

A resolution to allocate and appropriate \$2,600,000 in City Council Community Grant funds to nonprofit agencies for FY22

WHEREAS, the Memphis City Council desires to promote community programming and improve neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Code Annotated § 6-64- 111, empowers the Memphis City Council to appropriate funds for the financial aid of nonprofit organizations working to promote the general welfare of Memphis residents; and

WHEREAS, nonprofit organizations and citizens work together to meet the needs of Memphians by extending the reach of City of Memphis services; and

WHEREAS, the Memphis City Council recognizes nonprofit agencies as valued partners in the continuing efforts to improve the lives of Memphians; and

WHEREAS, it is important to the members of the Memphis City Council to prioritize funding specialized programs congruent with the priorities of the City, which include addressing Crime and Drug Prevention, Youth Empowerment, Economic Development, and Poverty; and

WHEREAS, each member gains the opportunity to individually allocate \$200,000 to ensure adequate grant awards amongst all City Council Districts; and

WHEREAS, the Memphis City Council accepted and reviewed applications from more than 150 local nonprofit agencies and community partners; and

WHEREAS, after selecting organizations and allocating funding during Budget Committee meetings, agencies received grant awards as outlined within Attachment A.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Memphis City Council does allocate \$2,600,000 in accordance with Attachment A as part of the Memphis City Council Grant Program for FY22.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant recipients must execute a contract with the City of Memphis Finance Division to receive the first disbursement equal to 50% of total grant award and submit a Mid-Year Report for the Council's review to receive second disbursement equal to 50% of total grant award.

