



**TO: LINDA GORTON, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

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

DATE: January 4, 2021

**SUBJECT: Accept Additional Child Care Assistance Funds for Extended School
Program**

Request:

Council authorization to accept award of federal funds from the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services in the amount of \$151,970 to support child care expenses in the Extended School Program in the Division of Parks & Recreation. No matching funds required.

Purpose of Request:

On June 18, 2020 (Resolution 277-2020), Council authorized acceptance of \$301,050 in federal funds from the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services as an incentive grant being provided to all existing licensed, certified, and registered child care providers who need assistance in reopening when the state of emergency is lifted. These are federal funds allocated to Kentucky by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act.

The Cabinet has made an additional award of \$151,970 of additional federal CARES Act funds for the Extended School Program. Funds will be used for personnel costs.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? Federal funding of \$151,970 has been received. No match is required. This is a one-time allocation of funding.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget Amendments 10927 and 10928 are in process.

File Number: 0038-21

Director/Commissioner: Monica Conrad

