



# DeKalb County Government

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Request to Accept Subgrant Award in the Amount of \$68,527 from the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council for Fiscal Year 2024.

### Indexes:

**Attachments:** 1. BOC Agenda Item for CJCC Grant FY 24\_06.20.pdf, 2. J24-8-063 DeKalb Misdemeanor Mental Health Court Award Letter FY24, 3. J24-8-063 DeKalb Misdemeanor Mental Health Court Award Budget FY24

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
6/27/2023	1	Board of Commissioners	approved	Pass
6/20/2023	1	Committee of the Whole	Accepted to the BOC agenda - Consent	

**Public Hearing:** YES ☐ NO ☒    **Department:** Magistrate Court

### AGENDA ITEM:

**Commission District(s): All Commission Districts.**

Request to Accept Subgrant Award in the Amount of \$68,527 from the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council for Fiscal Year 2024.

**Information Contact:** Judge Rhathelia Stroud, Presiding Judge MMHC

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### PURPOSE:

To accept subgrant award in the amount of \$68,527 awarded by the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council to the County for the benefit of the Magistrate Court of DeKalb County's Misdemeanor Mental Health Court, which is the county's adult misdemeanor mental health court. The MMHC is fully certified by the State of Georgia through February 28, 2024.

### NEED/IMPACT:

The grant funds will be used to continue to support the court's mission in a collaborative effort with other entities and agencies in the decriminalization of persons living with serious mental illness engaged in the criminal justice system. Through the efforts of the MMHC, these funds will be used to defray costs associated with the MMHC's operations, administration, medication, transportation, and treatment options for participants.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

The county is required to provide a 12% match of funds awarded. The match in the amount of \$9,345 will be requested from the county.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

To accept the grant funds in the amount of \$68,527 from the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council for the benefit of the Magistrate Court of DeKalb County's Misdemeanor Mental Health Court.

To authorize the Chief Executive Officer to execute all necessary documents.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**