



Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County, TN

Legislation Text

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A resolution to appropriate grant funds from the Martha O'Bryan Center's Tennessee Opportunity Pilot Initiative Implementation Grant and the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Action Commission, to formalize the party's relationship while collaborating on direct services, capacity building, collaborative activities, and grant compliance.

WHEREAS, the Martha O'Bryan Center has awarded a grant in an amount not to exceed \$160,000.00 with no cash match required to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Action Commission, to formalize the party's relationship while collaborating on direct services, capacity building, collaborative activities, and grant compliance; and,

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Action Commission has accepted this grant pursuant to its authority under M.C.L. 2.108.050; and,

WHEREAS, it is to the benefit of the citizens of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County that these funds be appropriated to the Metropolitan Action Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY:

Section 1. That the funds from a grant by and between the Martha O'Bryan Center, in an amount not to exceed \$160,000.00, to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Action Commission, to formalize the party's relationship while collaborating on direct services, capacity building, collaborative activities, and grant compliance, a copy of which grant is attached hereto and incorporated herein, be appropriated to the Metropolitan Action Commission.

Section 2. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

Analysis

This resolution appropriates grant funds from the Martha O'Bryan Center to the Metropolitan Action Commission ("MAC") in an amount not to exceed \$160,000 with no local cash match required. This grant is part of the Martha O'Bryan Center's Tennessee Opportunity Pilot Initiative Grant and will formalize the parties' relationship while collaborating on direct services, capacity building, collaborative activities, and grant compliance.

Pursuant to the collaboration agreement, MAC will employ two family-centered coaches who will spend all of their time on Our Chance TN, an initiative from the Tennessee Alliance for Economic Mobility that "endeavors to support families in moving beyond the benefits cliff." The term of the agreement is effective November 1, 2023, and ends October 31, 2024.