

HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

- 1. The sponsoring representative's first name: Joseph
- 2. The sponsoring representative's last name: Aragona
- 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.

Robinson, McKinney, Koleszar and Whitsett.

- 4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for: Global Interpreting Services
- 5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for: Global Cares, LLC. 42633 Garfield Road, Suite 314 Clinton Township, MI 48038
- 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:

Representative Joseph Aragona – District 60

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. According to an article in the Washington Post, Police Departments across America are being sued for Police Officer Misconduct regarding our diverse populations, including the Deaf and hard of hearing. Detroit itself pays.

Our training, Have You Heard, will not only mitigate damages if misconduct happens regarding our ever growing foreign and Deaf populations, but it will also assist the Police in providing appropriate services, fostering a better relationship with these communities and reduce misunderstandings and fear of the inability to communicate.

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.

["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.'

Dawn Flanigan – President / Director Dano Milunovich – Secretary / 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:

10/1/25-9/1/26

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

Yes