

# December 9, 2020

TO: Visit McKinney

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RE: MCDC Update

#### **General Information**

#### FY 21 Grants

# **Promotional and Community Event Grants**

Below is information about the Promotional and Community Event grant applications submitted for consideration in Cycle I. Total funding available is \$100,000. The requests will be presented to the MCDC board at the meeting on December 17<sup>th</sup>, board action will be scheduled for the January 28<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Promotional & Community Event Grants 2021 Cycle I			
	Applicant	Event(s)	Amt. Requested
21-01	Kiwanis Club of McKinney	2021 Triathlon	\$2,500
21-02	SBG Hospitality	2021 Spring Sip & Stroll Series	\$15,000
		Farmers Market, Education, Murder Mystery, Farm to	
21-03	Heritage Guild of CC	Table Dinner, Crank-off	\$12,500
21-04	CC History Museum	2021 Then & Now	\$10,025
21-05	Colorful Collaborations	Legacy Keepers 2021 events	\$2,000
21-06	McKinney Garden Club	2021 Art Meets Floral	\$7,700
21-07	Ovation Academy of Performing Arts	2021 Spring/Summer Productions	\$11,500
21-08	St. Peter's Episcopal Church	2021 Empty Bowls	\$7,500
21-09	McKinney Main Street	Arts in Bloom	\$7,500
21-10	Virtual Town Tours	Virtual McKinney tour	\$15,000
			\$91,225

#### **TUPPS Brewery Expansion**

The deadline for submittal of responses to the CMAR RFP/Q, to identify a general contractor for the TUPPS project, is Friday, December 11<sup>th</sup>. Evaluations will be completed the week of December 14<sup>th</sup>. TUPPS'goal is to have a GC in place in early January.

Bi-weekly progress meetings continue, for updates on design, project status including streets, utilities engineering, environmental, parking and other components of the project.

### **Strategic Priorities**

MCDC board members continued discussion regarding strategic priorities for project funding at the November meeting. Priorities established are attached.

## **Collin County Habitat for Humanity – The Cotton Groves**

Collin County Habitat hosted an open house on December 2<sup>nd</sup>, at their location on Couch Street, to provide the public with an opportunity to tour The Cotton Groves prototype/education center. A link to a video showing the history and progress of The Cotton Groves project is provided here: <a href="Model Townhome Tour Cotton Groves - YouTube">Model Townhome Tour Cotton Groves - YouTube</a>