

City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Convention and Visitors Bureau

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: January 16, 2024

Re: Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to sign subgrant agreements for funds from the Missouri Department of Economic Development, Division of Tourism Juneteenth Grant.

Executive Summary

The City has been awarded a grant from the Missouri Division of Tourism for \$38,280 to help support community-wide Juneteenth celebrations. This resolution will authorize the City Manager to sign subgrant agreements for the use of these funds.

Discussion

The Convention and Visitors Bureau, working together with the Parks and Recreation Department, and the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Administrator applied for a grant to the Missouri Division of Tourism for funds to be used to help support and promote community-wide 2024 Juneteenth celebrations. The city was awarded \$38,280.

Applications for the use of these grant funds will be made available to community event organizers by early February 2024. This resolution will authorize the City Manager to sign the subgrant agreements to event organizers who receive funding.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: N/A Long-Term Impact: N/A

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Inclusive and Equitable Community, Secondary Impact: Safe Community,

Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities, Secondary Impact: Inter-Governmental Cooperation, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History

Date	Action
N/A	N/A

Suggested Council Action

Approval of the Resolution.