

Legislation Text

File #: 2024-1881

Approval to accept a grant and approve a budget adjustment in the amount of \$1,500 from the Fayetteville Area Community Foundation through their Giving Tree Grant Program. Funds will be used for developing a tutoring component within the YRCC Afterschool program.

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT FROM THE FAYETTEVILLE AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,500.00 TO DEVELOP A TUTORING COMPONENT OF THE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM AT THE YVONNE RICHARDSON COMMUNITY CENTER, AND TO APPROVE A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS:

<u>Section 1</u>: That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby authorizes the acceptance of the Fayetteville Area Community Foundation's Giving Tree Grant award in the amount of \$1,500.00 to develop a tutoring component within the afterschool program at the Yvonne Richardson Community Center.

<u>Section 2</u>: That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby approves a budget adjustment, a copy of which is attached to this Resolution.



MEETING OF APRIL 16, 2024

то:	Mayor Jordan and City Council
THRU:	Lee Farmer, Recreation Superintendent Alison Jumper, Director of Parks, Natural Resources and Cultural Affairs Susan Norton, Chief of Staff
FROM:	Tiffany Hoover, Assistant Recreation Superintendent
SUBJECT:	Approval to accept a grant and approve a budget adjustment in the amount of \$1,500 from the Fayetteville Area Community Foundation through their Giving Tree Grant Program. Funds will be used for developing a tutoring component within the YRCC Afterschool program.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval to accept a grant and approve a budget adjustment in the amount of \$1,500 from the Arkansas Community Foundation through their Giving Tree Grant Program. Funds will be used for developing a tutoring component within the Yvonne Richardson Community Center (YRCC) Afterschool program.

BACKGROUND:

The YRCC Afterschool program continues to provide opportunities for students to learn and grow outside of the school day. YRCC is looking to partner with Club Z Tutoring to assess currently enrolled students and develop a custom tutoring program for the fall semester of the 2024-25 school year.

DISCUSSION:

Staff identified that external funding would be necessary to implement a tutoring program at YRCC and that the Giving Tree Grant was an ideal opportunity. A proposal was submitted in February and the award letter was received in March. Funds provided through the grant will be used towards the development and implementation of a tutoring program beginning in August of 2024. Planned program expenses funded by the grant include the cost of tutoring assessments and one on one tutoring services.

BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:

The Giving Tree Grant is a non-match grant. Grant funding and existing staff will support the new tutoring program. No additional impacts to the budget are anticipated.

ATTACHMENTS: SRF (#3), BA (#4), Giving Tree Grant 2024 - Award Letter (#5)