

Montgomery MEDC
AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: September 19, 2022	Budgeted Amount: \$0
Department: Admin	Prepared By: DMc

Subject

Consideration and possible action on a grant request for the Lone Star Street Dance.

Recommendation

Approve the request for up to \$2,500 per event for the next two events.

Discussion

A local resident, Stephanie Fox, recently organized a street dance in the historic downtown area that was held on August 13th. The event, inspired by the old-fashioned dances held at Garner State Park, was a success by all measures and Mrs. Fox would like to continue the event by holding a quarterly street dance in downtown. Unlike other commercial events, Mrs. Fox does not see a financial return or personal gain by organizing the event.

It is expected that the attendees will grow in numbers and the reality of modern life is that the event will need to add security and insurance. Mrs. Fox is requesting the MEDC to sponsor the security and insurance costs of the event. The Lone Star Street Dance benefits the City and the MEDC by bringing in a significant number of visitors to the City and enhances the quality of life of residents by providing a unique experience and entertainment.

Approved By

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Interim City Administrator	Dave McCorquodale	Date: 09/15/2022