

City Council Meeting Agenda Item Data Sheet

Meeting Date: September 18, 2023

Topic:

Approve Applications for Grants from FY 2023-2024 Hotel Occupancy Tax (HOT) Funds: Greater Tomball Area Chamber of Commerce, \$45,000; Spring Creek County Historical Association, \$45,000; Tomball Sister City Organization, \$160,000; and Houston Repertoire Ballet, \$21,000

Background:

The Tourism Advisory Committee approved the FY 2023-2024 HOT fund grant applications on July 25, 2023. This included the following applications:

- **Greater Tomball Area Chamber of Commerce – \$45,000 Total**
 - Visitors Center – \$10,000
 - Holiday Parade – \$20,000
 - Tomball Night – \$15,000
- **Spring Creek County Historical Association – \$45,000 Total**
 - Operations Activities – \$45,000
- **Tomball Sister City Organization – \$160,000 Total**
 - German Christmas Market – \$80,000
 - German Heritage Festival – \$80,000
- **Houston Repertoire Ballet – \$21,000 Total**
 - Nutcracker Performance – \$21,000

Origination: HOT Grant applicants

Recommendation: N/A

Party(ies) responsible for placing this item on agenda: Katherine Tapscott, Finance Director

FUNDING (IF APPLICABLE)

Are funds specifically designated in the current budget for the full amount required for this purpose?

Yes: X No: _____ If yes, specify Account Number: 240-240-63XX

If no, funds will be transferred from account # _____ To account # _____

Signed	<u>Katherine Tapscott, CPA</u>	<u>9/11/2023</u>	Approved by	_____
	Finance Director	Date		City Manager
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