

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Completed by County Counselor's Office:

Res/~~Ord~~ No.: 18889

Sponsor(s): Dennis Waits

Date: July 20, 2015

<p>SUBJECT</p>	<p>Action Requested <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance</p> <p>Project/Title: <u>A resolution authorizing the Director of Finance and Purchasing to make payment from the County's Anti-Drug Sales Tax Fund for the 2015 Fiscal year to The Whole Person, not to exceed \$500.</u></p>														
<p>BUDGET INFORMATION <i>To be completed By Requesting Department and Finance</i></p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="329 548 1269 921"> <tr> <td>Amount authorized by this legislation this fiscal year:</td> <td>\$500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Amount previously authorized this fiscal year:</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total amount authorized after this legislative action:</td> <td>\$500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Amount budgeted for this item *(Including transfers):</td> <td>\$500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Source of funding (name of fund) and account code number;</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FROM</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>008-Anti-Drug, 4401- 56210</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>If account includes additional funds for other expenses, total budgeted in the account is: \$70,000.00 <input type="checkbox"/> No budget impact (no fiscal note required)</p> <p>Prior Year Budget (if applicable): \$70,000.00 Prior Year Actual Amount Spent (if applicable): \$68,251.00</p>	Amount authorized by this legislation this fiscal year:	\$500.00	Amount previously authorized this fiscal year:	0	Total amount authorized after this legislative action:	\$500.00	Amount budgeted for this item *(Including transfers):	\$500.00	Source of funding (name of fund) and account code number;		FROM		008-Anti-Drug, 4401- 56210	
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<p>PRIOR LEGISLATION</p>	<p>Prior ordinances and (date): none Prior resolutions and (date): Total \$8,000 in 2014: Res# 18628,\$1,500.00 Res.18567, \$6,500.00 <u>Total 8,000 in 2013: Res# 18176, \$4,000, Res#18240, \$4,000.</u></p>														
<p>CONTACT INFORMATION</p>	<p>RLA drafted by: DaRon McGee, Public Affairs Coordinator, 816.881.1414</p>														
<p>REQUEST SUMMARY</p>	<p>A resolution authorizing the Director of Finance and Purchasing to provide a sponsorship not to exceed \$500 to the Whole Person from the 2015 Anti-Drug Sales Tax fiscal year. The Resolution is to serve as a sponsor of the 25th anniversary of the American Disabilities Act (ADA). The event will be held on Monday, July 27, 2015. The Whole Person will be hosting a Midday Music Outdoor Event to celebrate this occasion. According to the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Office on Disability "Substance Abuse and Disability" approximately 54 million Americans experience some form of disability. It is estimated that 14.7 million adults experience a substance abuse problem in addition to a co-existing disability. Individuals with disabilities are disproportionately at greater risk of substance abuse due to multiple risk factors such as "medication and health problems and a lack of accessible and appropriate prevention and treatment services.</p> <p>This is an opportunity for Jackson County COMBAT to get recognition with a new population in Jackson County. The interest in the issues regarding substance abuse and the disabled would make for a natural partnership. The Whole Person is a 501(C) 3 non-profit organization.</p> <p>Background: The Anti-Drug Sales Tax fund authorizes the County Executive to execute agreements and contracted service for the purpose of providing substance abuse treatment, prevention, grant match, and other anti-drug and anti-violence initiatives in the community. The Drug Commission authorized the standards of sponsorships to further the marketing of the COMBAT mission.</p>														

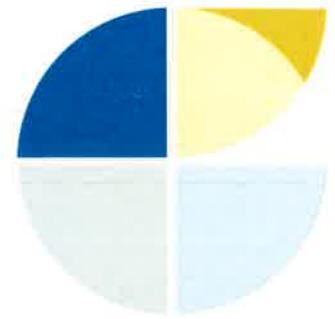
CLEARANCE	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax Clearance Completed (Purchasing & Department) <input type="checkbox"/> Business License Verified (Purchasing & Department) <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 6 Compliance - Affirmative Action/Prevailing Wage (County Auditor's Office)	
ATTACHMENTS	Exhibit A	
REVIEW	Department Director: <i>Stacy Davis</i>	Date: <i>7-9-2015</i>
	Finance (Budget Approval): <i>If applicable</i> <i>Mary Rasmussen</i>	Date: <i>7/10/15</i>
	Division Manager: <i>Mary Jo Brown</i>	Date: <i>7/15/15</i>
	County Counselor's Office:	Date:

Fiscal Information (to be verified by Budget Office in Finance Department)

- This expenditure was included in the annual budget.
- Funds for this were encumbered from the _____ Fund in _____.
- There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized.
- Funds sufficient for this expenditure will be/were appropriated by Ordinance # _____
- Funds sufficient for this appropriation are available from the source indicated below.

Account Number:	Account Title:	Amount Not to Exceed:

- This award is made on a need basis and does not obligate Jackson County to pay any specific amount. The availability of funds for specific purchases will, of necessity, be determined as each using agency places its order.
- This legislative action does not impact the County financially and does not require Finance/Budget approval.



Dear Mr. McGee,

July 26, 2015 marks the **25th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)**. Celebrations of the signing of the ADA by President George H.W. Bush on July 26, 1990 are taking place across the nation and locally in Kansas City, The Whole Person will be celebrating as well!

The ADA and the ADA Amendments Act of 2008 (ADAAA) give civil rights protections to individuals with disabilities similar to those provided to individuals on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, age, and religion. The ADA and ADAAA also assure equal opportunity for individuals with disabilities for access to businesses, employment, transportation, state and local government programs and services, and telecommunications.

To celebrate this 25th milestone, **On Monday, July 27, 2015, The Whole Person will be hosting a Midday Music Outdoor event at our location, 3710 Main Street, KCMO 11.30 am to 1pm.** This event will feature fun, food, music, city council representatives and activities for the surrounding community and our consumers that we serve which are people with disabilities. Individuals with physical disability and mental illness often self-medicate through the abuse of drugs, both prescription and illicit. The Whole Person, as a Center for Independent Living is committed to providing prevention and education to people with disabilities and mental illness.

We are requesting that COMBAT be a Food sponsor for our Mid-Day Fun event in the amount of \$500. For your donation, we will place the COMBAT logo on our website, display a banner at the event and have COMBAT information displayed at our information table to distribute to our consumers.

I hope to have the support of COMBAT as we aim to reduce substance abuse among people with disabilities in Jackson County. I look forward to hearing from you soon!

Sincerely,

Terri Goddard
Resource Development Manager

MISSION

The Whole Person assists people with disabilities to live independently and encourages change within the community to expand opportunities for independent living.

VISION

The Whole Person envisions a fully integrated community of equality, where opportunities and choices are not limited by disability. We will promote a world in which people with disabilities will exercise independent choices and join with their supporters to advocate for positive change within society and its systems.

