



Housing & Community Development

Community Grant Program

FY 2014-2015

City Commission

June 19, 2014

CGP Purpose

- Provide small grants to non-profits
 - Perform community service
 - Advance City goals
 - Serve a public purpose
 - Improve quality of life

CGP Purpose (Continued)

- \$125,000/yr. (10% for admin.)
- Max. grant: \$3,000/org./yr.
- AHAC recommendations
- Simple for applicants & staff
 - Specific, limited categories
- Broad distribution

CGP Eligible Activities

- Meals
- Temporary Housing
- Health Care
- Veterinary Care
- Utility Assistance
- Counseling & Training
- Transportation (eligible activities only)

CGP Eligible Organizations

- Registered FL non-profits
- 501(c)(3) status
- Located in the City
- Obtain all required licenses, approvals & permits for any CGP-funded activities

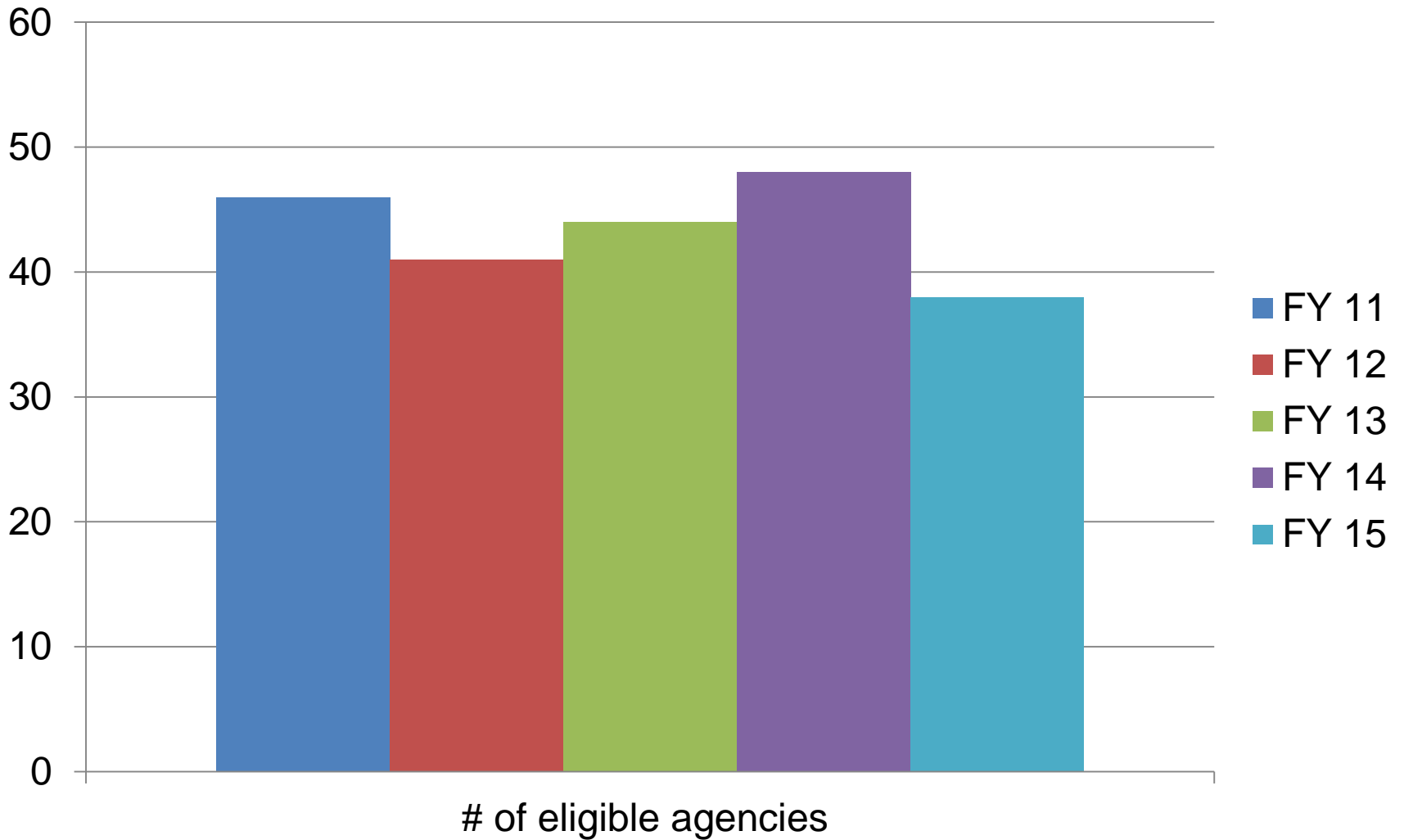
New Application Process

- Partnered with United Way
- Online Application
- Reduced Paperwork (no hard copies)
 - No copying costs
 - No transportation
 - More organized
- Non-mandatory training provided

