

RESOLUTION
(AS AMENDED)

NO. R-23-439

CITY HALL: September 21, 2023

**BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORENO, MORRELL, GIARRUSSO, HARRIS, KING,
GREEN AND THOMAS**

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of New Orleans (“Council”), on December 15, 2011, adopted Ordinance No. 24,698 M.C.S., relative to the “Cox Communications Louisiana, LLC Cable Franchise” by and between Cox Communications Louisiana, LLC and the City of New Orleans, which included the commitment from Cox Communications Louisiana, LLC (“Cox”) to fund a community grant program; and

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2013, the Council adopted Ordinance No. 25,256 M.C.S. to establish the City Council/Cox Communications Louisiana Community Grant Program; to establish eligibility guidelines, selection procedures, and monitoring procedures relative to said program; and

WHEREAS, the Cox franchise agreement provides for the annual contribution of \$140,000 by Cox to community, non-profit organizations focused upon education, technology training, communications, and similar programs benefitting the youth of the City of New Orleans; and

WHEREAS, the Cox franchise further provides that Cox shall make the annual contribution at the direction and discretion of the Council to qualifying organizations; and

WHEREAS, there currently exists 2023 annual funding available for distribution, totaling \$140,000; and

WHEREAS, the following groups have demonstrated their commitment to improving the civic life of the New Orleans community through their activities and programs; **NOW THEREFORE**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, That the following grants are approved for funding by City Council/Cox Communications Louisiana Community Grant Program, subject to the organization’s continued eligibility pursuant to the guidelines:

At-Large 1: (Moreno):

Organization	Amount
Eden House	\$ 2,500.00
Hotel Hope	\$ 5,000.00
Son of a Saint	\$ 2,500.00
The Split Second Foundation, Inc.	\$ 4,000.00
Young Aspirations Young Artists, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00
Youth Empowerment Project	\$ 5,000.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

At Large 2: (Morrell)

Organization	Amount
Dancing Grounds	\$ 2,000.00
Johnny Jackson, Jr. Foundation	\$ 1,000.00
Louisiana Center for Children's Rights	\$ 1,500.00
National Coalition of 100 Black Women - Greater New Orleans Chapter, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00
Reaching for the Stars Foundation	\$ 1,000.00
Son of a Saint	\$ 1,000.00
St. Michael Special School	\$ 1,000.00
Center for the Innovative Training of Youth d/b/a STEM NOLA	\$ 2,500.00
The 18th Ward	\$ 5,000.00

The Urban Conservancy	\$ 1,000.00
The Troy Andrews Foundation	\$ 1,000.00
Youth Empowerment Project	\$ 2,000.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

District "A": (Giarrusso)

Organization	Amount
Community Sailing New Orleans, Inc.	\$ 1,500.00
Girls on the Run of New Orleans	\$ 1,000.00
Geaux Girl Media	\$ 1,000.00
Johnny Jackson, Jr. Foundation	\$ 500.00
Le Sanctuary, Inc.	\$ 500.00
Louisiana Center for Children's Rights	\$ 1,500.00
Market Umbrella	\$ 1,250.00
NAACP ACT-SO	\$ 500.00
New Orleans Recreation Development Foundation	\$ 1,250.00
NOLArts Learning Center	\$ 1,000.00
Pontchartrain Conservancy	\$ 750.00
Reaching for the Stars Foundation	\$ 1,500.00
Son of a Saint	\$ 1,250.00
The 18th Ward	\$ 1,000.00
The Split Second Foundation, Inc.	\$ 750.00
The Urban Conservancy	\$ 1,000.00
Trinity Christian Community	\$ 2,500.00
Troy Andrews Foundation	\$ 1,250.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

District "B": (Harris)

Organization	Amount
Raphael Academy	\$ 2,500.00
Girls on the Run of New Orleans	\$ 1,086.00
Yeah Yoga NOLA, Inc.	\$ 2,000.00
The Urban Conservancy	\$ 1,000.00
The Split Second Foundation, Inc.	\$ 1,344.00
Maroon, Inc.	\$ 1,345.00
Loyola University New Orleans Young Women's Leadership Academy - Cohort 2	\$ 10,000.00
National Coalition of 100 Black Women - Greater New Orleans Chapter, Inc.	\$ 725.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

District "C": (King)

Organization	Amount
A Studio in the Woods	\$ 500.00
Algiers Charter School Association	\$ 2,000.00
A'sani Heartbeat	\$ 500.00
Ballerinas of the Bayou	\$ 500.00
Dancing Grounds	\$ 1,000.00
Diversitea Divas	\$ 500.00
Friends of the Treme Culture	\$ 2,500.00
Gentilly Festival, Inc.	\$ 500.00
Girls on the Run of New Orleans	\$ 500.00
Help Other People Endure, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00
Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Louisiana Foundation	\$ 500.00
Louisiana Children's Museum	\$ 1,000.00
National Coalition of 100 Black Women - Greater New Orleans Chapter, Inc.	\$ 500.00
New Orleans Recreation Development Foundation	\$ 1,000.00

Old Algiers Main Street Corporation	\$ 2,000.00
Operation Spark	\$ 1,000.00
Point Productions, LLC	\$ 2,000.00
The Split Second Foundation, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00
The Troy Andrews Foundation	\$ 500.00
Youth Empowerment Project	\$ 1,000.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

District "D": (Green)

Organization	Amount
Creative Alliance for New Orleans	\$ 1,500.00
Ellis Marsalis Center for Music	\$ 1,000.00
Festivals for Good Corporation	\$ 2,500.00
Louisiana Center for Children's Rights	\$ 1,500.00
National Coalition of 100 Black Women - Greater New Orleans Chapter, Inc.	\$ 1,500.00
Reaching for the Stars Foundation	\$ 1,500.00
Son of A Saint	\$ 2,000.00
St. Augustine High School	\$ 5,000.00
Center for the Innovative Training of Youth d/b/a STEM NOLA	\$ 1,000.00
Sigma Lambda Scholarship Foundation	\$ 2,500.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

District "E": (Thomas)

Organization	Amount
A'sani Heartbeat	\$ 500.00
Common Ground Relief	\$ 1,000.00
Dancing Grounds	\$ 1,000.00
District 2 Community Enhancement Corporation	\$ 1,000.00

Educare New Orleans	\$ 1,000.00
Friends of the Treme Culture	\$ 500.00
Help Other People Endure, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00
Johnny Jackson, Jr. Foundation	\$ 1,000.00
Louisiana Center for Children's Rights	\$ 1,500.00
Lower 9th Ward Neighborhood Empowerment Network Association	\$ 1,000.00
NAACP ACT-SO	\$ 500.00
New Orleans Recreation Development Foundation	\$ 3,000.00
Operation Spark	\$ 1,000.00
ReNew - Reinventing Education	\$ 1,000.00
Center for the Innovative Training of Youth d/b/a STEM NOLA	\$ 1,000.00
The 18th Ward	\$ 1,000.00
The Split Second Foundation, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00
Young Aspirations Young Artists	\$ 1,000.00
Youth Empowerment Project	\$ 1,000.00
TOTAL	\$ 20,000.00

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF, AND RESULTED AS FOLLOWS:

YEAS: Giarrusso, Green, Harris, King, Moreno, Morrell - 6

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: Thomas - 1

THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED
TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY
Lera W. Johnson
CLERK OF COUNCIL

AND THE RESOLUTION, AS AMENDED, WAS ADOPTED.