

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

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

DATE: JUNE 5, 2017

SUBJECT: United States Tennis Association Grant Application

Request:

Council Authorization to submit application requesting funding in the amount of \$2,499 from the United States Tennis Association (USTA) for the Lexington-Fayette County Parks and Recreation Summer Camp Program.

Why are you requesting?

The Division of Parks and Recreation is submitting an application requesting \$2,499 in grant funding from the United States Tennis Association (USTA) for the Lexington-Fayette County Parks and Recreation Summer Camp Program. For 20 years the LFUCG Parks and Recreation has provided a low cost, summer tennis and swim day camp for ages 6-14. Three tennis instructors facilitate 4 sessions of the camp, and there is a maximum of 30 campers per session. Funding would be used to enhance this camp by adding the National Junior Tennis & Learning (NJTL) component. The programming would include instruction for several weeks, followed by match play experience and possibly an end of season tournament. These program elements would increase exposure to USTA programming and could result in USTA Memberships.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? If approved, the cost will be \$2,499.

Are the funds budgeted? If funds are awarded, a budget amendment will be completed.

File Number: 0688-17

Director/Commissioner: Conrad/Reed

Charlie Lanter, Director

