

March 24 ACAP Press Release

At its meeting on Wednesday evening March 23d, the Board of the Alameda County Community Action Program (“ACAP”) announced that its member agencies have agreed to contribute funds to be used to pay all employees the back pay that they are owed and to provide limited funds to provide staff to work on an orderly wind down of the agency.

The ACAP Board appointed Management Partners, Inc., to administer ACAP during the wind down period that will lead to the dissolution of the agency. Rich Ambrose, former Dublin City Manager, will lead the Management Partners efforts. Three senior employees of ACAP will work with Mr. Ambrose to close out ACAP activities. The wind down plan to be developed by Mr. Ambrose will address the other funding priorities and resources as well as how to transition continuing programs to other agencies or non-profit organizations. The expenditure of funds contributed by the member agencies will be coordinated by representatives of the Alameda County City Managers Association.

The Board also approved accepting up to \$45,860 from the State through the Community Services Block Grant program to pay up to that same amount to the six ACAP CSBG subcontractors for services they provided in January and February of 2011.

ACAP is cooperating with the State in the State’s designation of a new Community Action Program for Alameda County.