



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Donavan
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
McKinney
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:
Junior Achievement
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
Two locations: Junior Achievement of the Michigan Great Lakes-4090 Lake Dr SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546; Junior Achievement of Southeastern Michigan-577 Larned St, Detroit, MI 48226
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:
Two locations: Junior Achievement of the Michigan Great Lakes-4090 Lake Dr SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546; Junior Achievement of Southeastern Michigan-577 Larned St, Detroit, MI 48226
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:
Representative Phil Skaggs, 80th District and Representative Joe Tate, 9th District
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. Junior Achievement is a social enterprise that delivers innovative solutions to address some of our community's deepest systemic challenges. Our mission is to inspire and prepare the next generation for future success. This appropriation will provide critical resources for JA offices with programmatic facilities located in the cities of Detroit and Grand Rapids. These facilities are an incredible backdrop for K-12 youth and young

adults to learn critical life skills necessary for economic mobility, citizenship, and future career opportunities. Programs facilitated by Junior Achievement correlate to state education requirements and the core competencies needed for successful employment in Michigan's high growth high demand industries. By increasing the skillsets of Michigan youth and young adults we reduce the likelihood of social services utilization, incarceration, and financial distress while increasing the probability of economic mobility, employment, post-secondary education/training, and community building.

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.**

2000000

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

["State"]

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.'**

Junior Achievement of the Michigan Great Lakes: Jodi Havera-Chairperson of the Board; William Kessel-Immediate Past Chairperson & Investment Committee Chair; Joe Tomaszewski-Corporate Secretary & BHOF Co-Chairperson; Sarah Mezwicki- Vice-Chair, Finance & Chair Elect; Lance Erickson-Vice-Chair, Free Enterprise Golf Invitational; Ronald Foor-JA Southwest Michigan Chairperson; Noble Billingsley-At Large Member Julie Brinks-Vice-Chair Marketing; Steve Carlson-Chair, JA Entrepreneurial Programs; William Coderre III- President & CEO; Robyn Heron- JA of Mid Michigan Chairperson; Sara Kemperman-Vice-Chair, Volunteers; Scott Setlock; Vice-Chair,Movie Events; Rich Sorota-Vice Chair of Board Development/ Junior Achievement of Southeastern Michigan: Rhonda Laurencelle-Chair; Rhonda McNally-

Vice Chair; David T. Flynn-Secretary; Lee Dow-Treasurer; Scott Mullan-Immediate Past Chair; Jason Lee-President & CEO

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:

Appropriation would be utilized in FY25-26

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

Yes