



NONPROFIT GRANT PROGRAMS

RS-22-181

December 13, 2022

Background

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- City Council allocated \$150,000 for nonprofits from American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds and \$350,000 from Public Facility Corporation (PFC) funds
 - ▣ Original application process was open for submissions April 13 – May 12
 - ▣ Six nonprofit organizations were approved for funding and nine nonprofit youth organization were approved for funding
- On May 24, 2022, City Council reopened the application process for the nonprofit organizations for six months, closing November 24
- On June 22, 2022 City Council reopened the application process for the nonprofit youth organizations for one month, closing July 21
 - ▣ Eleven nonprofit youth organizations were approved for funding

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- ❑ On December 6, 2022, ten nonprofit applications were selected for funding
 - ▣ Nine will be funded with the remaining ARPA nonprofit funding in the amount of \$90,000
 - ▣ One will be funded with \$10,000 from the PFC nonprofit funding
- ❑ In accordance with state law, City Council must declare a public purpose for the expenditure of funds
- ❑ ARPA funds should
 - ▣ Provide services to low to moderate income residents, residents disproportionately impacted, or located in a Qualified Census Tract
 - ▣ Directly address a negative impact of the pandemic
 - ▣ Be proportional to amount of impact

Selected Applicants

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1. New Jerusalem Holy Christian Church Outreach Ministries
2. The Cairo Brown Foundation
3. Trinity Sports Organization
4. Aware Central Texas
5. Bring Everyone in the Zone Inc.
6. Blessings on the Block Community Outreach, Inc.
7. The Village United, Inc.
8. The Zamore Foundation
9. The Jaybird Learning Academy, Inc.
10. Hip-Nique/Soul Collective

Alternatives Considered

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- ❑ Do not approve the funding for the ten nonprofit organizations
- ❑ Amend the selected organizations
- ❑ Approve the funding for the ten nonprofit organizations, declare the public purpose and authorize staff to execute grant agreements for each organization

Recommendation

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- ❑ Approve the grant funding request for ten nonprofit organizations, declare the public purpose and authorize staff to execute grant agreements for each selected nonprofit