



CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS

Legislation Text

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Consider/Discuss/Act on 2018-2019 Project Grant Request of \$5,000 for Teatro Dallas

COUNCIL GOAL: Enhance the Quality of Life in McKinney

MEETING DATE: July 19, 2018

DEPARTMENT: Housing and Community Development

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ITEM SUMMARY:

- Teatro Dallas is seeking a \$5,000 Project Grant funding for their “Bongo Talks” performances. There will be three performances for elementary youth: October, 2018 at Caldwell Elementary School; November, 2018 at McNeil Elementary School; March, 2019 at Old Settlers Recreation Center.
- The theme of the show is the importance of intuition, how to recognize it, and how to use it for making decisions in challenging situations.
- Following the performance, children will be able to ask questions about the process of creating a play, being an artist, and general theatre questions.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Project Grants provide financial assistance for the costs associated with a single project, or if the applicant is applying for the first time.
- Per Arts Grants Guidelines, Projects Grants can pay up to 50% of eligible project expenses, not to exceed \$5,000.
- Teatro Dallas was awarded a \$3,000 Season Grant in 2016-2017 and fulfilled all obligations under that grant.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

- Funding will come from the Special Project Grant budget for 2018-2019. That amount has not been approved by City Council at this time.