



MEMORANDUM

Council Agenda
Item No. IX. Z
11/19/2024

The City of OKLAHOMA CITY

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Craig Freeman, City Manager

Resolution approving allocation of the 2024-2025 Social Services Grant funds and approving Professional Services Agreements with Heartline, Inc., \$21,000; Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma, Inc., \$20,000; Pivot, Inc., \$30,000; Sisu Youth, Inc., \$30,000; and Urban League of Greater Oklahoma City, Inc., \$20,000, retroactive to July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025.

Background:

The Social Services Grant funds local programs that serve individuals and families with extremely low incomes and those experiencing homelessness. Services include, but are not limited to, rental assistance, utility assistance, emergency medical needs for survivors of domestic violence, employment training, dental and medical needs, emergency shelter for homeless youth and case management.

The City Council has budgeted \$121,000 in Social Services Grant funds for fiscal year 2024-2025. On June 12, 2024, the Planning Department notified local service providers of the availability of the 2024-2025 Social Services funds and eight (8) applications were received.

The Continuum of Care (CoC) Allocations Committee met on July 22, 2024, and reviewed all requests for funds. After evaluation, the Committee recommended funding five (5) of the eight (8) projects. The Professional Service Agreements for all five (5) of the eight (8) projects are being submitted for approval today.

1.	Heartline, Inc.	\$ 21,000
2.	Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma, Inc.	\$ 20,000
3.	Pivot, Inc.	\$ 30,000
4.	Sisu Youth, Inc.	\$ 30,000
5.	Urban League of Greater Oklahoma City, Inc.	\$ 20,000

Cost:

\$121,000

Source of Funds:

General Operations – Planning and Community Services – Management Contract (1001-2400206-52010001)

Review:

Planning Department

Recommendation: Resolution be adopted.