



DeKalb County Government

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Legislation Text

File #: 2022-1600, Version: 1

Public Hearing: YES NO **Department:** Juvenile Court

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): All Commission Districts

Request for Approval of Contract in the Amount Not to Exceed \$125,000 with Construction Education Foundation of Georgia (CEFGA)

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PURPOSE:

To consider approval of contract not to exceed \$125,000 to provide occupational training and pre-apprenticeship opportunities for Juvenile Court's YouthBuild program for youth in DeKalb County.

NEED/IMPACT:

In June 2021, The U.S. Department of Labor-Employment and Training Administration (DOL-ETA) awarded and the Board of Commissioner's approved a grant for DeKalb County Juvenile Court in the amount of \$949,811 to administer the YouthBuild program. The program is a community-based pre-apprenticeship program that provides job training and educational opportunities for at-risk youth ages 16-24.

This contract will provide the occupational training and pre-apprenticeship portion for youth enrolled in Juvenile Court's YouthBuild program. Construction Education Foundation of Georgia (CEFGA) provides training created to assist students acquire industry-certified credentials and skills that will translate into skilled labor in the construction industry.

The grant period for the contract is July 1, 2021-October 31, 2024.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The grant awarded from the U.S. Department of Labor-Employment and Training Administration for the YouthBuild grant will provide funding for the contract. No cost will be incurred by the county.

RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the contract for Construction Education Foundation of Georgia (CEFGA); 1940 The Exchange SE Ste 200, Atlanta, GA 30039; Amount not to Exceed \$125,000; and authorize the Chief Executive Officer to execute the contract and all associated documents.