Name of Organization: Areawide Council on Aging of Broward County, Inc.

Program Title: 2024 Fair Share

Primary Focus Area: Respite Care and Elder Services

#### **Program Summary:**

Funds provided address the needs of elders, both independent and frail, and their adult caregivers to remain in their homes with services and avoid more costly premature institutionalization. Our Helpline provides elders, their caregivers, and families with information and referrals for needed assistance. Elders are screened for services, released to providers who evaluate them, and authorized services to begin. Services may include but are not limited to congregate, home-delivered and emergency meals, respite, transportation, adult day care, counseling, personal care, homemaking, legal assistance, consumable medical supplies, telephone reassurance, chore, and minor home repairs. Health and Wellness classes are provided to assist elders and their caregivers in making healthy lifestyle choices, improving their nutrition, health, and balance, thus reducing the risk of falls and coaching elders on how to live with and manage chronic illnesses. Case Management services empower elders by providing knowledge regarding their care. Transportation services allow elders to manage their day-to-day needs with dignity and independence. (A complete list of services provided in calendar year 2022 is in the Fair Share Request Letter – Attachment F.) Funds received through this grant will be used to meet the 10% required match to be able to draw down the full allocation of the State Community Care for the Elderly Funds and the Federal Older Americans Act Funds. The total amount of the required match is \$2,648,785 and the dollars we are requesting from the City of Hollywood, \$132,866, are for services provided to Hollywood residents only.

Total Program Cost:\$2,684,785Funds Requested:\$132,866Minimum Amount Needed:\$25,000City Residents to Serve:1,651

**FY 23 Award** \$20,000

**FY 22 Funds Utilized** \$18,333.00 spent of \$18,333.00 awarded **FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$21,333.33 spent of \$21,333.33 awarded

Name of Organization: Art & Culture Center

Program Title: STEAM Themed Free Arts! Family Days

Primary Focus Area: STEAM Focused Education

#### **Program Summary:**

STEAM-Themed Free Arts! Family Days will connect the visual and performing arts to STEM-focused education through free art-making activities and free admission to contemporary gallery exhibitions at the Art and Culture Center/Hollywood. Presented from noon to 4 p.m. on the third Sunday of every month (October 2023 to September 2024), STEAM-Themed Free Arts! Family Days will put the A in STEAM – Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math – by utilizing artists and Center educators to apply the visual and performing arts to core academic subjects. Each month, the Center's Education staff or Curator of Exhibitions will create a unique, highly accessible art-making activity that engages families and schoolage children in interactive, STEAM-focused learning. Art-making activities may address such topics as the migration of Monarch butterflies, the principles of motion in creating "spin" paintings, and how polymer can create snow in South Florida. STEAM-Themed Free Arts! Family Days takes place in the upstairs Community Gallery, the Interactive Room, or the Arts School adjacent to Center's Main Gallery facility. There is no admission charge on monthly Free Arts! days to view originally curated exhibitions in our contemporary galleries, making this a multi-faceted cultural experience accessible to a diverse audience from all socio-economic backgrounds in Hollywood and South Florida. Free Arts! activities will provide participants with hands-on learning that encourages communication, cooperation, and fun!

Total Program Cost:\$23,900Funds Requested:\$6,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$3,000City Residents to Serve:275

**FY 23 Award** \$3.411

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$3,411 spent of \$3,411 awarded

**FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$3,712.58 spent of \$3,722.22 awarded

Name of Organization: Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Broward

