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TITLE: Consider/Discuss/Act on a Project Grant Application Submitted by Heritage Guild of Collin County (#23-11) in the Amount of Fifty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$50,000.00) to Replace the Chimney on the Faires House and to Replace Porches, Stairs and Ramps on Six Historic Buildings in Chestnut Square. Amount Requested Represents 57% of Total Project Cost.

COUNCIL GOAL: 5: Enhance Quality of Life in McKinney
5B: Create affordable recreational and cultural arts activities for all ages throughout the city.

MEETING DATE: August 24, 2023

DEPARTMENT: McKinney Community Development Corporation

CONTACT: Cindy Schneible, President

ITEM SUMMARY:

- Heritage Guild of Collin County has submitted a grant request, in the amount of \$50,000 to replace the chimney on the Faires House and to replace porches, stairs and ramps on six historic buildings in Chestnut Square
- Buildings include Dulaney House, Dulaney Cottage, Chapel, Dixie's Store, Faires House, and Johnson House.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- The mission of Heritage Guild of Collin County is to celebrate community, preserve history and inspire the future.
- HGCC was organized more than 40 years ago.
- HGCC supports Chestnut Square Historic Village - a museum and tourist destination in McKinney offering diverse programs and activities throughout the year.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

- Funds allocated for MDCDC discretionary Project Grants for FY23 total \$2,177,223.00, and \$74,885.50 in discretionary funds remain.

- Additional funds are available via budget transfer.
- The request is eligible for MCDC consideration under Section 505.152 of the Texas Local Government Code.

SUPPORTING MATERIALS:

- Application Packet
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