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TO: LINDA GORTON, MAYOR

**URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL** 

FROM: CHARLIE LANTER, DIRECTOR

DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

**DATE:** October 30, 2020

**SUBJECT:** Accept Additional Child Care Assistance Funds for Family Care Center

**Request:** Council authorization to accept award of additional federal funds from the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services in the amount of \$39,000 to support child care expenses at the Family Care Center. No matching funds required.

**Purpose of Request:** On June 11, 2020 (Resolution 248-2020), Council authorized acceptance of federal funds of \$67,500 from the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services for the Family Care Center as an incentive grant being provided to all existing licensed, certified, and registered child care providers to preserve slots available for care. These are federal funds allocated to Kentucky by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act.

The Cabinet has made a second one-time award of these funds to the Family Care Center in the amount of \$39,000. Funds will be used for personnel costs in the Division of Family Services.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? Estimated federal funding is \$39,000. No match is required. This is a one-time allocation of funding.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget Amendments 10860 and 10861 are in process.

**File Number:** 1077-20

**Director/Commissioner:** Joanna Rodes/Chris Ford

