

## Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

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TO:

JIM GRAY, MAYOR

**URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL** 

FROM:

IRENE GOODING, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

DATE:

MARCH 19, 2014

**SUBJECT:** 

REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO SUBMIT APPLICATION, AND

ACCEPT AWARD IF OFFERED, TO THE KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE TO PROVIDE DAY TREATMENT SERVICES

IN THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR FY 2015

The Division Youth Services has prepared an application for submission to the Kentucky Department of Juvenile Justice for the operation of the Day Treatment Program for school-age adolescents in the Division of Youth Services for Fiscal Year 2015.

Day Treatment is a community-based treatment program for juveniles between the ages of 12 and 17. The program's mission is to treat delinquent youth in their home community, hereby preventing institutionalization, and to keep predelinquent youth out of the juvenile justice system. Components of the program include education (provided by Fayette County Public Schools), counseling, and social work services.

The application requests an award of state funds for Day Treatment in the amount of \$274,120, for FY 2015. While no match is required, \$259,810 has been requested in the FY 2015 General Fund budget for program operation.

The funds are used for salaries and operating costs associated with the program.

Council authorization to submit application and accept the award is hereby requested, subject to the availability of sufficient funds in FY 2015.

Irene Gooding, Director

Xc: Beth Mills, Commissioner of the Department of Social Services

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