Program Title: Broward Bigger Better Stronger - Hollywood

Primary Focus Area: Diversity and Cultural Outreach

## **Program Summary:**

Many children are not born into a stable support network, but all deserve to live up to their full potential. BBBS helps bridge the social, cultural and economic divides through understanding, education, opportunity and compassion. Connecting young people to Mentors allows them to see each other's humanity without barriers. Currently 68 children in Hollywood have a BBBS Match in place. We want to increase this number through our Broward Bigger Better Stronger initiative: Bigs in Blues program focusing on recruiting law enforcement employees to be Mentors to create an additional benefit of establishing a positive view of police officers for the Littles and their families; Big Pride program establishing Matches between a child and a trusted LGBTQ+ Mentor to explore issues regarding sexual orientation or gender identity through monthly groups in additional to one-to-one sessions; Mentoring Children of Incarcerated Parents program seeking long-term Matches for children who face additional challenges related to community stigma, grief, single parent homes and poverty; School to Work program recruiting corporate Mentors to help with career development for middle/high school students to achieve both personal and professional success targeting the marine, aviation, construction, finance, technology, hospitality and healthcare industries; and eliminating the list of 218 children waiting for Matches for the traditional Community Based Mentoring program. This program initiative was launched in October 2021 as a priority focus to increase recruitment to activities and expansion of specialized staff to lead the Law Enforcement and LGBTQ+ programs.

Total Program Cost: \$1,160,741
Funds Requested: \$7,200
Minimum Amount Needed: \$7,000
City Residents to Serve: 200

**FY 23 Award** \$4,333

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$4,000 spent of \$4,333 awarded

FY 21 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply

Name of Organization: Broward Housing Solutions

**Program Title**: Youth Solutions – Affordable Housing for Foster

Youth

Primary Focus Area: Shelter and Housing

# **Program Summary:**

Broward Housing Solutions' (BHS') Youth Solutions program provides affordable, permanent housing for 7 young adults in the city of Hollywood ages 18-23 who have aged out of foster care and struggle with emotional disturbances that manifest in adulthood as mental illness. BHS provides affordable, supportive and stable housing for these vulnerable young people, while our partners SOS Children's Village and Henderson Behavioral Health provide mental health support; wrap-around support includes individual treatment plans, medication management, assistance in seeking benefits, and links to community social services.

When they move into BHS properties, these young tenants therefore "move in" to a supportive community that helps them navigate complex health and social service systems. This community also provides guidance as these young tenants seek work and educational opportunities. When young people have secure housing, stay in school, and find work, the entire community benefits. These young people are not using local resources as inmates of correctional facilities or patients in hospitals. They are contributing, productive members of their communities, and they have the solid base they need to grow into successful adults.

BHS' Youth Solutions has been providing affordable rental housing in two locations since 2008: 1. Wilson Gardens: 1629 Wilson Street, Hollywood, FL 33020 and 2. Woodside Gardens: 4121 Woodside Drive, Coral Springs, FL 33065. These funds will support Wilson Gardens in Hollywood.

Total Program Cost:\$119,173Funds Requested:\$44,724Minimum Amount Needed:\$44,724

City Residents to Serve: 9

**FY 23 Award** \$12,944

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$12,944 spent of \$12,944 awarded

FY 21 Funds Utilized \$N/A – did not apply

Name of Organization: Broward Performing Arts Foundation

Program Title: Student Enrichment Through the Arts (SEAS)

Primary Focus Area: STEAM-Focused Education

## **Program Summary:**

The Broward Center requests City of Hollywood funding to support the Student Enrichment through the Arts (SEAS) program for the 2024 academic year, which will serve a minimum of 6,000 Hollywood public school students through cultural arts enrichment activities tied to STEAM-focused classroom curriculum that will increase potential for academic success. From October to May, students will have the opportunity to experience high-quality, professional performances at no charge that reinforce reading, math and science skills, bring historical events to life and immerse students in different cultures. All SEAS shows are directly aligned with Florida B.E.S.T. standards and include a curriculum-aligned study guide. The 2024 season will also focus on presenting artists of color and shows that promote themes of diversity, equity and inclusion. While exact artists for 2024 have yet to be confirmed, recent SEAS seasons have included shows such as HAMILTON, To Kill A Mockingbird, Commanding Space, Alvin Ailey Dance Company, Step Afrika!, Midsummer Night's Dream, Bill Blagg: The Science of Magic, and much more. Select shows will also include SEAS Plus workshops led by teaching artists that build on educational content from the performance through interactive, arts-based activities. "Sensory-inclusive" shows and corresponding activities will also be offered to ensure students with autism or other developmental disabilities have the same learning opportunities as their peers. After each show, teachers will be provided with resources to lead students in discussions and projects that help apply what was experienced in the theater to real-world math, science and reading situations.

