2024 Neighborhood Grant Program Planning Division Recommendations							
Projects recommended for funding			Avg. Score	Rank	Grant Request	Rec. Amt.*	Conditions
Bay Creek Neighborhood Association, Inc. (BCNA)	District 13 - Tag Evers	Building Community with a Small Gathering Space - create a third space, at Bernie's Beach to help build community and intergenerational appeal with an ADA accessible checkers/chess concrete game table, backgammon placemat, Little Free Library, and bike repair stand.	77	1	\$ 4,294.00		Planning Division must approve a revised detailed budget and scope of services; Parks Division and Privilege in Streets review process required for site plan and maintenance plan and agreement; Grantee must sign and adhere to maintenance agreement.
5+ people in Summit Woods Area - Kim Sprecker, Alice Buechner, Dorit Bergen, Jakob Scogin, Tim Hughes, William Busch, Steph Judge, Janice Bucholtz, Laurie Ysen, Christine Boyd	District 10 - Yannette Figueroa Cole	Summit Woods Enrichment Committee Initiatives - Create and distribute a survey targeting the interests of our apartment neighbors, a neighborhood flyer to better inform residents of the Enrichment Committee's objectives and neighborhood directory to promote social efforts and create cohesiveness between neighbors. Host a Spring Festival to reconnect after a long winter of isolation. Provide ongoing support of other family/community events.	67	2	\$ 5,000.00		Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; applicant to contact Parks Division for necessary permits; survey of neighbors and promotion of events must be inclusive of area renters and Planning Division must review and approve these materials and approach; Grantee must provide survey results and other deliverables specified in City contract as part of Project Closeout Report.
Neighborhood House Community Center Inc.	District 13 - Tag Evers	Little Free Pantries and Mobile Produce Cart - build and install Little Free Pantries around the Greenbush Neighborhood and a mobile produce cart in Neighborhood House's green space at 29 S. Mills St. to alleviate food insecurity, serve as a community art project, and connect residents to their local food resources.	66	3	\$ 1,900.00		Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget, and scope of services; Planning Division must review and approve design and site plan for produce shelving proposed for Neighborhood House property; All Little Free Pantries need to meet the zoning code supplemental regulations for a mission box (accessory), as listed in Sec. 28.151.
Allied-Dunn's Marsh Neighborhood Association, Inc. (ADMNA)	District 10 - Yannette Figueroa Cole	Neighborhood Association Promotion and Community Building - increase awareness of ADMNA with increased attendance at neighborhood and community events; connect residents to local agencies and social services; identify residents interested in volunteering and serving with the neighborhood association, and building community connections through culturally-relevant team-building activities.	62	4	\$ 1,280.00		Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; Grantee will provide Planning Division with numbers of new association members and those who participate in culturally relevant team building activities in Spanish.
North Street Neighborhood Association, Inc.	District 12 - Amani Latimer Burris	Two Neighborhoods, One Association: Bringing New Neighbors Together - in November 2023, the Emerson East and Eken Park Neighborhood Associations merged to create the North Street Neighborhood Association. We'll distribute a one-time mailer to residents to inform them of the new association, website and contact information, seek feedback/input from neighbors, and promote the merger and ask folks to fill out the survey at the Eken Park Fest in August and 2nd Emerson-East/Eken Park Art Walk in September.	61	5	\$ 1,500.00		Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; survey and promotion of it must be inclusive of renters in the area and Planning Division must approve survey and promotion approach; upon project completion, NSA will provide survey results with final Project Closeout Report.

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West District Saturday Family Reading Project	District 1 - Barbara Harrington- McKinney	West District Saturday Family Reading Project - a neighborhood-led initiative aimed at addressing the student achievement gap in reading proficiency for low-income families. The Project intends to disrupt the crisis in the Madison School District's Elementary Schools where 48.1% of Black students are reported not proficient in reading resulting in a Black-White achievement gap of 57.4	59	6	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; upon project completion, grantee will provide Planning Division with records of attendance at events, reading proficiency outcomes and graduation results as part of final Project Closeout Report.
Lake Edge Neighborhood Association, Inc. (LENA)	District 15 - Dina Nina Martinez- Rutherford	Lake Edge Boulevard Median Planting - beautify and fortify the median of Lake Edge Boulevard, a lovely divided street that runs from Lake Edge Park to the corner of Buckeye and Monona Drive by replacing the grass on the end caps of each median with native drought tolerant perennials and prairie grasses using the support of a Master Gardener.	59	6	\$ 2,500.0	0 \$ 2,500.00	Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; Privilege in Streets and Forestry review and approval for plantings, site plan and management plan; Grantee must sign and adhere to maintenance plan; City Engineering Adopt-a-Median review and requirements must be adhered to for type of plantings, location, planting permits and volunteer to work in right of way waivers.
Madison Northside Planning Council, Inc.	District 18 - Charles Myadze and District 12 - Amani Latimer Burris	Revitalizing & Catalyzing Northside Neighborhood Leadership & Infrastructure -catalyze much more active community leadership at the neighborhood level (formal and informal) by gathering neighborhood groups to share a meal and stories of successes, project examples, pressing issues and promising practices. Neighborhoods will be encouraged to plan some event/activity in their own	56	8	\$ 1,500.00	1,500.00	Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; Planning Division must approve the project scope and budget of individual neighborhood projects as they are proposed, and individual groups must adhere to Neighborhood Grant Program terms for eligible project activities and expenses.
Carpenter-Ridgeway Neighborhood Association	District 12 - Amani Latimer Burris	Neighborhood Repairs & Improvements _ repair the Little Free Library and Kiosk in Carpenter Ridgeway Park and the metal sign welcoming people into the Carpenter-Ridgeway Neighborhood at the corner of Fair Oaks and Commercial Avenue was damaged (it appears to have been hit by a car).	55	9	\$ 1,365.0	0 \$ 1,365.00	Planning Division must approve a revised, detailed budget and scope of services; Parks Division must review and approve proposal for repairing Little Free Library and kiosks in Carpetner-Ridgeway Park; existing PIS agreement and maintenance plan must be adhered to for the replacement of damaged neighborhood sign.
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Bayview Foundation, Inc.	District 13 - Tag Evers	Southeast Asian art piece - textile artwork for the Senior Lounge in the community center facilitated by Bayview staff members Pa Der Lor and Tess Stroh. Up to 20 senior resident artists will be involved in the creation of the artwork. The piece will reflect themes of home, security, health and wellbeing.	54	10	\$ 5,000.0	0 NA	

