



Department Source: Public Health and Human Services

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: September 3, 2019

Re: DHSS Agreement for Purchase of TOP Supplies; appropriating funds.

Executive Summary

An ordinance authorizing the City Manager to sign the agreement for the purchase of Teen Outreach Program club supplies, between the City of Columbia and the Department of Health and Senior Services Bureau of Community Health and Wellness, in an amount not to exceed \$1,050 for the period ending September 25, 2019.

Discussion

The DHSS agreement provides funding to buy Teen Outreach Program (TOP) supplies and community service learning resources. TOP is an after-school program designed to engage teens in guided discussions and community service. TOP has three main components; community service learning, peer experiences, and an adult resource network. These components are proven to impact youth and produce positive outcomes including decreased course-failure rate, school dropout rate, and teen pregnancy rate.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: This is grant funding. There is no impact on the General Fund.

Long-Term Impact: None.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impacts

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Social Equity, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History

Date	Action
2019	This is a one-time agreement for a longstanding program.

Suggested Council Action

Should the Council agree with staff recommendations, an affirmative vote is in order.