve program outcomes. The Workforce Innovation Fund reduces the percentage cut in WIA State Grants from 10.34 percent (\$307 million) to a total net reduction of 6.13 percent (\$182 million).

**Job Corps:** Level funded at \$1.708 billion, while \$75 million in Job Corps construction funds is rescinded.

**Youthbuild:** Cut 22 percent (\$22.5 million), to \$80 million in FY 2011.

## VI. EDUCATION

**Title I:** Level funded at \$14.5 billion.

**Race to the Top:** Funded at \$700 million, which HR 1 did not fund.

**Career and Technical Education:** Cut 11 percent from the FY 2010 level of \$1.3 billion, to \$1.13 billion.

**GEAR-UP:** Cut 6.19 percent from the FY 2010 level of \$323 million, to \$303 million.

**Pell Grants:** The legislation does not contain a 15 percent cut to the maximum Pell Grant award that would have jeopardized the ability of millions of low- and middle-income students to receive a higher education. It provides \$23 billion for Pell grants, maintaining the maximum award of \$5,550, and eliminates “year-round Pell” which allows students to receive up to two Pell grants a year if they go to school year-round.

## VII. ARTS

**NEA:** The National Endowment for the Arts will be funded at \$155 million, which is a 7.5 percent cut from its current FY 2010 budget of \$168 million. Under HR 1, the proposed budget for NEA was \$124.5 million.

## VIII. ENVIRONMENT

**Clean Water State Revolving Fund:** Cut 27 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$2.1 billion, to \$1.525 billion.

**Drinking Water State Revolving Fund:** Cut 30 percent below the FY 2010 level of \$1.387 billion, to \$965 million.

**EPA Brownfields Site Assessment and Cleanup:** Level funded at \$100 million as in FY 2010.

**EPA Brownfields Assistance to the States:** Level funded at \$49.5 million as in FY 2010.

## IX. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Community Health Centers:** Cut 27 percent (\$600 million) below the FY 2010 level, to \$1.59 billion.

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Programs:** Cut 11 percent (roughly \$750 million) below FY 2010, to \$5.7 billion.

**Women, Infant and Children Program (WIC) Programs:** Cut 7 percent (\$504 million) below the FY 2010 level, to \$6.7 billion.

**Low-Income Heating Assistance Program (LIHEAP):** Cut 8 percent (roughly \$390 million) below the FY 2010 level, to \$4.7 billion.

**Community Services Block Grant Program (CSBG):** Cut \$43 million below the FY 2010 level, to \$703 million.

**Administration on Aging:** Cut \$16 million below FY 2010 level, to \$1.5 billion.

**Head Start and Early Head Start:** Increased \$340 million above FY 2010 levels to \$7.57 billion, which will allow the additional children funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) to continue to receive services.

**Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG):** Increased \$100 million above FY 2010 level, to \$2.22 billion.