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2025 LCF Georgia Collaborative Opportunities @ Dekalb County

Prepared for Commissioner Michelle Long Spears

LCF Georgia Organizational Background

The Latino Community Fund (LCF Georgia) is a both a direct service and a philanthropic intermediary incorporated as a 501 c 3 community organization.

With 41 member groups, **all operating under non-partisan standards** across Georgia, LCF Georgia exists to strengthen the infrastructure of nonprofit organizations working in partnership with Latino and immigrant community in the state, to bridge service gaps, protect and advance contributions and build leadership through our three strategic pillars and programs:

Pillars

- Advancing People's Democracy
- Protecting and Building Communities
- Expanding Economic Opportunity

Programs

1. Advocacy
2. Civic Participation
3. Health & Wellbeing
4. Technical Assistance
5. Community Investments

Our promise is to accelerate positive and equitable change for our diverse communities in Georgia.

This proposal is to help ongoing work specific to Dekalb County serving all but designing for the communities we consider the most vulnerable:

- Limited English Proficiency
- Limited or diverse documentation status
- Front line occupations
- Multiple Dependents
- Limited Access to Transportation or mobility limitations

About This Proposal

WHAT

This proposal includes 3 key areas of work directly implemented in Dekalb County and in alignment with both nonprofits priorities:

Protecting and Building Communities

- Through health & wellbeing free screenings, referrals and services
 - *FREE health screenings (cholesterol, diabetes and blood pressure) navigation and referral services*



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- *FREE in-language educational workshops in Know Your Rights for patients, tenants and in school at community events and for visitors to the Mexican Consulate*

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES DELIVERED THROUGH THE INITIATIVES INCLUDED IN THIS PROPOSAL

- Public health education:
 - Patient Rights
 - Tenant Rights
 - Voter Rights
 - Diabetes/Hypertension
 - Mental Health/Self-Care
 - Reproductive/Women's Health
 - Heart health
 - Immunizations (as we are able to secure them for free)
- Health preventive screenings:
 - Blood pressure
 - Cholesterol
 - Diabetes

About our Health & Wellbeing Program

The purpose of the Health & Wellbeing Program is to educate, mitigate, and support the Latinx and immigrant community in Georgia in their journey towards a healthy, informed and self sufficient community.

Annually, our health and wellbeing program provides direct services (in person) to approximately 18,000 people with the bulk of the numbers delivered within Dekalb County through various community fairs, our annual soccer camp, and consistent work in various international consulates. We estimate over 50,000 people are reached with public health education both digitally and in-person every year statewide.

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF TOTAL PEOPLE SUPPORTED/SERVED

Health & Wellbeing Services & Education: 500 people served

Community Events: 200 people engaged

Category	Total Cost	Request	Updated Request	Details
Protecting & Building Community	\$150,000	\$35,000	\$32,000	- Supporting the health screenings, navigation and referrals of at least 500 people in the county through free community events and services at the Mexican and Peruvian Consulates
Administrative Costs	\$15,000	\$3,500	\$3,000	10% of programmatic costs
TOTAL		\$38,500	\$35,000	



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