



**TO: JIM GRAY, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

**FROM: CHARLIE LANTER, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

DATE: JUNE 21, 2018

**SUBJECT: Professional Services Agreement with Urban League of Lexington-Fayette County
COACH Fellowship (Civic Outreach, Advocacy, and Cooperative Hiring)**

Request:

Council Authorization for the Mayor to execute a Professional Services Agreement with the Urban League of Lexington-Fayette County at a cost not to exceed \$100,000. Funds are budgeted.

Purpose of the Request:

The Urban League of Lexington-Fayette County will provide direct case management services on behalf of the Department of Social Services for implementation of the COACH Fellowship for young black males. The Urban League will recruit and employ a case manager to work with up to 15 Fellowship participants (5 Fellows per annual cohort) during the initial 3-year period.

The COACH Fellowship is an initiative built upon a partnership with Louisville Metro (THRIVE Fellowship) and Cities United, a national nonprofit organization committed to reducing violence. COACH is funded by a grant from the William R. Kenan, Jr. Charitable Trust.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

The cost for Fiscal Years 2019 and 2020 is \$33,000. The cost for Fiscal Year 2021 is \$34,000 all upon yearly renewal of the agreement. All costs are supported by grant funds from the Kenan Trust.

Are the funds budgeted? Yes, in 3300-606101-6001-71299.

File Number: 0714-18

Director/Commissioner: Chris Ford

