



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Brenda
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
Carter
3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
n/a
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
E-Community Outreach Services
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
245 E Rundell St, Pontiac, MI 48342
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:
E-Community Outreach Services, 245 E Rundell St, Pontiac, MI 48342
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:
Representative Brenda Carter, House District 53
8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution.
E-Community Outreach Services is an organization dedicated to empowering families in the community by providing resources and opportunities that lead to sustainable, long-term success. The organization is requesting \$180,000 in funding for a Workforce Development Program aimed at equipping parents and families in our community with the skills and training needed to create better outcomes for their lives. This program has been designed in collaboration with local contractors who have committed to not only train participants but also hire them upon successful completion of the program. The

funds will be used to Provide hands-on training in skilled trades and other high-demand fields, facilitate job placement with contractors who are ready to employ residents, and create a pathway for financial stability for families in our community. More information on the program can be found here: <https://www.ecommunityoutreach.org/>. This request does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution.

9. Attach documents here if needed:

Attachments added to the end of this file.

10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item.

180000

11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.

["None"]

12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item:

Non-profit organization

13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months?

Yes

14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months?

Yes

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors?

Yes

16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.'

Greg Alle (Board Member), Jeremy Boyd (Board Member), Renee Hall (Board Member), Melony England (Board Member), Alex Brown (Board Member)

17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item."

Yes, this is correct

18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item:

October 2025 - October 2026

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate."

Yes