

# City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

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To: City Council

From: City Manager and Staff

Council Meeting Date: February 18, 2019

Re: Authorizing an Agreement with Job Point for Vocational Training Programs to Serve Persons Referred to the Alternative Sentencing Courts from the Boone County Circuit Court

# Executive Summary

The attached resolution authorizes a new agreement for \$12,000 in Council Reserves to Job Point for the provisions of vocational training programs to serve persons referred to the Alternative Sentencing Courts from the Boone County Circuit Court.

### Discussion

At the September 19, 2016 City Council meeting, City Council approved the transfer of \$24,000 of the remaining FY16 Council Reserves, to fund scholarships for students referred from the Boone County Circuit Court Alternative Sentencing Courts. Primary programs included heating, ventilation and air conditioning; highway and heaving construction; and construction and general carpentry. Council approved a funding agreement for these activities at the October 17, 2016 Council meeting which funded activities through December 31, 2017.

A new agreement was approved by City Council on January 16, 2018 that extended the program through December 31, 2018. Job Point submitted City funding requests for reimbursement of two participants during 2018, however served additional participants through other funding sources. Job Point has three additional participants that expect to complete classes by June 30, 2019 and is requesting a new agreement to extend access to City funds for the program through that date.

# Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Extends the time period for remaining \$12,000.

Long-Term Impact: None.

# Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impacts

#### Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Social Equity, Secondary Impact: Economy

#### Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Economic Development, Secondary Impact: Livable & Sustainable

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Legislative History	
Date	Action
September 19, 2016	Council approved the transfer of funds from Council Reserves to the City Manager's Office for this purpose.
October 17, 2016	Council approved an agreement with Job Point authorizing the use of \$24,000 for these purposes.
January 16, 2018	Council approved a new agreement with Job Point authorizing the use of \$24,000 for these purposes.

# Suggested Council Action

Approve the resolution authorizing a new agreement with Job Point.