



Item:

Afterschool RFP 2023-01 Update & Protest Recommendation (Kristy Goldwire)

Requested Action:

1. Approve staff's recommendation to fund the Willie Mae Stokes Community Center – Afterschool programming in Micanopy, FL
2. Approve increase to Afterschool allocation from \$1,000,000 to \$1,200,000 to support funding additional camp.

Background:

The Children's Trust of Alachua County released the Afterschool RFP 2023-01 on May 12, 2023. Six organizations have been approved for funding (Kids Count of Alachua County, Gainesville Area Community Tennis Association, Boys and Girls Club, Girls Place, Deeper Purpose, and Gainesville Circus Center).

Protests -Per the Guidelines of the RFP, providers not recommended for funding can submit a written protest within 5 days of the Board's funding decision. The Trust received 1 protest from the organization listed below.

1. Willie Mae Stokes Community Center

Attachments:

Score Sheet

Protest Letter – Willie Mae Stokes Community Center

Protest Response – Children's Trust of Alachua County

Programmatic Impact:

Goal 2: All children and youth can learn what they need to be successful.

Fiscal Impact:

Increase Afterschool allocation from \$1,000,000 to \$1,200,000 for FY24. Additional funds to be taken from unallocated program dollars.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval