



701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Public Health and Human Services

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: February 2, 2026

Re: Agreement with Boys and Girls Club of the Columbia Area for the implementation of the Teen Connection Project.

Impacted Ward: Citywide

Executive Summary

A resolution authorizing the City Manager to sign an agreement between the City of Columbia and Boys and Girls Club of the Columbia Area for the Teen Connection Project.

Discussion

The purpose of this agreement is to formalize the roles and responsibilities of the City of Columbia/Public Health and Human Services (PHHS) and Boys and Girls Club of the Columbia Area for the implementation of the Teen Connection Project in Boys and Girls Club by PHHS staff. The Teen Connection Project is a grant funded program. Teen Connection Project is an evidence-based positive youth development program implemented in partnership to decrease course failure rate, school dropout, and teenage pregnancy.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: none

Long-Term Impact: none

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Safe Community, Secondary Impact: Resilient Economy, Tertiary Impact: Inclusive and Equitable Community

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

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

Legislative History

Date	Action
10/6/2025	B254-25 An ordinance authorizing amendment No. 1 to the contract with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services for teen connection project program services. B254-25
11/18/2024	B269-24 An ordinance authorizing a contract with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services for teen connection project program services. B269-24

Suggested Council Action

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