

STAFF REPORT

Subject: 2023 ACCG Summer Internship Grants Program

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Meeting Date: December 6, 2022

Item Description: Ratify and affirm the request to apply for the 2023 ACCG Summer Internship Grants Program.

Summary Recommendation: The ACCG Civic Affairs Foundation is seeking grant applications from counties for the 2023 Georgia County Internship Program (GCIP). County internship grant opportunities are exclusively available for summer. The goal of the program is to enable counties to hire talented high school and college students and recent college graduates for specific projects that will: benefit county government and its citizens; give students a chance to learn first-hand about the role of county government; provide practical work experiences students can use in the job market upon graduation, and inspire young people to consider a career in county government. Any ACCG member county with a substantive internship project proposal may apply for one or more grants. Three internship opportunities are available: 1) the general GCIP, 2) the Joan Garner Health and Human Services Internship Grant, and 3) the Dr. Jim Kundell Environmental Management Internship Grant.

ALTERNATIVES FOR THE COMMISSION TO CONSIDER:

1. Approve and allow staff to proceed with the 2023 ACCG Summer Internship Grants Program application process.
2. Disapprove and provide staff with guidance on how to proceed.

FUNDING: No impact on the budget.

RECOMMENDED ALTERNATIVE: Alternative #1

DOCUMENTS ATTACHED: 2023 Summer GCIP Application
Summer 2023 Grant Application Information Packet
2023 GCIP Grant Cycle Power Point Presentation