



Board of Supervisors Memorandum

August 10, 2021

YWCA Teen Court Allocation

Background

YWCA of Southern Arizona's Teen Court program is an alternative to prosecution through the juvenile court system. The program uses peer engagement and restorative justice to help recently arrested youth avoid recidivism.

Teen Court has been awarded \$29,368 grant from the Board approved Community and Workforce Development Outside Agency Fund. Given the mission of Teen Court to reduce juvenile entry into the juvenile or criminal justice system, it would be appropriate to provide them with an additional \$10,000. These funds will alleviate additional operational demands on the program due to COVID-19.

Recommendation

I recommend the Board of Supervisors approve an additional \$10,000 grant to YWCA of Southern Arizona's Teen Court program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "C. Huckelberry".

C.H. Huckelberry
County Administrator

CHH/dym – July 30, 2021

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