Capitol Neighborhoods Inc.	District 4 - Michael Verveer	Picnic in the Park - outreach and engagement initiative that utilizes a direct door mailing and social media marketing to increase neighborhood engagement and awareness of CNI, culminating in an end-of-summer, family-friendly event at James Madison Park.	54	10	\$ 6,560.00	NA	
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Tenney Lapham Neighborhood Association, Inc.	District 6 - Marsha Rummel	Beautify Johnson St. Corridor with Planters - install six planters along the E. Johnson Street corridor and fill them with colorful annuals and succulants to visually unite the businesses in our district.	53	12	\$ 3,625.00	NA	
Vilas Neighborhood Association, Inc.	District 13 - Tag Evers	Vilas Sign Rehab & Replacement- three signs at highly visible localons need maintenance attention. One sign is broken and needs replacement, and we are seeking a grant to replace it with a durable high-density urethane (HDU) sign. The other two signs will be repaired and rehabbed by neighborhood volunteers.	53	12	\$ 2,500.00	NA	
Summit Woods Website Committee	District 10 - Yannette Figueroa Cole	Website Development - Develop a neighborhood website targeting resident communication and involvement, with the added of goal of having one central place to communicate with the residents of Summit Woods.	52	14	\$ 3,951.00	NA	
Northstar Neighborhood Association	District 3 - Derek Field	The orchard at Northstar Park - plant 6 edible fruit trees in managed meadow along Northstar Dr. Will host a neighbrohood planting event in early June. Harvest season coincides with other established events of July 4th, and Sept. food carts in park.	51	15	\$ 1,200.00	NA	
5+ people in the South Madison area (Isadore Knox, Jeff Richter, Maia Pearson, Carrie Rothburd, Cheryl Roeben, Dave Davis, Ms. Sadie Pearson, Pia Kinney James, Sheri Carter)	District 14 - Isadore Knox	South Madison Unite! Grassroots Community Outreach and Capacity Building - bring an equity- and solution-focused lens to issues facing South Madison; ensure the grassroots participation of area residents in a discussion of community challenges and identification solutions.	47	16	\$ 7,822.00	NA	
5+ people in an area (All in Bay Creek: Barb Bailley, Zach Levin, Manuel Ramminger, Jenny Hayes, Charlene Sweeney, Lisie Kitchel, Judy Robinson, Kathy O'Dea)	District 13 - Tag Evers	Bay Creek Area – Building Capacity through Community Outreach- increase participation in BCNA and enhance communication and interaction among neighbors. Participation in meetings, which initially increased with the advent of virtual gatherings, has dropped off again in 2023.	45	17	\$ 3,211.00	NA	

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Pdice Entertainment, LLC	NA	P.E.A.C.E. Positve Energy Always Creates Elevation - Host free community events in the community. Provide free enterntainment with live d.j. mascots who do greet and meets, popular dances and engage with the audience. Can host in underserved communities and hire nearby youth to support the community. Concessions will be sold like hot dogs and natural fruit drinks.			\$ 10,000.00		NA	
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Brainplate	District 15 - Dina Nina Martinez- Rutherford	Brainplate Grows Community Composting and Environmental Advocacy plans to beautify and green the easement between Garver Feed Mill and Starkweather Creek. Our proposed site transcends traditional boundaries, creating a community Eco-Hub that through artful engagement and biologically tailored site-specific composting will enliven environmental stewardship and provide education for all who visit the area.			\$ 2,500.00		NA	
St. Mark's Community Church	District 13 - Tag Evers	St. Mark's Community Building and Evolved Outreach & Growth for 2024 - As a first time Madison Grant applicant, St. Mark's asks the City to partially fund four community outreach projects building community around our church and adjacent HUD spaces at the Romnes Apartments, a 169-apartment building with its park-like setting, with open courtyard and flower garden on Madison's southside.			\$ 2,000.00		NA	
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Crawford Marlborough Nakoma Neighborhood Association (CMNA)	District 10 - Alder Yannette Figueora Cole	4251 Mohawk Dr. Water Utility Park - the Water Utility owns this space, but indicated they no longer use it. The goal is to enhance the beauty and usability of the space with landscaping improvements, and a gathering space for neighborhood events, and to preserve the space for other living creatures.			\$ 5,000.00)	NA	
Total Budget:				\$	30,000.00			
Total Requested and Recommended:					\$ 75,708.00	\$	22,339.00	
Maintenance Reserve:						\$	7,661.00	
*Maximum amount recommended, subject to conditions determined by Staff Review Team								