Total Program Cost: \$148,000
Funds Requested: \$15,000
Minimum Amount Needed: Not listed
City Residents to Serve: 6000

**FY 23 Award** \$3,478

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$3,478 spent of \$3,478 awarded

**FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$3,611.11 spent of \$3,611.11 awarded

Name of Organization: Early Learning Coalition of Broward

Program Title: School Readiness Childcare – Match Funding

Primary Focus Area: Early Childhood Education

#### **Program Summary:**

The School Readiness (SR) Child Care Match program provides income-based subsidies to economically disadvantaged families living and working in the City of Hollywood that need assistance meeting the high childcare costs. This program helps parents and quardians working or attending school access affordable childcare at a quality, licensed facility of their choice year-round. The match program is specifically designed to serve the vulnerable ALICE population (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) who live paycheck to paycheck. Of the 17,480 SR children served in Broward County, 1,387 of those kids live in the city of Hollywood (the 4th largest SR population by municipal in the county). With a focus on children ages birth to 5, quality childcare services are provided in over 750 childcare centers to keep young children safe, prepare children to succeed in school, and promote early literacy and a love of learning. The State and Federal funds allocated to Broward County for these childcare services serving high-need families require a local match. This is obtained from annual grant allocations from each municipality and by County-wide funders such Children's Services Council, Broward County's Children's Services Board, and the United Way. Subsidized childcare services play a critical role in preparing young children for kindergarten, closing educational achievement gaps, and providing support such as parental engagement, coaching, mental health, and inclusion services for children with special needs. Through separate programs, ELC also actively engages participating providers to improve quality & expand services.

Total Program Cost:\$10,248,876Funds Requested:\$20,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$10,000City Residents to Serve:1,500

**FY 23 Award** \$10,000

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$7,611 spent of \$7,611 awarded

FY 21 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply

Name of Organization: First Baptist Church of West Hollywood

Program Title:Open Heart Food PantryPrimary Focus Area:Health, Wellness or Nutrition

## **Program Summary:**

Open Heart Food Pantry will continue to serve fresh produce, non-perishables and bread to our patrons. With extra funding, we will seek to purchase fresh eggs, meat and milk along with fresh produce.

Total Program Cost:\$28,400Funds Requested:\$10,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$7,500City Residents to Serve:2,100

FY 23 Award NA – did not apply
FY 22 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply
FY 21 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply

Tax Exempt Documentation Included
Community Support Letters: Four
Certificate of Insurance Included
IRS Form 990 NA

Audited Financials: Included

Name of Organization: First Call for Help of Broward – dba 2-1-1 Broward

Program Title: 211 Helpline and Senior Touchline Services

Primary Focus Area: Health, Wellness, or Nutrition

#### **Program Summary:**

211 Broward provides the "first call for help" for Hollywood residents whether in crisis or with general needs. Helpline Counselors are available 24/7/365 to answer calls, chat, text and email Hollywood residents and offer empathetic listening, crisis intervention, suicide prevention, needs assessment, care coordination, information and referrals. Services are free to the caller and are accessible in multiple languages, and for callers that are deaf or hard of hearing. The program responds to a volume of more than 67,000 contacts during the year. Hundreds of thousands of searches are conducted through the comprehensive online web portal. Additionally, the 211 Broward downloadable app is available on any Smart phone. 211 Broward provides daily calls to Older Adults, through the Touchline program, providing daily reassurance calls to seniors, living alone, to confirm their safety and well-being, and allowing them to maintain their independence and remain in their homes. There are tens of thousands of follow-up and advocacy calls, provided through Care Coordination services. 211-Broward is an important resource for residents, government, and other essential partners before, during, and especially after a disaster such as a hurricane. 211 functions akin to a public utility: we are always there in all sorts of ways. Even when "you" might not need us. As a critical first step in the service delivery network, 211 Broward maintains an up to date and comprehensive database of resources (approximately 4000 programs) and connect callers to services that meet their needs.

