

COMMUNITY GRANTS ADVISORY COMMISSION

APRIL 30, 2026

The Community Grants Advisory Commission of the City of McKinney, Texas met in regular session in the City Hall Council Chambers, 401 E. Virginia Street, McKinney, Texas on April 30, 2026 at 6:30 p.m.

Board Chair Tammy Chewe called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. upon determining a quorum.

Commissioners Present: Andrea Harvey-Rodgers, Eniola Campbell, Sally Riche, Silvia Escamilla, Tammy Thornton-Chewe, Nicholas Dangerfield, Derrick Tarver

Absent: Barbara Kelly

These staff members were present: Community Services Administrator Shirletta Best, Affordable Housing Administrator Cristel Todd, Community Services Coordinator Camille Smith, Administrative Assistant Sheridan Burns.

26-0364 Update on 2026 McKinney Board & Commission Member Appointments

Sheridan Burns of the City Secretary's office, provided an update on the 2026-2027 Boards and Commissions membership process regarding new and incumbent members, and dates related to applications, interviews, and open government training.

26-0365 Minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission for the meeting of February 26, 2026

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commissioner Harvey-Rodgers, seconded by Commissioner Dangerfield to approve and refer the minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission meeting of February 26, 2026.

26-0366 FY 2026-2027 Public Hearings, Consolidated Grants Application Process

Shirletta Best provided instructions for the presentation process for applicants and Commissioners. She also advised the Commissioners that two applicants, One Heart McKinney and Volunteer McKinney who

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were scheduled to present this evening will be rescheduled to May 21, 2026, hearing. Commissioner Chewe opened the FY 2026-2027 Public Hearings, Consolidated Grants Application process.

Applications and city programs for the Consolidated proposals were as follows: Cristel Todd gave a presentation on behalf of City of McKinney's HOME on tenant-based rental assistance and housing rehabilitation programs, funded by HUD programs, HOME Partnership Program and the Community Development Block Grant, respectively. Ms. Best gave a presentation on behalf of City of McKinney's Utility Billing's request for the Emergency Water Utility Assistance program, with a request for \$30,000. Tia Airington gave a presentation on behalf of Above All Things, requesting \$18,000 food assistance for families in need. Michael Donohue, on behalf of All Community Outreach, gave a presentation, requested \$30,000 for crisis financial assistance. Trish Hutcheson gave a presentation on behalf of Boys and Girls Clubs of Collin County, requesting \$50,000 for youth Academic Success program. Tara Judd-Longley gave a presentation on behalf of Brain Injury Network (BIND), with a request of \$18,518 for Clubhouse Program. Steve Wurm gave a presentation on behalf of Catholic Charities dba Community Health Clinic, with a \$25,000 request for their low-income chronic health assistance program.

Dan Powers gave a presentation on behalf of Children's Advocacy Center, with an \$80,486 request for child abuse therapy program. Dan Moreno gave a presentation on behalf of CommonGood, \$20,000 request for primary health care program. Vice-Chair Andrea Harvey-Rodgers recused herself prior to the presentation for Community Food Pantry, due to a registered potential conflict of interest. Melody Krill gave a presentation on behalf of the agency, \$40,000 request for Food Pantry program. Elizabeth Johnson gave a presentation on behalf of Cornerstone North Central Texas, with a \$15,000 request for Financial

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Assistance and Case Management program. Jessica Dunn gave a presentation on behalf of CASA of Collin County for a \$50,000 request for Child Advocacy program. Ellen Magnis gave a presentation on behalf of Family Gateway, asking for \$25,000 grant for the Diversion program. Van Parker gave a presentation on behalf of Housing Connector, \$75,000 request for Housing referral and advocacy assistance program. Jake Griffin gave a presentation on behalf of Meals on Wheels Collin Co., \$50,000 request for seniors Home Delivered Meals program. Tod Marvin gave a presentation on behalf of My Possibilities, \$35,000 request for Disability Services Support program. Deborah Bradford gave a presentation on behalf of New Jerusalem Baptist Church, \$32,030 request for Project Care Youth Enrichment program.

Stacy Bergman gave a presentation on behalf of two programs for The Samaritan Inn, Inc.: \$74,496 request for INNSpire Homeless Family Care Team program, and \$57,629 request for Food Pantry assistance program. Katie Rasmussen gave a presentation on behalf of Shiloh Place, for \$31,000 toward Case Manager support for Single Mothers under their support program. Michael Garrett gave a presentation on behalf of Trusted World, \$15,000 request for Clothing and other needs to support local schools and non-profits. Anna-Marie Welch gave a presentation on behalf of Veterans Center of North Texas. The agency has a \$15,000 request for Veteran financial assistance.

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commissioner Dangerfield, seconded by Commissioner Campbell to close the Public Hearing.

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commissioner Riche, seconded by Commissioner Dangerfield to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

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SIGNED:

TAMMY THORNTON-CHEWE
CGAC Chair

ANDREA HARVEY-RODGERS
CGAC Vice Chair