



REQUEST FOR COMMISSION ACTION
CITY OF INDEPENDENCE
June 13, 2019

Department _____ **Housing** _____

Director Approval _____ *April Nutt*

AGENDA ITEM The Independence Housing Authority requests authorization to submit the annual Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA) Grant.

SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION Approve Request.

BACKGROUND The Independence Housing Authority (IHA) has administered a Tenant Based Rental Assistance grant since 1998. Since that time, over \$2.5 million has been received to assist some of our most vulnerable community members. IHA is currently assisting 47 families, and with this grant IHA should be able to assist 38 families over a 24-month period.

BUDGET IMPACT The Independence Housing Authority administers this program, therefore there is no budget impact for the City of Independence.

SUGGESTED MOTION I move to authorize the Independence Housing Authority submit the 2019 Tenant Based Rental Assistance Grant.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS 2019 TBRA Grant Application.