Total Program Cost:\$7,151,513Funds Requested:\$15,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$15,000City Residents to Serve:9,662

**FY 23 Award** \$9,272

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$9,272 spent of \$9,272 awarded

**FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$10,888.89 spent of \$10,889.89 awarded

Name of Organization: Hispanic Unity of Florida

Program Title: Unity 4Teens

Primary Focus Area: STEAM – Focused Education

## **Program Summary:**

HUF's U4T afterschool and summer program at Hollywood Hills High School offers formalized education that aims to help students identify and foster talent and affinity for Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM). HUF first began incorporating STEAM in its U4T programming in 2013 and expanded to Hollywood Hills in 2021. Students receive lessons that stimulate creativity, design, critical thinking, technology, literacy, collaboration, mathematical skills, scientific investigation, and problem solving. The program is open to all four grades but targets freshmen and sophomores, as studies have shown that crucial academic pathways and career-affecting decisions begin in the first two years of high school. U4T administers STEAM in a holistic manner to effectively lay a foundation for academic success, post-secondary education, and career aspiration. Examples of STEAM activities include creating a solar-powered cart; setting up a botany lab and irrigation system; planting a community garden; creating musical instruments; and learning about computer coding. The structure and delivery of lessons teach students the appeal and broad variety of careers in the STEAM field as well as leads students to develop a STEAM mindset — one that encourages problem solving, creativity, curiosity and innovation, all skills that contribute to future academic and social success. Additionally, HUF utilizes Junior Achievement's 22Career Success and Personal Finance curricula which helps students recognize the preparation, education requirements and training necessary to enter STEAM-related careers.

Total Program Cost:\$316,031Funds Requested:\$25,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$25,000City Residents to Serve:20

**FY 23 Award** \$13.911

**FY 22 Funds Utilized** \$13,806.68 spent of \$13,911 awarded **FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$2,924.19 spent of \$16,888.89 awarded

Name of Organization: Hollywood Historical Society, Inc.

Program Title: Our Liberia; Making Hollywood History

Primary Focus Area: Diversity and Cultural Outreach

## **Program Summary:**

The "Our Liberia: Making Hollywood History" project is a schoolyear program to engage students grades 6 through 12 in Hollywood schools in developing exhibits for their schools and the Hollywood Historical Society based on our upcoming documentary film about the history of Hollywood's Liberia neighborhood. This year marks the 100th anniversary of the development of Liberia as a Hollywood neighborhood. In recognition of Liberia's centennial--and the upcoming 2025 centennial for the city as a whole--HHS will work with students in schools located in Hollywood to develop exhibits commemorating the history and culture of Liberia as part of the city. The project will have four phases: 1) HHS Field Trip and Documentary Showing (October/November 2023; 2) In-School Workshops with Program Mentors: Storytelling, Interviewing, Photography, Video/Film (January/February 2024; 3) Exhibit development and opening at school locations (March-April 2024). 4) A Culminating "Our Liberia" Exhibit opening at HHS (June 2024). Students participating in the program will learn about Liberia and Hollywood history throughout the year from a faculty of film makers, artists, educators, community leaders, and HHS historians. Working with the program faculty, students will develop exhibit material reflecting their own learning experience in the program that can be displayed in their schools as well as in a culminating exhibit featuring all program schools to be presented at HHS and locations throughout Hollywood beginning in June 2024 leading into our programming for the 2025 Hollywood centennial year.

Total Program Cost:\$30,000Funds Requested:\$15,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$7,500City Residents to Serve:500

FY 23 Award

FY 22 Funds Utilized

NA – did not apply

Name of Organization: Police Athletic League of Hollywood, Inc.

