

## **Authority Mission Statement and Performance Measurements**

### **Name of Public Authority**

- Incorporated Village of Hempstead Community Development Agency (CDA)

### **Public Authority's Mission Statement**

- To plan, execute and effectuate projects, programs and policies that address community revitalization; prevent and/or arrest conditions that create blight and deterioration; develop a viable community; create opportunities for economic development, affordable housing and a better quality of life for the residents of the Village of Hempstead.

### **List of Performance Goals**

Our performance goals address the following seven areas of focus for the agency:

#### H – Housing:

- Eliminate blight through the creation of infill affordable housing
- Enforce building codes to ensure quality of life and safe, secure living conditions.

#### E – Economic Development:

- Eliminate blight through commercial rehabilitation and community revitalization.
- Provide economic opportunities to Hempstead-based businesses fostering their growth and expansion through the facilitation of funding, technical assistance and mentorship.

#### A – Aesthetic Quality

- Improve the environmental quality by keeping roads and parapets clean and resurfaced, and removing elements of blight and decay.
- Maintain quality public facilities throughout the Village (or Village-wide)

#### L – Living Standards

- Fund the provision of a comprehensive mix of services to the residents that enriches their quality of life
- Provide timely funding to public service agencies and organizations on an annual basis.
- Ensure timely and accurate dissemination of information to Village residents
- Encourage and support transparency and public participation in the community planning process

#### T – Tax Relief

- Lower taxes by increasing internal efficiencies.
- Increase the taxable base of the Village by bringing ratables back to the Village and vacant homes back on the Tax Roll.

#### H – Health

- Partner with healthcare providers and organizations to promote information regarding health, healthcare, nutrition and fitness

#### Y – Youth

- Engender the positive development of our youth through the support and development of extra-curricular programs and joint initiatives with the school district and other non-profit youth service organizations.