Chairman
Frank Colvett

FY'22 Grant Awards

	Name of Organization	Representative Name	Canale	Carlisle	Colvett	Easter-Thomas	Ford	Johnson	Jones	Logan	Morgan	Robinson	Smiley	Swearngen	Warren	Grant Request	Total From Allocation
41	A Fresh Start to a New Beginning	Nadja Marion					\$5,000.00									\$25,000.00	\$5,000.00
102	Abundant Earth Global CDC	Ester B Moore															
59	Academy for Youth Empowerment	Hazel Moore						\$3,342.00					\$2,700.00		\$500.00	\$3,200.00	\$3,200.00
40	Africa In April Cultural Awareness Festival, Inc	David L. Avey, Sr						\$11,400.00		\$5,000.00		\$3,341.00	\$2,200.00	\$16,692.00		\$35,400.00	\$25,575.00
39	African Heritage and Cultural Village of Memphis	Norman R Redwing Jr				\$10,000.00			\$1,000.00			\$5,000.00			\$500.00	\$25,000.00	\$36,400.00
83	Agape Child and Family Services	David Jordan											\$5,000.00			\$50,000.00	\$10,500.00
23	AngelStreet Inc.	Ruth Abigail Smith	\$6,000.00			\$10,000.00										\$25,000.00	\$16,000.00
72	Arkwings Foundation	Jana Wilson				\$7,000.00									\$5,000.00	\$18,000.00	\$12,000.00
44	Arrow Creative	Abby Phillips	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00											\$2,500.00	\$60,000.00	\$12,500.00
60	Ballet Memphis	Gretchen Wollert McLennon		\$5,000.00				\$2,500.00								\$25,000.00	\$7,500.00
31	Barber Skills Outreach Inc	Jamal Arnold									\$15,000.00					\$60,480.00	\$15,000.00
138	Betor Way	Lisa Bobal									\$7,500.00					\$7,500.00	\$7,500.00
76	Big Green	Lisa Heros Ellis	\$5,000.00												\$500.00	\$175,000.00	\$5,500.00
144	Blues City Cultural Center	Deborah Frazier						\$1,000.00	\$2,229.00							\$28,229.00	\$28,229.00
34	Bold Brothers	Marvin Mims, Sr.														\$50,000.00	\$1,950.00
26	Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Memphis	Keith Blanchard		\$5,000.00	\$50,000.00				\$10,000.00		\$30,000.00				\$5,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
47	BRIDGES USA	Dania Wilson				\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00									\$50,000.00	\$10,000.00
98	Carpenter Art Garden	Megan Banaszek		\$15,000.00							\$40,000.00				\$5,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$60,000.00
49	Cathedral Foundation, Inc.	Dr. Darnell Gooch, Jr.					\$5,000.00									\$6,542.10	\$5,000.00
73	CCMI of Breaking a Stronghold	Lorenzo Caldwell						\$5,000.00					\$5,000.00			\$50,000.00	\$10,000.00
100	Center for Transforming Communities	Sumi Montgomery	\$5,000.00			\$5,000.00		\$1,000.00							\$500.00	\$16,500.00	\$11,500.00
1	Christian Development Outreach Center	Aaron Campbell, Jr.					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$5,000.00			\$5,000.00	\$43,000.00	\$20,000.00
40	Circuit Playhouse, Inc	Michael Detroit		\$2,000.00					\$50,000.00	\$5,000.00						\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
57	CodeCrew	Kela Jones				\$5,000.00							\$6,500.00			\$100,000.00	\$66,500.00
136	Collage Dance Collective	Marcellus Harper		\$10,000.00					\$5,000.00							\$30,000.00	\$20,000.00
85	Communities In Schools of Memphis	Sonji Branch				\$10,000.00										\$65,000.00	\$11,000.00
16	Community Legal Center	Jerri Green				\$5,000.00			\$1,000.00						\$8,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
132	Community Project, Inc.	Brandon B. Porter, Sr						\$5,000.00							\$500.00	\$65,000.00	\$11,500.00
88	Couture Cares	Davina Jones					\$5,000.00		\$5,271.00							\$15,000.00	\$10,271.00
135	D- Up Unlimited Inc.	Dominique Frost				\$2,000.00										\$1,700.00	\$3,000.00
153	D/MANS, Inc. (My ZIP)	Yvonne Nelson					\$5,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$1,000.00						\$5,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
8	Dress for Success Memphis	Rhonda Treadwell					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00							\$9,000.00	\$21,500.00
64	Emmanuel Center, Inc.	Angie Johnson					\$5,000.00		\$1,000.00							\$35,000.00	\$15,000.00
42	Families Matter, Inc	Carol A Jackson		\$10,000.00			\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$10,000.00				\$40,000.00	\$33,000.00
115	Family Safety Center of Memphis and Shelby County	Ethele Hillard	\$10,000.00						\$1,000.00				\$3,000.00			\$110,000.00	\$10,000.00
10	Feed The Needy	Ruth Rawlins(Banks)				\$3,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$2,500.00					\$5,000.00	\$500.00	\$80,000.00	\$37,000.00
117	For The Kingdom inc	Torrey U Bates	\$5,500.00							\$35,000.00						\$133,316.00	\$40,500.00
56	Freedom From Unnecessary Negatives (F.F.U.N)	Stevie Moore Sr			\$50,000.00	\$3,000.00		\$25,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$3,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$190,000.00	\$98,500.00
63	Girls Inc. of Memphis	Lisa Moore	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00		\$7,000.00	\$5,000.00		\$10,000.00	\$5,000.00						\$180,000.00	\$37,000.00
