



WASHOE COUNTY

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STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: March 13, 2018

DATE: Tuesday, February 20, 2018

TO: Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Gabrielle Enfield, County Grants Administrator
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THROUGH: Christine Vuletich, Assistant County Manager

SUBJECT: Approve a grant award for FY 2017-2018 for Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M. Academy-Washoe County School District in the amount of \$7,313; and approve Resolution necessary for same. (All Commission Districts.)

SUMMARY

Washoe County provides grants to address special community needs. As with all grants provided by Washoe County these funds can only be provided to a private organization, not for profit, or to a governmental entity, for charitable or educational purposes, and must provide a substantial benefit to the inhabitants of the County. Grant award for FY 2017-2018 for the Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M. Academy.

Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item: Safe, Secure and Health Communities

PREVIOUS ACTION

No previous action.

BACKGROUND

Historically, Washoe County has made Community Support funds available to local community based providers to support services that address diverse health and human service needs in the community, or contribute to economic development and quality of life issues.

Washoe County began working with the Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M. Academy as a Partner in Education in early 2014. The purpose of Partners in Education is to engage business and community organizations to establish school partnerships and advocate for resources with a goal of at least one partner per school who provides volunteer time and expertise, financial or in-kind support, and/or allows students/classrooms to tour their location.

AGENDA ITEM # _____

This grant for the Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M. Academy will support sponsorship opportunities for children in community activities i.e. Girls on the Run, class projects, funding for field trip transportation, physical education equipment, reading books, and educational games.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds for the Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M Academy award have been included in the Community Support Program within the Management Services Division’s FY2017-18 approved budget under cost center 183110. Should the Board approve these grant funds, distribution of funds are needed as follows:

Account Number	Description	Amount
183110 – 710400	Payment to Glenn Duncan STEM Academy	7,313

RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation to approve a grant award for FY 2017-2018 for Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M. Academy-Washoe County School District in the amount of \$7,313; approve Resolution necessary for same.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board accept staff’s recommendation a possible motion would be: move to *“Recommendation to approve a grant award for FY 2017-2018 for Glenn Duncan S.T.E.M. Academy- Washoe County School District in the amount of \$7,313; approve Resolution necessary for same.”*