



# Legislation Details (With Text)

**File #:** 18-448 **Name:** Project #18-07

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**In control:** McKinney Community Development Corporation

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**Attachments:** 1. Application Packet, 2. Presentation

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
5/24/2018	1	McKinney Community Development Corporation	Approved Denial	Pass

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**COUNCIL GOAL:** Enhance Quality of Life in McKinney

MEETING DATE: April 26, 2018

**DEPARTMENT:** McKinney Community Development Corporation

**CONTACT:** Cindy Schneible, President

#### ITEM SUMMARY:

- The required public hearing for this project was held on April 26, 2018.
- Elemental Essentialz is requesting a grant in the amount of \$40,000.00 for water, electric and gas utility improvements for a retail market to be located at 110 N. Tennessee Street, McKinney, Texas.
- If successfully addressed, the utility improvements will help ensure the building is accessible and available for repurpose into a local market and café in Historic Downtown McKinney.

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Essentialz is a small, local, female-owned business dedicated to reducing waste and sharing the skills necessary to grow, purchase and prepare healthy, local food.
- Plans for the Project include partnering with local farmers, ranchers, artisans and nonprofits to ensure no edible food is thrown away.

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 Essentialz is working to restore an historic building in downtown McKinney to house the market.

### FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

- Essentialz is a privately held business.
- Audited financials are not available. Essentialz is a new storefront for Elemental Essentialz, LLC.
- Financial information provided included a proposed budget for utility improvements and a projected P&L for the first two years of operation.
- MCDC's allocation for Project Grants for FY 18 is \$1,259,745
- Elemental Essentialz, LLC is a first-time applicant for MCDC Project Grant funds.