74	Greater Memphis Media, Inc.	Brian Thomas Clay				\$2,000.00						\$5,000.00	\$474.00	\$32,526.00		\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00
25	Greater Whitehaven Economic Redevelopment Corporation	Michael O Harris					\$5,000.00		\$1,000.00			\$21,279.00				\$50,000.00	\$27,279.00
48	Grooming Greatness	Sylvia H. Johnson					\$2,360.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$12,000.00	\$29,140.00	\$42,500.00	\$42,500.00
122	Harmonic South String Orchestra, Inc. (HSSO)	Carl Everett Johnson, Jr.						\$3,795.00								\$29,925.00	\$20,795.00
143	Hattloo Theatre	Ekundayo Bandle							\$5,000.00						\$5,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
77	HBCU Memphis	Demetria Sinclair-Bobo										\$10,000.00				\$25,000.00	\$11,000.00
65	Heal Memphis DBA Heal 901	K. Durell Cowan	\$12,500.00									\$5,000.00			\$500.00	\$61,167.00	\$19,000.00
110	High Ground News Fund of Community Foundation of Greater Memphis	Emily Tresham				\$2,000.00									\$500.00	\$25,000.00	\$2,500.00
119	Hospitality Hub of Memphis	Kelcey Johnson	\$5,000.00	\$20,000.00		\$5,000.00				\$7,500.00					\$18,700.00	\$65,000.00	\$56,200.00
127	Husband Institute	Ricky Floyd	\$2,500.00						\$2,500.00	\$5,000.00			\$2,500.00			\$12,500.00	\$12,500.00
133	Inner L.I.G.H.T. Youth and Community Development	David A Rose		\$2,500.00		\$2,000.00							\$2,000.00			\$15,000.00	\$6,500.00
19	Junior League of Memphis	Michelle Nixon					\$5,000.00									\$7,500.00	\$5,000.00
114	Knowledge Quest	Trina Williams							\$1,000.00				\$6,500.00		\$500.00	\$100,000.00	\$8,000.00
27	Ladies In Need Can Survive, Inc.	Wanda Faye Taylor				\$12,000.00				\$7,500.00						\$80,000.00	\$19,500.00
106	Leadership Memphis (Volunteer Memphis)	Reeqie Crenshaw										\$20,000.00	\$5,000.00			\$94,400.00	\$25,000.00
67	LeeJazzOmega, Inc. dba Memphis Jazz Workshop	Stephen Lee							\$8,000.00							\$25,000.00	\$8,000.00
32	Legacy of Legends CDC	Charlie Caswell				\$10,000.00			\$5,000.00	\$7,500.00			\$2,500.00			\$60,000.00	\$25,000.00
75	Let's Innovation Through Education DBA LITE Memphis	Lakethia Glenn											\$5,000.00		\$500.00	\$100,000.00	\$5,800.00
90	LIA (Laymen In Action) House of Memphis, Inc.	Leo Tate						\$5,000.00							\$500.00	\$21,900.00	\$5,500.00
81	LIFEline to Success Inc	DeAndre Devon Brown, Sr	\$15,000.00			\$10,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$10,000.00			\$6,000.00			\$200,000.00	\$48,500.00
131	Love of the Truth International	Karl Ward								\$8,000.00						\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00
45	Man Up Teacher Fellows, Inc	Patrick Washington				\$2,000.00				\$5,000.00	\$15,000.00		\$1,500.00			\$50,000.00	\$23,500.00
116	Memphis Area Minority Contractors Association	Stephanie Alexander							\$5,000.00				\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$15,000.00
24	Memphis Area Project South (MAP-SOUTH)	Joseph Mullins					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00								\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
82	Memphis Athletic Ministries	Mandie Johnson				\$5,000.00							\$3,500.00		\$5,000.00	\$391,036.00	\$13,500.00
94	Memphis Brooks Museum of Art	Emily Ballew Neff, Ph.D.				\$2,000.00					\$50,000.00				\$5,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$57,000.00
29	Memphis Child Advocacy Center	Virginia Stallworth	\$25,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$2,000.00		\$5,000.00			\$50,000.00				\$10,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
125	Memphis Christian Pastors Network	James E. Kirkwood						\$5,000.00		\$10,000.00						\$20,200.00	\$20,200.00
152	Memphis Cotton Makers Jubilee	Clyde Vinson					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$5,000.00			\$500.00	\$25,000.00	\$15,500.00
113	Memphis Filmworks	Lakethen Mason				\$2,000.00			\$1,000.00				\$1,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$16,000.00	\$9,000.00
4	Memphis Gridiron Ministries, Inc.	Wade West	\$3,500.00								\$15,000.00				\$5,000.00	\$23,500.00	\$23,500.00
51	Memphis Kings Youth	Lysander Sam Davis	\$1,500.00									\$3,000.00	\$3,500.00			\$50,000.00	\$8,000.00
54	Memphis Partnerships Advocates for Community Development (MPAC)	Lorenzo Williams	\$10,000.00												\$500.00	\$150,000.00	\$10,500.00
137	Memphis Shelby PAL	Elise Herron		\$10,000.00		\$2,000.00							\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$45,000.00	\$22,000.00
38	Memphis Symphony Orchestra	Brandon Knisley		\$10,500.00								\$2,500.00			\$5,000.00	\$83,804.00	\$18,000.00
126	Memphis Youth Arts Initiative	Corey F Travis													\$1,000.00	\$23,000.00	\$1,000.00
21	Meritan, Inc.	Melanie Keller		\$10,000.00					\$5,000.00						\$5,000.00	\$65,000.00	\$20,000.00
69	Metropolitan Inter-Faith Association	Arnetta Stanton Macklin	\$10,000.00	\$22,000.00	\$50,000.00			\$10,000.00							\$5,000.00	\$125,000.00	\$97,000.00

