



# City of San Leandro

Meeting Date: October 7, 2019

## Staff Report

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**File Number:** 19-519 **Agenda Section:** CONSENT CALENDAR

**Agenda Number:** 8.J.

**TO:** City Council

**FROM:** Jeff Kay  
City Manager

**BY:** Jeanette Dong  
Recreation and Human Services Director

**FINANCE REVIEW:** Not Applicable

**TITLE:** Staff Report for a Resolution of the City Council of the City of San Leandro Authorizing the City Manager to Approve the Youth Reinvestment Grant (YRG) Program with the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) to Provide a Total of \$985,000 from January 2019 to February 2023 in Grant Funds to the City of San Leandro and San Leandro Unified School District for Youth Services

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### **SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Youth Reinvestment Grant (YRG) application was requested by the San Leandro Unified School District (District) to provide youth services. The grant proposal application was submitted to the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) and was accepted along with the District Board Resolution. The BSCC is requesting the City of San Leandro Resolution.

Staff recommends that the City Council authorize the Resolution where the City of San Leandro desires to participate in the Youth Reinvestment Grant Program. The City is thankful for the continued partnership with the District.

### **BACKGROUND**

The Youth Reinvestment Grant (YRG) program was established in the 2018 Budget Act (Senate Bill 840, Chapter 29, Statutes of 2018) and the related trailer bill (Assembly Bill 1812, Chapter 36, Statutes of 2018). The YRG program is aimed at diverting low-level offenders from initial contact with the juvenile justice system using approaches that are evidence-based, culturally relevant, trauma-informed, and developmentally appropriate. Grant funds will be used to target underserved communities with high rates of juvenile arrests and high rates of racial/ethnic disproportionality within those juvenile arrests.

Applicants are local governments and will be required to pass through ten percent of awarded funds to a designated "lead public agency" responsible for coordinating with local law enforcement agencies, social service agencies, and nonprofit organizations to implement the local grant program. Applicant local governments will be required to pass through the remaining

90 percent of awarded funds to community-based organizations. Community-based organizations (CBOs) that receive these funds must deliver services in underserved communities with high rates of juvenile arrests. The services include diversion programs and alternatives to arrest, incarceration, and formal involvement with the juvenile justice system, educational services, including academic and vocational services, mentoring services, behavioral health services and mental health services.

The City of San Leandro as the applicant, and the San Leandro Unified School District as the lead agency, were awarded the Youth Reinvestment Grant. The program and funds will be managed and dispersed by the District.

**FISCAL IMPACTS**

There is no fiscal impact on the General Funds associated with this item.

**ATTACHMENTS**

- Youth Reinvestment Proposal Package

**PREPARED BY:** Ely Hwang, Manager, Recreation and Human Services Department

# CITY OF SAN LEANDRO



## STAFF REPORT

**Date:** September 23, 2019  
**To:** City Council

**From:** Jeanette Dong, Recreation and Human Services Director

**Subject:** Requested Approval in support of the Youth Reinvestment Grant Program for the City of San Leandro and San Leandro Unified School District

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### SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION

[This application was requested by the San Leandro School District to provide youth services.](#) The attached document is the grant proposal application that was submitted to the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC). The application was accepted along with the San Leandro Unified School District Board Resolution. The Board of State and Community Corrections is requesting the City of San Leandro Resolution.

Staff recommends that the City Council authorize the Resolution where the City of San Leandro desires to participate in the Youth Reinvestment Grant Program. [The City is thankful for the continued partnership with the San Leandro School District.](#)

### BACKGROUND

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### FISCAL IMPACTS

There is no fiscal impact on the General Funds associated with this item.

### ATTACHMENTS

- Youth Reinvestment Proposal Package

**PREPARED BY:** Ely Hwang, Manager, Recreation and Human Services Department



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## Resolution - Council

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**FROM:** Jeff Kay  
City Manager

**BY:** Jeanette Dong  
Recreation and Human Services Director

**FINANCE REVIEW:** Not Applicable

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WHEREAS, the City of San Leandro desires to participate in the Youth Reinvestment Grant Program funded through the California State General Fund and administered by the Board of State and Community Corrections (hereafter referred to as BSCC); and

WHEREAS, the City Council supports the Youth Reinvestment Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the City supports diversion programs for youth that shifts mindsets from at-risk youth to full-potential youth; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is familiar with the Youth Reinvestment Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends approval of said Youth Reinvestment Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of San Leandro does RESOLVE that the City Manager is authorized on behalf of the City Council, to submit the grant proposal for this funding and to sign the Grant Agreement with the BSCC including any amendments thereof; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the San Leandro Unified School District agrees to ensure all matching funds required for the above grant are provided and abide by the terms and conditions of the Grant Agreement as set forth by the BSCC.