



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Rylee
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
Linting
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.
Rep. Alicia St. Germaine
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
Women of Tomorrow Mentor & Scholarship Program
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
26913 Northwestern Hwy., Suite 155, Southfield, MI 48033
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:
Women of Tomorrow operates in 55 high schools across Michigan, and in many legislative districts
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. The Women of Tomorrow Mentor & Scholarship Program is mentorship and scholarship initiative serving over 1,000 high school girls annually in 55 Detroit-area schools, including Southgate Anderson High School. With a 97% graduation rate and more than \$2.7 million in scholarships awarded, the program demonstrably promotes educational attainment and long-term economic opportunity for young women, many from underserved communities. The organization directly invests in youth development and

workforce readiness, which both yield a measurable public benefit.

With additional state funding, the Women of Tomorrow program will be able to continue their work that prepares Michigan students for the next steps in the education or in their career and expand their operations to influence the lives of an even greater number of students. Their efforts are making a measurable impact in my community and in communities across Michigan.

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.

250000

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.'

Jennifer Valoppi, Kate MacNevin, Laurie Cunnington, Bill Kolb, Lisa Phillips, Therese Peace Agboh, Erica Richard, Margaret Cooney-Casey.

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:

10/1/2025-9/30/2026

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

Yes