



Legislation Details (With Text)

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Title: Request by Harris County Resources for Children and Adults for approval to accept from Texas Workforce Commission renewal grant funds in the amount of \$276,000, with no required match, for the Houston Alumni & Youth Center (TANF) '21/'22 Program.

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10/12/2021	1	Commissioners Court		

Department: Harris County Resources for Children and Adults

Department Head/Elected Official: Joel Levine, Executive Director

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA

Type of Request: Grant

Project ID (if applicable): 100001000001104

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Participation (if applicable): N/A

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request by Harris County Resources for Children and Adults for approval to accept from Texas Workforce Commission renewal grant funds in the amount of \$276,000, with no required match, for the Houston Alumni & Youth Center (TANF) '21/'22 Program.

Background and Discussion:

On September 28, 2021, the Court approved a temporary transfer of funds to extend the positions temporarily. This contract renewal is to provide services and activities necessary to assist youth who are transitioning out of foster care in achieving their goals. This agreement was approved in 2020 and has been renewed annually. It has allowed us to fulfil a Department of Family Protective Services requirement of referring current and former foster youth to local Texas Workforce Centers that provide career-vocational related services, such as career exploration, job readiness skills, job seeking skills and training opportunities.

Expected Impact:

This agreement will allow us to continue ensuring current and former foster youth have access to an array of

services and referrals to services, that will assist transitioning foster youth to address barriers they face, including workforce services, dropout prevention activities, self-esteem and leadership activities, counseling, and other services that will support the healthy development of transitioning foster youth, with the final goal of obtaining employment. This is a cost reimbursement grant.

Alternative Options:

There are no other alternative options.

Alignment with Goal(s):

- ☐ Justice and Safety
- ☐ Economic Opportunity
- ☐ Housing
- ☒ Public Health
- ☐ Transportation
- ☐ Flooding
- ☐ Environment
- ☐ Governance and Customer Service

Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
09/28/21	5006	Court approved a temporary transfer of funds to extend positions.

Location:

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Countywide

Fiscal and Personnel Summary				
Service Name	Houston Alumni and Youth Center	FY 21-22	Estimates	
			FY 22	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures				
Labor Expenditures		265.65K	154.96K	796.95K
Non-Labor Expenditures		10.35K	6.04K	31.05K
Total Incremental Expenditures		276K	161K	828K
Funding Sources (General Fund, PIC Fund, Debt or CP, Grants, or Other - Please Specify)				
Existing Budget	Grant	276K	161.K	828K
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-

Total Current Budget		276K	161.K	828K
Additional Budget Requested	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Total Additional Budget Requested		-	-	-
Total Funding Sources		276K	161K	828K
Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service		-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested		-	-	-
Total Personnel		-	-	-

Anticipated Implementation Date: October 1, 2021

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

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Attachments (if applicable): Court Order, Grant Award agreement for docusign, Budget Summary, Form 1278