
Date: March 7, 2023

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To: Honorable Mayor Rex Richardson and Members of the City Council

From: Councilwoman Suely Saro, Sixth District

Subject: Funds Transfer Request to Speak Up Empowerment Foundation to Support the 7th Annual Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum

RECOMMENDATION:

Increase appropriations in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department by \$500, offset by the Sixth Council District One-time District Priority Funds transferred from the Citywide Activities Department to provide a contribution to Speak Up Empowerment Foundation, Inc. to support their 7th Annual Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum, and;

Decrease appropriations in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department by \$500 to offset a transfer to the City Manager Department.

Discussion

Speak Up Empowerment Foundation, Inc. (SUEF) will host its 7th Annual Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum on Saturday April 22, 2023. SUEF is a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide access to resources, training and support for female-headed single-parent families in the Greater Long Beach Area and surrounding communities. The 7th Annual Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum is SUEF's pre-Mother's Day celebration. The goal of the event is to celebrate and uplift single moms by offering single-parent female-headed families a full day of access to empowering business, educational, financial, family, health/wellness, and legal speakers along with other relevant resources.

This item has been reviewed by Budget Analyst Joe R. Guerrero on February 23, 2023.

FISCAL IMPACT

This recommendation requests the City Manager to provide a contribution to Speak Up Empowerment Foundation, Inc. to support their 7th Annual Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum on Saturday April 22, 2023. The total appropriation increase of \$500 in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department will be offset by a decrease of Sixth Council District One-time District Priority Funds in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department. The requested action is anticipated to require a minimal level of staff hours beyond the budgeted scope of duties and is expected to have minimal impact on existing City Council priorities.

SUGGESTED ACTION

Approve Recommendation.