Program Title: Hollywood PAL Youth Football Primary Focus Area: Health, Wellness or Nutrition

## **Program Summary:**

The Hollywood P.A.L. has enhanced the quality of life within the city by implementing youth programs, specifically youth football program. In 2021, 198 youth football players participated in the program. The program consisted of nine football teams ranging in the ages of 6 to 14. The diversity is reflected in the youth football program, as we have male, African American, Caucasian, Hispanic, and LGBTQ members. The youth football program not only keeps the youth focused and promotes fair competition. Our football program also deters our youth from partaking in drug use.

Total Program Cost:\$45,000Funds Requested:\$20,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$20,000City Residents to Serve:150

**FY 23 Award** \$3.940

FY 22 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply

FY 21 Funds Utilized \$16,053.072 spent of \$16,222.22 awarded

Name of Organization:Junior Achievement of South FloridaProgram Title:JA BizTown for Hollywood Students

Primary Focus Area: Training and Career Planning and Development

# **Program Summary:**

There has never been a more critical time to bridge the financial literacy divide and address economic inequity. The economic fallout from the COVID-19 crisis has impacted everyone. JA believes we are all essential to our economic recovery and to finding a solution to create a stable future for everyone. The focus of this project is teaching critical life skills, like economic concepts, workplace skills and personal and business finances. These financial educational concepts are all things that most American adults have had little or no exposure to while in school. Since 2009 every public school fifth grader in the City of Hollywood completes the JA BizTown in-class curriculum and one-day simulation. At JA BizTown, students run various businesses, earn paychecks, open/manage bank accounts, take out and repay business loans, vote, price and advertise goods/services for sale, and more. Students become full-fledged consumers by making purchases at other student-run businesses within the "town", and they must work together to satisfy customers' expectations, as well as their 'co-workers'. If necessary, students will complete JA BizTown Adventures upon completion of their in-class curriculum. JA BizTown Adventures provides an online, interactive alternative to students who are unable to visit the on-site simulation. We seek funding to assist in covering program costs incurred to provide over 1,400 City of Hollywood school students with the JA BizTown experience next school year.

Total Program Cost:\$1,443,667Funds Requested:\$14,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$14,000City Residents to Serve:1,400

**FY 23 Award** \$7.500

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$4,589 spent of \$4,589 awarded

**FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$6,222.22 spent of \$6,222.22 awarded

Name of Organization:

Program Title:

Learning for Success, Inc.

Learning for Success

Primary Focus Area: Training and Career Planning and Development

#### **Program Summary:**

Our <u>Kids and the Power of Work (KAPOW)</u> program and new collaborations provide career awareness and workplace skills lessons, field trips to work sites, college and career-ready presentations for Hollywood elementary-high school students. Up to 150 volunteers and 48 educators conduct the activities, serving an estimated 400 students at Apollo Middle, Hollywood Hills and MacArthur High, Boulevard Heights, West Hollywood, Orange Brook, Bethune, and Stirling Elementary schools. Participating partners have included: City of Hollywood, Bank of America, Publix Super Markets, The Miami Heat, Florida Blue, Broward College, and Royal Caribbean Cruises.

**New programming** includes <u>LearningFromSuccess</u> inspirational <u>in-school presentations</u> by Commissioner Kevin Biederman and the Miami Heat's Tony Fiorentino, Broward College's - "Career Pathways" - how students can connect their passions to future careers, and "Publix-Where Careers Are Made", exposing students to the myriad of jobs at Publix - in their stores, distribution manufacturing centers, and the business support services they utilize. See flyers attached.

Grant funds will be utilized to recruit and train volunteers and educators, schools orientation, materials and resources development, coordinate special presentations and field trips to businesses, on-going assessment and program evaluation, promotion and participant recognition.

Total Program Cost:\$615,506Funds Requested:\$15,000Minimum Amount Needed:None listed

City Residents to Serve: 250

**FY 23 Award** \$10,000

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$5,456 spent of \$5,456 awarded FY 21 Funds Utilized \$6,833.33 spent of \$6,833.33 awarded

Name of Organization:

Liberia Economic and Social Development, Inc.

