

Columbus Consolidated Government

Council Meeting

8/8/2023

Agenda Report # ____

TO: Mayor and Council

SUBJECT: Columbus Dream Center

INITIATED BY: Columbus Office of Crime Prevention

Recommendation: Approval is requested to enter into a one-year contract with Columbus Dream Center to award funding for Crime Prevention initiatives.

Background: Columbus Office of Crime Prevention has agreed to recommend the funding of \$20,000.00 to Columbus Dream Center a family restorative program within Muscogee County.

Analysis: The Columbus Dream Center will work to identify and re-direct families to programming that can restore their household and prevent future crisis or issues.

Financial Considerations: 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 Mayor and City Manager to enter a one-year contract with Columbus Dream Center to provide funding for mentoring and restoring families within Muscogee County.

RESOLUTION

NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A ONE-YEAR CONTRACT WITH THE COLUMBUS DREAM CENTER FOR \$20,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE RESTORATIVE PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Columbus Dream Center has the Restorative Program to impact the lives of families 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 The Columbus Dream Center.

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 Columbus Dream Center for \$20,000.00 for funding the restorative program. Funds are budgeted in the FY24 budget: Other Local Option Sales Tax, Crime Prevention Program.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia held on the 8th day of August 2023 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of _____ members of said Council.

- Councilor Allen voting _____
- Councilor Barnes voting _____
- Councilor Begly voting _____
- Councilor Cogle voting _____
- Councilor Crabb voting _____
- Councilor Davis voting _____
- Councilor Garrett voting _____
- Councilor Huff voting _____
- Councilor Thomas voting _____
- Councilor Tucker voting _____

Sandra T. Davis
Clerk of Council

B. H. "Skip" Henderson, III
Mayor