

# City of Martinez City Council Meeting Community Groups Grant

October 4, 2023



## Background

### Budget for FY24:

- \$12,000 allocated from General Fund
- \$2,500 allocated from Recycle Fund

#### ARPA:

\$85,000 allocated towards nonprofits that serve the unhoused community



## **Background Cont'd**

On 03/13, the Budget & Finance Subcommittee recommended:

- Reach more social services providers
- Keep the program running annually
- Supplement the program with \$85,000 in ARPA funds
- No cap to funding



## **Background Cont'd**

**Community Group Grant FY24:** 

- Application launched on 03/31
- Promoted via City e-newsletter, website & social media
- Direct outreach to known unhoused providers
- Four-week open period



## **Background Cont'd**

On 06/10, the Budget & Finance Subcommittee received:

- 29 eligible grant applications, totaling \$452,445.41
- Subcommittee directed staff to evaluate grants by criteria with preference for Martinez serving non-profits and eligibility for different funding sources and provide recommendations



## **Background Cont'd**

On 09/18, staff presented recommendations to the Budget & Finance Subcommittee and received input:

- Divided grants by categories
- Evaluated them based on grant criteria
- Subcommittee recommended the Council allocate \$8,000 additional funds through ARPA to supplement the FY24 program

## Community Groups Grant Summary



## **Application Results by Fund**

#### **General Fund:**

- 20 applications
- Total funding request: \$192,633.41

#### Unhoused Requests:

- 8 applications
- Total funding request: \$257,312

#### Recycle Fund:

- 1 application
- Total funding request: \$2,500

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**Transition**: Grant Evaluation Attachment



## **Sub-Committee Recommendations**

- Committee recommended funding all grants at some level
- Subcommittee recommended the City Council allocate an additional \$8,000 in ARPA funds to the budget to fund grants at some level understanding it is a one-time request



## Questions?



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