

COMMUNITY GRANTS ADVISORY COMMISSION

JUNE 1, 2023

The Community Grants Advisory Commission of the City of McKinney, Texas met in regular session in the 2nd Floor Conference Room, City Hall, 222 N. Tennessee Street, McKinney, Texas on June 01, 2023, at 6:30 p.m.

Commissioners Present: Todd Burton, Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler, Chairperson Jennifer Mott, Aaron Schmitz.

Commissioner DeAndre Hinton arrived at 7:30 p.m.

Once a quorum was established Chairperson Jennifer Mott called meeting to order at 7:39 p.m.

Absent: Dwan Marshall, Chris Thornton, Silvia Escamilla

Staff Present: Community Services Coordinator Camille Smith, Administrative Assistant Lupe Armijo

23-0441 Minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission Meeting of May 10, 2023. Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler, seconded by Commissioner DeAndre Hinton, to approve and refer the minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission Meeting of May 10, 2023.

23-0442 Minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission Meeting of May 11, 2023. Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commission Todd Burton, seconded by Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler, to approve and refer the minutes of the Community Grants Advisory Commission Meeting of May 11, 2023.

23-0443 Consider / Discuss / CDBG & CSG Program Updates. Community Services Coordinator Camille Smith provided program updates on the Community Development Block Grant and Community Support Grant programs.

23-0444 Consider / Discuss / Act on the FY 2023-2024 Funding Allocations for Consolidated Grants Recommendations to City Council.

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler, seconded by Commissioner Todd Burton, to approve Consider / Discuss / Act on the Consolidated Grants Funding Recommendations. The Consolidated Grants Application process includes the funding of public service resources to benefit McKinney residents under two grants: Community Support Grant (CSG) and the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG). Applicants applied in April 2023 and presented proposals to the Commissioners in public hearings on May 10, 2023, and May 11, 2023. Administrator Best stated that the Community Grants are funded by the city's General Fund and initial requests must be at least \$3,000; the proposed budget is \$175,00 contingent upon the City Council approval in September, which includes city administered public service programs. Public Service CDBG grants are reimbursable grants, federally funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and application requests must be at least \$5,000 for consideration of these funds. Agencies who applied for audit waivers are only eligible for Community Support Grant consideration. The FY24 public service budget under CDBG is estimated at \$144,165 under the City of McKinney. After careful discussion, the CGAC determined their recommendations which required adjustments to balance to the budgeted allocation.

Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler recused himself at 7:46 so that the board could make recommendations on Journey of Hope. Motion was made by commissioner DeAndre Hinton, seconded by commissioner Todd Burton to approve such recommendations. He returned at 7:50 p.m.

A motion was passed by Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler and second by commissioner DeAndre Hinton to round up or down the dollar amount to make even.

After careful consideration and discussion, commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Vice-Chairperson Lent Keeler, seconded by commissioner Todd Burton, to approve the FY 2023-2024 Funding Allocations for Consolidated Grants Recommendations to City Council as follows:

CSG Funding Recommendations	Amount
Allen Community Outreach	\$7,500
Assistance Center of Collin County, Inc.	\$5,750
Assistance League of Greater Collin Co.	\$4,375
BIND: Brain Injury Network of Dallas	\$7,000
Children’s Advocacy Center of Collin County, Inc.	\$6,000
Community Lifeline Center, Inc.	\$7,000
Hope Clinic of McKinney	\$7,125
Hope’s Restored Missions	\$4,625
I Project Destiny, Inc.	\$0.00
Journey of Hope Grief Support Center, Inc.	\$9,000
Meals on Wheels Collin County	\$9,125
My Possibilities	\$6,125
Rosa es Rojo, Inc.	\$4,250
The Family Place	\$7,250
Shiloh Place	\$12,375
Texas Muslim Women’s Foundation, Inc.	\$3,500
Trusted World Foundations, Inc.	\$9,500
Rape Crisis Center of Collin County dba	
The Turning Point	\$10,625
Veteran’s Center of North TX	\$7,875

Maurice Barnett Geriatric Wellness Center	
dba Wellness Center for Older Adults	\$8,500
City of McKinney – LIFT	\$10,000
City of McKinney – EWUA	\$20,000

CDBG Funding Recommendations	Amount
Court Appointed Special Advocates of Collin County (CASA)	\$40,250
Communities in School of the Dallas Region	\$23,291
Community Lifeline Center, Inc.	\$16,083
Habitat for Humanity	\$0.00
Hope's Door dba Hope's Door New Beginning Center	\$20,750
Samaritan Inn, Inc.	\$43,791
The Salvation Army	\$0.00

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commission Todd Burton, seconded by Commissioner DeAndre Hinton, to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

