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**ESTIMATES** 

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**ESTIMATES** 

File Name: Accepting a grant in the amount of \$23,120 from Final Action:

Wholesome Waves' 2016 Nutrition Incentive Support and Innovation Grant program; amending the 2017 Operating Budget of the Mayor's Office to appropriate the revenue and expenditures associated with the

grant;

Title: Accepting a private contribution from Wholesome Waves' 2016 Nutrition Incentive Support and Innovation Grant program in the amount of \$23,120; amending the 2017 Adopted Operating Budget of the Mayor's Office to appropriate the revenue and expenditures associated with the grant; authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to sign an agreement with Wholesome Wave to receive and use these funds and to enter into an MOU with the Willy Street Grocery Co-op for use of these funds

within their stores.

Notes:

CC Agenda Date: 01/03/2017

Agenda Number: 17.

Sponsors: Paul R. Soglin, Larry Palm, Rebecca Kemble, Samba Effective Date:

Baldeh and Marsha A. Rummel

Attachments: Enactment Number:

Author: Judy Olson, Grant Writer Hearing Date:

Entered by: mlloyd@cityofmadison.com Published Date:

## **Approval History**

Version	Date	Approver	Action
1	12/21/2016	Laura Larsen	Approve

### **History of Legislative File**

Ver-	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return	Result:
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1 Mayor's Office 12/19/2016 Referred for

Introduction

Action Text: This Resolution was Referred for Introduction

Notes: Board of Estimates

1 COMMON COUNCIL 01/03/2017 Refer BOARD OF 01/09/2017 Pass

**ESTIMATES** 

Action Text: A motion was made by Verveer, seconded by Rummel, to Refer to the BOARD OF ESTIMATES. The

motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 BOARD OF ESTIMATES 01/09/2017 RECOMMEND TO

Pass

COUNCIL TO ADOPT - REPORT OF OFFICER

Action Text: A motion was made by Verveer, seconded by Rummel, to RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL TO ADOPT -

REPORT OF OFFICER. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

## Text of Legislative File 45484

#### **Fiscal Note**

The proposed resolution authorizes the City to accept funds from Wholesome Waves' Nutrition Incentive Support and Innovation Grant program. These funds will be used to provide vouchers, redeemable at Willy Street Coop, to purchase fruits and vegetables. Funding through the program will provide vouchers to 150 clients and will be administered from the Northeast Family Medical Clinic. A portion of the funding (\$4,420) will be set aside to evaluate the program.

#### **Title**

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#### **Body**

WHEREAS 1 in 5 children in Southwest Wisconsin struggles with hunger; and,

WHEREAS, hunger can have a devastating impact on health, contributing to poor child development, impaired mental and physical functioning, and chronic disease such as diabetes and high blood pressure; and,

WHEREAS, healthcare professionals, when trained to recognize the signs of hunger and poor nutrition, can help to connect patients to food resources, including food assistance programs; and.

WHEREAS, the City of Madison has sought to promote equitable access to healthful food through a range of food system programs including Double Dollars incentives for purchase of fresh produce at farmers markets and the Willy Street Grocery Co-op; and,

WHEREAS, the City has sought to increase the healthful impacts of this incentive program by applying to Wholesome Wave for funds to support a "Fruit and Vegetable Prescription" pilot project entitled, "An FVRx Pilot for Madison's Northside"; and,

WHEREAS, the City has organized a project partnership between the HungerCare Coalition,

whose staff are educating healthcare professionals on the signs of hunger among patients; with the Northeast Family Medical Center (NFMC), whose staff will incorporate food insecurity questions into the clinic's patient assessments; the Willy Street Grocery Co-op, a retail establishment working to make healthful, local food accessible to people with low incomes; and, Public Health Madison Dane County, who will follow FVRx participants and evaluate the project; and,

WHEREAS, this project will provide incentive coupons worth \$20/month to enable NFMC patients found to be food insecure to purchase fruits and vegetables at the Willy Street Grocery Co-op;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council authorizes the Mayor and City Clerk to accept the Wholesome Wave grant funds and enter into an agreement with Wholesome Wave for the use of these funds; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 2017 Adopted Operating Budget of the Mayor's Office is amended to appropriate \$23,120 to reflect the anticipated revenue from private contributions and donations and purchased service expenditures; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Common Council authorizes the Mayor and City Clerk to enter into an MOU with the Willy Street Grocery Co-op for use of these funds by eligible customers to purchase fruits and vegetables within their stores.