



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING**

#22-0385

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: May 17, 2022

TITLE: Motion Authorizing the Execution of an Agreement with CareerSource Broward for the Summer Youth Employment Program - **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission approve an agreement, in substantially the form attached, with CareerSource Broward for a one-year term for the City of Fort Lauderdale Summer Youth Employment Program.

Background

CareerSource Broward and the Children's Services Council have partnered to implement a Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP). The City of Fort Lauderdale has participated in this program for the past eighteen (18) years. All of the students in this program are residents of the City of Fort Lauderdale who qualify for the low-income threshold established by CareerSource Broward. The City takes this opportunity to interface with the community by reaching out to its youth. The students learn life lessons such as responsibility and being part of a team, as well as job skills. The City also provides additional workshops on setting career goals, how to budget money, how to get a job and how government works. Overall, the program supports at risk youth in the community.

CareerSource Broward has agreed to provide a summer work experience program to Fort Lauderdale residents, ages sixteen (16) through eighteen (18), at various City of Fort Lauderdale Departments for up to thirty (30) hours per week and for up to eight (8) weeks, beginning June 13, 2022. The program shall be completed no later than August 9, 2022. Up to thirty-nine (39) residents will participate in the program this year based on funding.

Resource Impact

There is a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$190,000.00 for the year.

Funds available as of May 5,2022					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
001-GEN050101-4210	Other General Government – Social/Cultural	Other Operating Expenses/Social Contributions	\$390,000	\$355,505	\$190,000
TOTAL AMOUNT ►					\$190,000

Strategic Connections

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Internal Support Focus Area
- Goal 7: Build a values-based organization dedicated to developing and retaining qualified employees.
- Objective: Establish an organizational cultural that fosters rewarding, professional careers.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035* Vision Plan: We Are United.

Attachments

- Exhibit 1 - 2022 SYEP Agreement
- Exhibit 2 - SYEP Cost Estimate Budget
- Exhibit 3 - Interlocal Agreement

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