

CHARLES MARTIN DIRECTOR WATER QUALITY

TO:

Mayor Jim Gray

Urban County Council

FROM:

Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director Division of Water Quality

DATE:

March 9, 2016

SUBJECT:

Requesting authorization to execute an agreement awarding a FY16 Class B

(Infrastructure) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant to Transylvania University.

Request

The purpose of this memorandum is to request authorization to execute an agreement awarding a Class B (Infrastructure) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant to Transylvania University. This Grant is for permeable pavement surfacing and educating the public, at a total cost of \$141,027.29.

Purpose of Request

The purpose of this project is to mitigate flooding and erosion issues on Transylvania's campus at the corner of North Upper and Fourth Street. The grant provides funds for the retrofit of an existing parking lot with permeable pavers, slope stabilization, and erosion control, all to improve water quality and quantity. Also, there will be the placement of two educational sign panel's for public education on water quality.

Project Cost in FY16 and in Future Budget Years

The grant has been approved by the Water Quality Fees Board in the amount of \$141,027.29 and is anticipated to be fully spent by FY17.

Are Funds Budgeted

Funds are budgeted in: 4052 - 303204 - 3373 - 78112 - WQINCENTIVE_16 - WQ_GRANT

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