



DeKalb County Government

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1300 Commerce Drive
Decatur, Georgia 30030

Agenda Item

File ID: 2023-1406

Substitute

11/8/2023

Public Hearing: YES NO

Department: Board of Commissioner - District 7

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): District 7

To Appropriate A Total Of \$15,000 From the District 7 Reserve For Appropriation To Royal Adult Day Services

Information Contact: Commissioner Lorraine Cochran-Johnson

Phone Number: 404-371-2899

PURPOSE:

To appropriate District 7 reserves in the amount of \$15,000 to Royal Adult Day Services to provide therapy services and programming to DeKalb County senior citizens living with Alzheimer's and dementia.

NEED/IMPACT:

According to the Alzheimer's Association, over six million people aged 65 and older in the United States have Alzheimer's disease. Approximately, 10,000 are living with the disease in DeKalb County. Research shows that feelings of isolation have serious health consequences, including anxiety, stress, decreased mental wellness, and physical problems. The funds will be used to provide therapy services and programming with a focus on memory stimulation and engagement for senior citizens living with Alzheimer's and dementia in DeKalb County.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase appropriation for the following account by the amount indicated below:

Non-Departmental – Unincorporated Fund – Other Miscellaneous Payments (09130.573099.272.0000.0000) - \$15,000

Decrease appropriation for the following account by the amount indicated below:

Non-Departmental – Unincorporated Fund – Reserve for Appropriation (09130.579002.272.0000.0000) - \$15,000

RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the resolution and authorize the chief executive officer to execute all necessary documents.