**Program Title:** 

Community Food Pantry

**Primary Focus Area:** 

Health, wellness or nutrition

# **Program Summary:**

The LES, Inc. Community Food Pantry Program has been in existence for +19 years, operating out of a 700 square foot residential apartment unit at 2334 Greene Street in the Liberia neighborhood in Hollywood. As of 2014 it is one of seven (7) active food pantries listed by 211 in the Hollywood community. LES provides services approximately eighty (80) persons per day, three (3) days per week. Persons must have an intake providing their documentation of eligibility to participate in the program. Eligible participants must be within 130% of the federal poverty guidelines or be disabled or unemployed. Distribution hours are from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 pm based on the first letter of participants' last name. Source of inventory is from Feeding South Florida, United Way Lifeline, Farm Share and donations from area food providers and individuals. The LES Community Food Pantry Program provides a variety of nutritious foods from each of the five food groups, dairy, fruit, grain, protein and vegetables to promote healthy eating.

**Total Program Cost:** 

\$16,587

**Funds Requested:** 

\$16,587

**Minimum Amount Needed:** 

\$20,000

City Residents to Serve:

1,218

FY 23 Award

NA - did not apply

FY 22 Funds Utilized

\$9,972.66 spent of \$10,222 awarded

FY 21 Funds Utilized

NA -did not apply

**Tax Exempt Documentation** 

ition Included

**Community Support Letters:** 

Five Included

**Certificate of Insurance** 

Included

IRS Form 990
Audited Financials:

Included

Name of Organization:Neighborhood Medical Inc.Program Title:Neighborhood Health FairPrimary Focus Area:Health, Wellness or Nutrition

#### **Program Summary:**

This health fair will address the needs of both physical and mental health screenings to then connect individuals to licensed mental health counselors and other medical professionals in the community, who can offer a diagnosis and treatment plan. It will provide workshops to educate the community on the importance of increasing financial literacy and health literacy. As well as provide resources for individuals uninsured or unable to access affordable health care. This health fair will also promote the need for health coaching for patients that have multiple health disparities, the need for a mobile health care that bridges the gap between acute care at the hospital and follow up with preventive care, and address the need for HIV and STD education.

Total Program Cost:\$2,600Funds Requested:\$2,600Minimum Amount Needed:\$3,000City Residents to Serve:250

FY 23 Award

FY 22 Funds Utilized

NA – did not apply

Name of Organization: The Pantry of Broward, Inc.

Program Title: Low Income Senior Food Service Program

Primary Focus Area: Respite Care and Elder Services

# **Program Summary:**

The primary objective of this project is focused on valuing the dignity of our low income, senior population and allowing them to at least have one less worry in what is supposed to be their golden years. This grant will enable The Pantry of Broward to continue to support eligible, homebound, seniors who are currently residing in Hollywood, Florida, (and possibly add a few more if the full amount of the grant is awarded) so they can receive the benefits they so desperately need. With the support of the full amount of this grant from the City of Hollywood, The Pantry of Broward would be able to deliver a monthly food box, for one year, consisting of nonperishable boxed food and can goods, nutritional staples, a variety of fruits and vegetables (when available), baked goods, and the likes, for up to twenty (20) households for seniors in need. Due to our outstanding reputation in the community with over 14 years of service, we are fortunate to have a steady flow of food sources at this time, but we are also very aware this could change at any moment. However, with the increasing costs of food that has drastically impacted our expenses (not to mention our clients) due to the highest inflation rates in over 40 years, your financial support would be greatly appreciated and will put food on the tables of the low-income seniors in the City of Hollywood.

Total Program Cost:\$10,000Funds Requested:\$10,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$10,000City Residents to Serve:20

**FY 23 Award** \$5,167

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$5,167 spent of \$5,167 awarded

FY 21 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply

Name of Organization: South Broward High School

Program Title: Career Training and Credit Recovery Program
Primary Focus Area: Training and Career Planning and Development

# **Program Summary:**

This program provides our 12<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade students with an opportunity to retake credits that they may have failed or missed (especially during Covid) in order to graduate.