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79	Mid-South Community Justice & Mediation Center	Stephen Shields													\$4,800.00	\$4,800.00	\$4,800.00
2	Mid-South Food Bank	Alfred Garrett	\$10,000.00			\$5,000.00						\$5,000.00			\$5,000.00	\$130,000.00	\$25,000.00
55	Mission Possible COSM	Thelma Nelms				\$5,000.00								\$5,000.00		\$109,000.00	\$10,000.00
13	Music Export Memphis	Elizabeth Cawein	\$1,500.00													\$10,000.00	\$1,500.00
17	My City Rides	Megan Klein											\$7,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$12,000.00
107	My Cup of Tea, Inc.	Joseph Michael Carpenter	\$1,500.00	\$5,000.00										\$5,000.00	\$500.00	\$25,000.00	\$12,000.00
111	NAACP Memphis	Vickie Terry				\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00		\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00			\$61,250.00	\$40,000.00
68	National Coalition of 100 Black Women Memphis Chapter	Katrina Thompson					\$3,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$5,000.00				\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00
99	New Ballet Ensemble Inc.	Katie Smythe							\$4,000.00					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$40,000.00	\$14,000.00
18	One Room for Rent	James Lester					\$5,000.00									\$8,800.00	\$5,000.00
	Orange Mound Community Parade Committee																
11		Claudette Boyd						\$2,400.00					\$1,500.00			\$3,900.00	\$3,900.00
96	Overton Park Conservancy	Kaci Murley											\$4,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$47,500.00	\$9,000.00
61	Play Where You Stay	Ellen Roberds	\$12,000.00												\$5,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$17,000.00
70	Playback Memphis	Ozge Kovarik													\$5,000.00	\$15,200.00	\$5,000.00
6	Porter-Leath	James Otcoole				\$5,000.00									\$5,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$10,000.00
68	PURE Youth Athletics Alliance	Melvin Cole	\$15,000.00					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00			\$5,000.00	\$6,000.00			\$150,000.00	\$36,000.00
15	Pyramid Recovery Center	Anita Bradford					\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$2,880.00				\$18,000.00	\$12,880.00
71	REACH Memphis	Marqaret Rvan	\$3,000.00				\$5,000.00								\$1,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$9,000.00
95	Relationship Unleashed	Gwendolyn D. Clemons											\$2,500.00		\$1,000.00	\$22,500.00	\$3,500.00
149	RISE Foundation Inc	Shelia Y. Terrell							\$25,000.00	\$5,000.00						\$150,000.00	\$30,000.00
36	Service Over Self, Inc.	Philip Walkley									\$15,000.00					\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
58	Strive School of Music	Kenton Jackson				\$5,000.00										\$19,355.00	\$5,000.00
	Sweet Cheeks Diaper Ministry																
9	(Changed 901)	Cor Smith		\$10,000.00						\$7,500.00						\$35,000.00	\$17,500.00
147	Tarik Black Foundation	Judith Black Moore										\$5,000.00		\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00
80	Tennessee Shakespeare Company	Dan McCleary					\$5,000.00									\$15,000.00	\$5,000.00
118	The Collective The CLTV Inc (Tone Memphis)	Victoria Jones				\$5,000.00							\$3,600.00		\$1,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$9,600.00
91	The Gaal House	Melvin A. Lewis	\$15,000.00													\$33,600.00	\$15,000.00
93	The Independent Parent Inc	Joshua Perkins											\$3,500.00			\$49,950.00	\$3,500.00
105	Theatre Memphis	Debbie Litch	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00											\$5,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$15,000.00
124	Thistle and Bee Enterprises	Eli Cloud					\$5,000.00									\$24,000.00	\$5,000.00
3	Ucan of Memphis	Leshundra Robinson				\$10,000.00			\$1,000.00				\$4,000.00			\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
14	Uplift Foundation Inc.	James Waller							\$3,000.00							\$8,000.00	\$3,000.00
150	Uplift Westwood Community Development Corporation	Melvin Watkins					\$5,000.00					\$5,000.00	\$3,500.00			\$15,000.00	\$13,500.00
43	Urban Communities Ministries	Donna Walker											\$9,525.00			\$25,000.00	\$9,525.00
87	Victorian Village Inc. C.D.C.	Mr. Scott Blake				\$10,000.00									\$1,000.00	\$11,000.00	\$11,000.00
78	Vollintine Evergreen Community Association (VECA)	Marci Hendrix				\$10,000.00									\$5,000.00	\$30,500.00	\$15,000.00
7	Vote 70, Inc.	Paula F. Casey				\$2,000.00						\$5,000.00				\$20,000.00	\$7,000.00
129	Wolf River Conservancy	Kelsey Hamilton Gibbs	\$5,000.00			\$5,000.00				\$5,000.00					\$5,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$20,000.00
108	Women's Foundation For A Greater Memphis	Shante Avant					\$5,000.00					\$5,000.00				\$75,000.00	\$10,000.00
101	YMCA of Memphis & the Mid-South	Jerry Martin														\$50,000.00	\$5,000.00
50	Young Actors Guild (YAG)	Sabrina Norwood	\$5,500.00	\$10,000.00			\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00				\$5,000.00	\$5,500.00		\$5,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$41,000.00
46	Young Women's Christian Association of Memphis, Tennessee (YWCA)	Marquepta Odom						\$10,000.00		\$10,000.00		\$3,300.00	\$3,500.00	\$31,500.00	\$5,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$28,300.00
5	Youth Engineered Success (Y.E.S.)	Robert Newman						\$5,000.00					\$3,500.00			\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00
139	Bridging the Gap Enterprises Inc. CDC	Schevonda Greer Hunt								\$2,500.00						\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
	Operation Take Back 901	Arieale Munson				\$1,000.00							\$1,000.00			\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
	Additional allocations TBD			\$30,000.00		\$7,000.00	\$64,640.00	\$34,063.00	\$7,500.00	\$12,000.00			\$9,551.00	\$58,642.00		\$223,396.00	\$223,396.00
	Total Amount Requested		\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$6,251,529.10	\$2,600,000.00

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