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WHEREAS, Second Chance W.O.R.K.S. program has been designed to impact the lives of children living within Muscogee County and,

WHEREAS, the Columbus Office of Crime Prevention has authorized funding under the Crime Prevention Program for this project in the amount of \$65,000.00 to Second Chance W.O.R.K.S.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a one-year contract through the Columbus Office of Crime Prevention with Second Chance W.O.R.K.S. for \$65,000.00 for funding the Second Chance W.O.R.K.S. program. Funds are budgeted in the FY26 budget: Other Local Option Sales Tax, Crime Prevention Program.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the 26th day of August, 2025 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of _____ members of said Council. Councilor Allen voting _____. voting _____. Councilor Anker Councilor Chambers voting _____. Councilor Cogle voting _____. Councilor Crabb voting _____. Councilor Davis voting _____. Councilor Garrett voting _____. Councilor Hickey voting _____. Councilor Huff voting _____. Councilor Tucker voting _____. Lindsey G. McLemore B. H. "Skip" Henderson, III Clerk of Council Mayor

Columbus Consolidated Government

Council Meeting

8/26/2025

Agenda Report # ____

TO: Mayor and Council

SUBJECT: Second Chance W.O.R.K.S.

INITIATED BY: Columbus Office of Crime Prevention

Recommendation: Approval is requested to enter into a one-year contract with Second Chance W.O.R.K.S. to award funding for Crime Prevention initiatives.

Background: Columbus Office of Crime Prevention has agreed to recommend the funding of \$65,000.00 to Second Chance W.O.R.K.S. in an effort to provide quality after-school programming and tutoring for juveniles during the school year.

<u>Analysis</u>: Funds will be used to pay for after school tutoring, mentoring and advanced help for children in need. It will focus on specific students and families of students identified from data collected pertaining to negative behaviors of the student. Through this identification there will be parenting workshops and intervention. They will also create alternate solutions to suspension by working hand in hand with schools.

<u>Financial Considerations</u>: These funds are appropriated from the Other Local Option Sales Tax, Crime Prevention Program and do not require a match.

Recommendations/ Actions: Approve the resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into a one-year contract with Second Chance W.O.R.K.S. to provide quality after-school programming and tutoring for juveniles during the school year.