

TO: Mayor Linda Gorton

Urban County Council

FROM: Devine Carama,

Director, ONE Lexington

CC: Tyler Scott, Chief of Staff

DATE: May 9, 2024

SUBJECT: Professional Service Agreement for Trauma Counseling

Request

Request Council authorization to execute a Professional Services Agreement with Andrews Counseling PLLC to provide weekly group trauma counseling support to participants in It Takes A Village Summer Youth Program for 8 weeks, June 4th – July 23rd, 2024.

Reason For Request

It Takes A Village Summer Youth Program participants are youth impacted by gun violence. Trauma informed care service will provide professional counseling designed to prevent the negative impact of trauma. Andrew Counseling will provide one on one evaluations and consultation, and 14 structured group sessions on Tuesdays and Thursday over 8 weeks. Additional service will be offered to the parents of It Takes A Village participants.

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

The cost for this FY is: \$28,000 The cost for future FY is: N/A

Are the funds budgeted?

The funds are budgeted:

Account number: 1101-133006-1321-71299

File Number: 0699-24

Director/Commissioner: Devine Carama/Tyler Scott

