# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING YOUTH ADVOCATE PROGRAMS, INC.

AND

#### LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Agreement made this \_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_ and between, Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government.

Youth Advocate Programs, Inc., a national 501c3 nonprofit and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, an urban county government created pursuant to KRS 67A, through its Department of Social Services, Division of Youth Services.

Whereas, the Division of Youth Services provides juvenile justice services to youth and families in Fayette County, Kentucky.

Whereas, Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. and the Kentucky Department of Juvenile Justice began collaborating to provide direct wraparound advocacy services in Kentucky to youth returning home from confinement in 2017.

Whereas, Youth Advocate Programs and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, through its Department of Social Services, Division of Youth Services have reached a cooperative agreement to partner to improve services to juvenile offenders within our community and state.

Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government will continue partnership for this opportunity throughout the grant period if awarded. Both parties identified the needs for improved response and expanded services to juveniles and families involved in the juvenile justice system in Fayette County, Kentucky. Services funded by this opportunity will assist juveniles referred for services from October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2021, or thirty-six (36) months.

### Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. agrees to the following:

- To provide 100% of wraparound advocacy services to referred youth and families referred by juvenile justice partners.
- To provide all reports and updates on an as requested basis to all referring entities.
- To provide coordination of project implementation and actively participate in monthly Planning and Advisory Council meetings during a three (3) month start up period for planning, protocol, and policy development for service delivery.
- To provide 100% coordination and project management of the federal award opportunity to provide youth mentoring services to referred youth in Fayette County, Kentucky.

## Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government agrees to the following:

- To provide referrals to Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. for services to begin January 1, 2019 until September 30, 2021 -will provide referrals during 100% of the service delivery period.
- To provide at least one (1) employee to participate in one meeting per month as a Planning and
  Advisory Council member to aid in the development and coordination of program implementation
  during a three (3) month start up period for planning, protocol, and policy development. -will provide
  planning, protocol, and policy development support for 100% of the planning phase of the grant.
- To provide support to Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. additional community linkages and supports to continue building sustainable programming in Fayette County, Kentucky.

1. All notices allowed or required to be given hereunder must be in writing dispatched by United States mail, or hand-delivered to the parties at the following:

#### For LFUCG:

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government 200 East Main Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor Lexington, KY 40507 ATTN: Commissioner For Youth Advocate Programs, Inc.:

Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. 2007 North Third Street Harrisburg, PA 17102-7580

ATTN: Jeffrey Fleischer

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have been hereunto set their hands and seal the day and date below written:

Chief Executive Officer

Youth Advocate Programs, Inc.

JIM GRAY, MAYOR

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government