



# HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

### Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

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1. The sponsoring representative's first name:  
Greg
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:  
Markkanen
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:  
Math Corps
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:  
261 E. Maple Rd, Birmingham, MI 48009
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:  
n/a
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:  
Price 006
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.  
Math Corps is a unique out-of-school-time opportunity for middle and high school students. The program serves as a pipeline from middle school to and through college for some of our state's most vulnerable youth. Data shows that Math Corps participants are more likely to perform well academically, with 95% of them going on to attend post-secondary education programs.

The mission of Math Corps is to empower and inspire children from under-served

communities—through the teaching of mathematics and the fostering of self-worth, strong values, and a sense of family—to build successful lives for themselves and contribute to a more just society for all.

Our initiatives complement and support local schools and community efforts in developing successful, well-rounded young adults. Math Corps plays a vital role in the educational experience of the students who participate in our programs. Investing in Math Corps is an investment in the future of our youth and the long-term health of our communities.

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.

1000000

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

["Federal","Local","Private"]

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.'

Michael Acheson (Chairman) Kevin Broderick (Director) Marla Drutz (Director) George Hill (Director) Rudy Hobbs (Director) Raven L. Jones, Ph.D. (Director) Steven Kahn (Director/CEO/Co-Founder) Laura Khoury (Director) Vicki Richardson (Director) Moses Shepherd (Director) Rachel Tronstein Stewart (Director) Mark Zausmer (Director)

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:

2025-2026

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

Yes