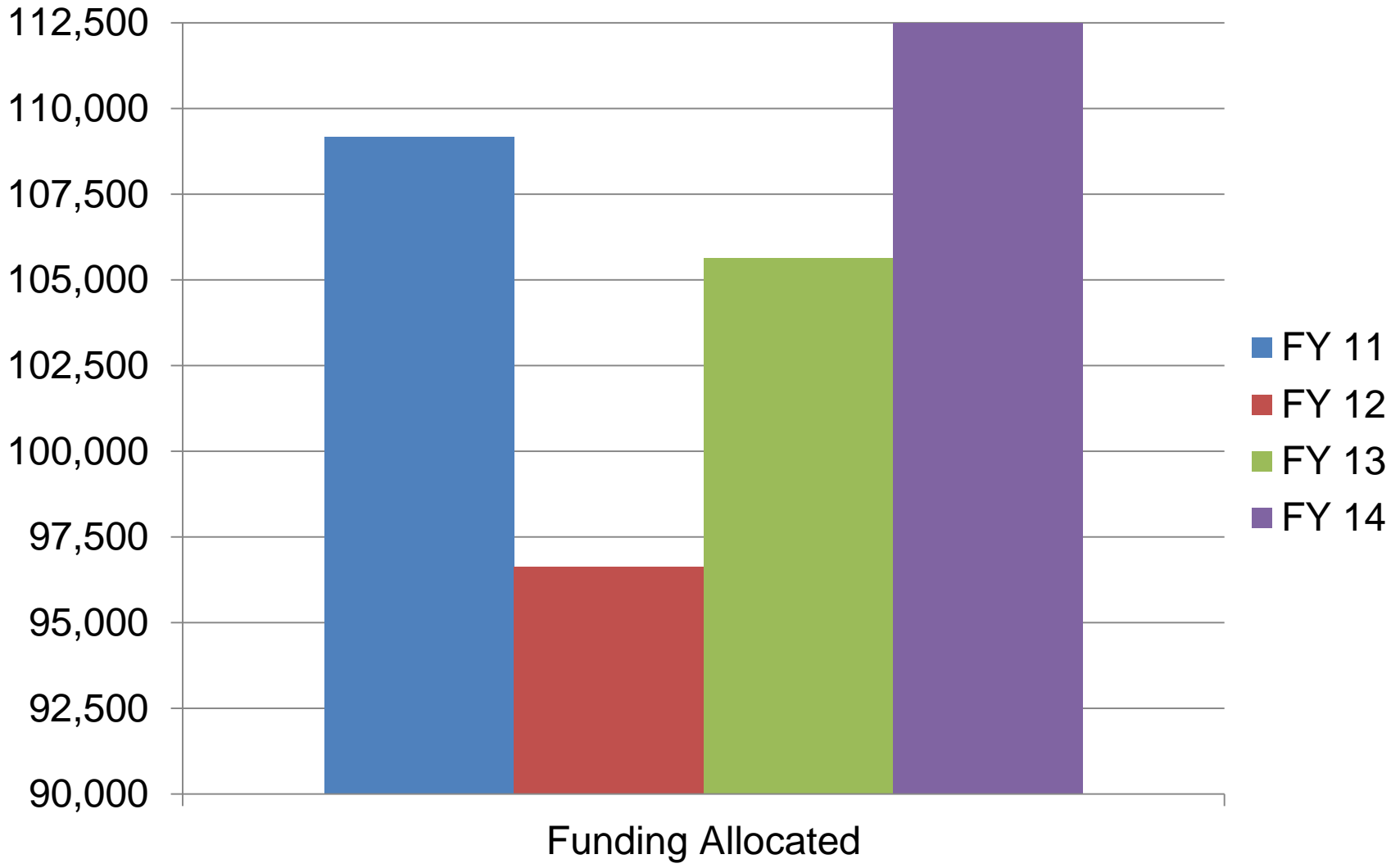
CGP Beginning to Date

- Number of Eligible Agencies
- Funding Allocated
- Funding Expended

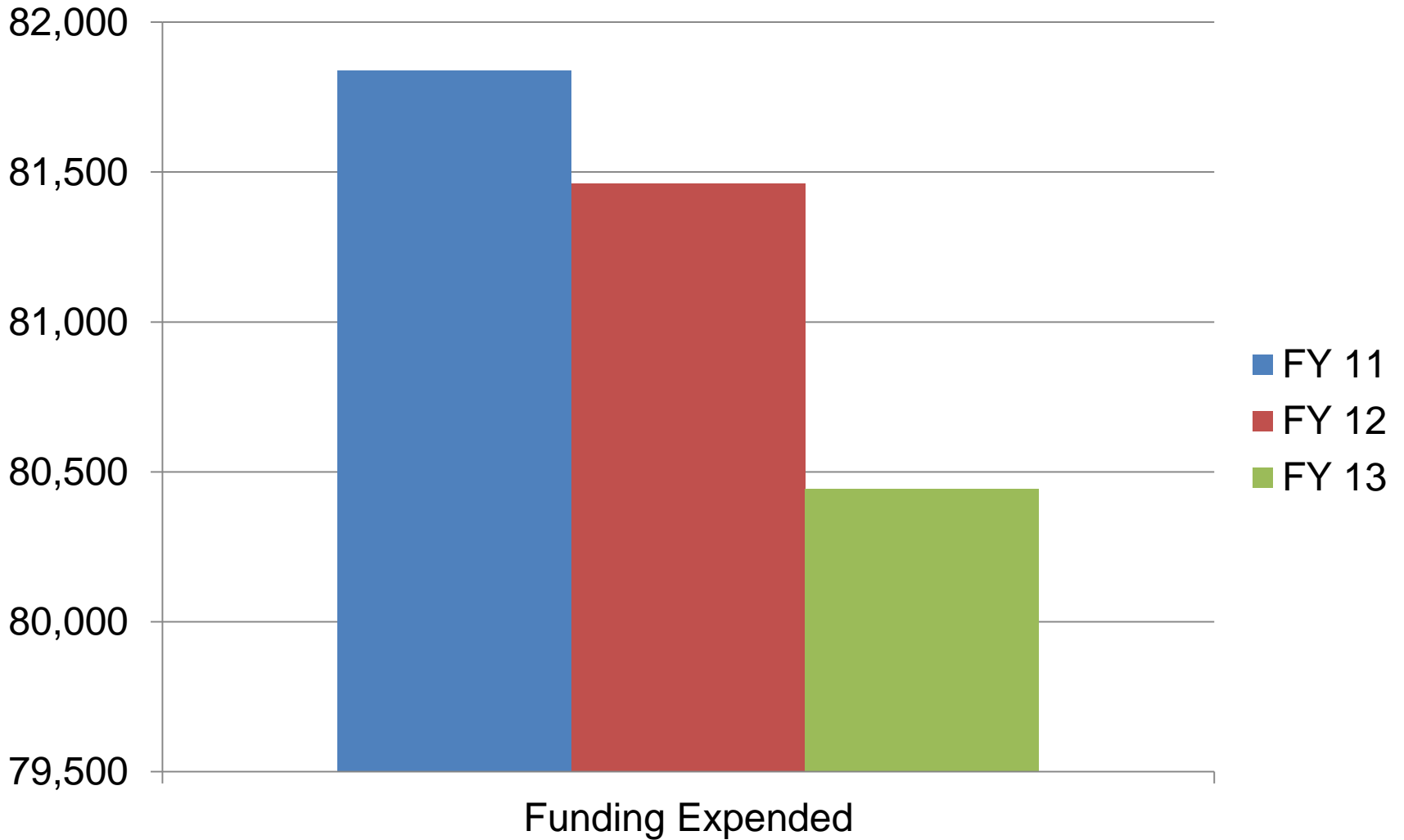
Eligible Agencies



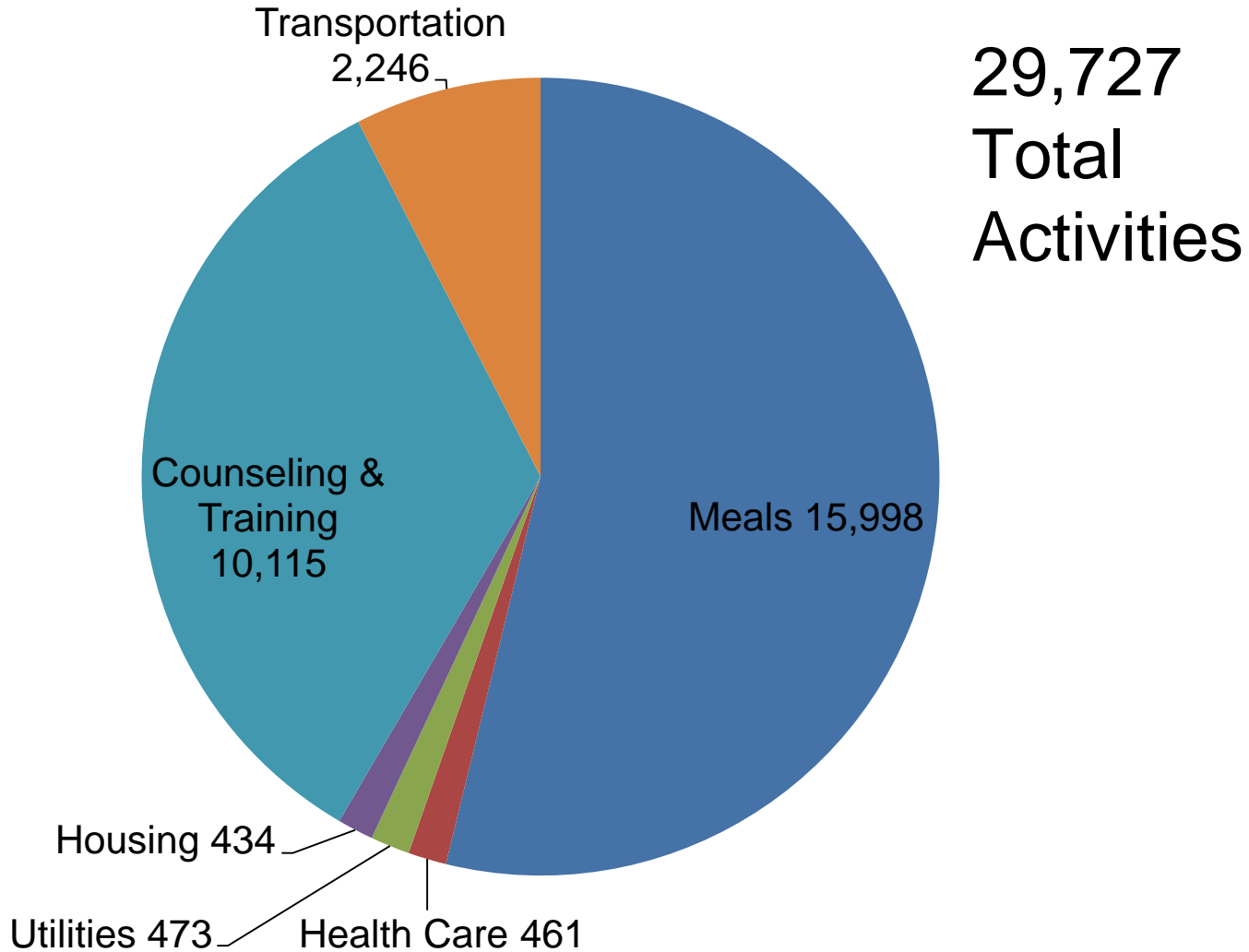
Funding Allocated (\$423,949)



Funding Expended (\$243,743)



Activities by Category



Recommendation

The City Commission:

- 1) consider approval of the AHAC's funding recommendations for the FY 2014-2015 Community Grant Program; and
- 2) authorize the City Manager or his designee to execute the funding agreements and other related documents with the approved organizations to disburse the grant funds, subject to approval by the City Attorney as to form and legality.