#### **Columbus Consolidated Government**

### **Council Meeting**

#### 8/24/2021

Agenda Report # \_\_\_\_

**TO:** Mayor and Council

**SUBJECT:** Fountain City Slam

**INITIATED BY:** Columbus Office of Crime Prevention

<u>Recommendation</u>: Approval is requested to enter into a one-year contract with Fountain City Slam to award funding for Crime Prevention initiatives.

**Background:** Columbus Office of Crime Prevention has agreed to recommend the funding of \$20,000.00 to Fountain City Slam 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 during and after school mentoring and advanced help for children in need. This will be done through an arts or speech component. It will focus on all students and help them to cope with issues that can create risky behavior.

<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 Fountain City Slam to provide quality after school programming for juveniles during the school year.

#### **A RESOLUTION**

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# A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A ONE-YEAR CONTRACT WITH FOUNTAIN CITY SLAM FOR \$20,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE INITIATIVES OF FOUNTAIN CITY SLAM

WHEREAS, Fountain City Slam 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 \$20,000.00 to Fountain City Slam

## 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 Fountain City Slam for \$20,000.00 for funding the Fountain City Slam program. Funds are budgeted in the FY22 budget: Other Local Option Sales Tax, Crime Prevention Program.

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Councilor Woodson voting  SANDRA DAVIS CLERK	SKIP HENDERSON MAYOR