Total Program Cost:\$11,100Funds Requested:\$11,100Minimum Amount Needed:\$10,000City Residents to Serve:500

**FY 23 Award** \$5,000

FY 22 Funds Utilized NA – did not apply

**FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$10,777.78 spent of \$10,777.78 awarded

Tax Exempt Documentation Included Community Support Letters: None Included IRS Form 990 NA Audited Financials: Included

Name of Organization: Women in Distress of Broward County, Inc.

Program Title: Emergency Shelter and Outreach for Domestic

Violence Survivors

Primary Focus Area: Shelter and Housing

# **Program Summary:**

Women In Distress of Broward County, Inc. (WID) requests \$40,000 to provide confidential, life-changing services to residents of the City of Hollywood to empower them to heal from the trauma of domestic violence (DV) and begin new, self-sufficient lives free of violence. Founded in 1974, WID is the only nationally accredited, state certified DV center in Broward County, FL. The requested funding will subsidize the cost to provide Emergency Shelter and critical Outreach (non-residential) services at WID's Jim and Jan Moran Family Center (main campus) in Deerfield Beach (CONFIDENTIAL LOCATION) to Hollywood residents from October 1, 2023 to September 30, 2024. Hollywood residents will access WID's free and confidential services via our 24-hour crisis hotline. Survivors fleeing domestic violence arrive at our secure 132-bed Emergency Shelter scared, often with only the clothes on their back and children under their arms. They are greeted by Shelter Advocates who begin to address their immediate needs (e.g., safety, food, clothing, etc.). Survivors and their children are provided safe shelter and services for up to 90 days with a goal of transitioning into a self-sufficient life free from violence. Outreach (nonresidential) counseling, therapy, and advocacy are offered at our main campus, by phone, and virtually. Programs include registration/intake for adults and children, counseling, therapy and support groups for adults, and children and family therapy services. WID will continue to collaborate with the City of Hollywood and Hollywood Police Department to refer victims in the program to the WID Advocate to receive assistance.

Total Program Cost: \$4,097,688
Funds Requested: \$40,000
Minimum Amount Needed: \$20,000
City Residents to Serve: 45

**FY 23 Award** \$20,000

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$18,600 spent of \$18,600 awarded

**FY 21 Funds Utilized** \$22,888.89 spent of \$28,888.89 awarded

Name of Organization: Young Men's Christian Association of South Florida, Inc.

Program Title: Financial Assistance: Enabling Access to Health &

Wellness

Primary Focus Area: Health, Wellness or Nutrition

**Program Summary:** 

Strengthening the Hollywood community begins with strengthening our families. We provide a safe, educational and healthy environment where all people can enjoy time together and strengthen themselves physically and mentally. The financial assistance program allows families and individuals that struggle to make ends meet the opportunity to be part of the life changing programs we offer. By providing affordable childcare to families with preschool aged children to battling youth obesity through youth sports and aquatics class the Hollywood Y is helping to jumpstart each child's learning, health and character development. In addition to youth many Active Older Adults are recipients of financial assistance. The aging process takes a toll, often robbing seniors of their mobility, independence and too often their dignity. Our programs are designed to circumvent these programs and help build strength, balance and agility. Our workshops ensure seniors know how to manage chronic illnesses like diabetes. It is our goal to keep our seniors active in both wellness and socialization activities to prevent isolation and depression. YMCA programs operate year-round January through December at all times of day from the early morning exercise class to the evening swim lessons.

Total Program Cost:\$160,000Funds Requested:\$25,000Minimum Amount Needed:\$25,000City Residents to Serve:2200

FY 23 Award NA – did not apply

FY 22 Funds Utilized \$10,200 spent of \$10,200 awarded FY 21 Funds Utilized \$9,444.44 spent of \$9,444.44 awarded