MAYOR LINDA GORTON



TO: Mayor Linda Gorton, Urban County Council Members

FROM: Heather Lyons, Mayor's Office

CC: Tyler Scott, Chief of Staff

DATE: August 12, 2024

SUBJECT: 250Lex Cultural Grants

Requesting authorization to approve collaboration with Bluegrass Community Foundation and for grant payments to be made by 250LEX Commission to non-profit organizations for Lexington's 250th celebration and to execute contractual agreements between LFUCG, Bluegrass Community Foundation and each of the awarded non-profit organizations. Funds were raised from the private sector and are held by the Blue Grass Community Foundation.

Why are you requesting? The LFUCG is managing the grant-making process, and providing contractual agreements with non-profit organizations, for the 250Lex Commission's awarding of 18 grants for Lexington's 250th celebration.

Department needs this action completed because: The 250LEX Commission has raised private funds to support 18 cultural grants and is partnering with the Blue Grass Community Foundation to disburse the grant payments.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? There is no cost to the LFUCG budget.

The cost for this FY is: N/A

The cost for future FY is: N/A

Are the funds budgeted? N/A

The funds are budgeted or a budget amendment is in process: N/A

Account number: N/A

File Number: L0776-24

Director/Commissioner: Heather Lyons/Tyler Scott



