

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

- 1. The sponsoring representative's first name: Stephanie A
- 2. The sponsoring representative's last name: Young
- 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: Brightmoor Connection
- 5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for: 20740 Grand River Ave., Detroit, MI 48219
- 6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity: Brightmoor Connection
- Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located: Stephanie A. Young, House District 16
- 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. Brightmoor Connection focuses on three areas: a) addresses food insecurity focusing on healthy food choices. This pantry serves over 1,700 families annually and distributes more than 600,000 pounds of food annually; b) Their youth development program provides young artists with entrepreneurial training, blending artistic skill development with essential business education; c) Brightmoor Connection designed their Abbott Resource Center Transitional Housing Program for Women & Children to support low to

moderate-income women, particularly those classified as ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed), who need refuge after a housing crisis.

- 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. 300000
- 11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.["State"]
- 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.' Rev. Roslyn Bouier, Rev. Yolanda Dawson, Rev. Ella Hardy, Min. Theretha Dixon, Deloris Green-Wyatt, Jurline Howard, Linda Mack, Diana Barton, Kevin Sandeen
- 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: FY 25/26 one year appropriation
- 19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate." Yes