



Contributions Assistance Program

FY 2020



Purpose

- Review current eligibly criteria
- Consider and discuss one additional criteria item
- Review agencies funded in FY 2019
- Review Council subcommittee:
 - Council Member Tina Conde
 - Council Member Veronica Malone
 - Council Member Curtis Nielson



Background

- The Contributions Assistance Program allocates funding to eligible non-profit agencies with 501(c)3 status that provide health and human services to Avondale residents. Level funding for FY 2019 of \$100,000 is included in the proposed Non-Departmental Budget.
- In FY 2019 twenty nine agencies were funded, providing a wide range of services.



Criteria

1. Provision of direct services which improve the health and welfare of Avondale residents.
2. Current, timely and accurate reports from current recipients.
3. Ability to generate revenue from other sources.
4. Priority will be given to special projects. However, requests for operating support toward direct and measurable services will be considered. Administrative costs will not be eligible.
5. Priority will be given to services and initiatives that support and address City Council goals.
6. Services provided at the Care1st Avondale Resource Center will be given priority.
7. Organizations that received funding in the previous year will participate in a mid-year review and demonstrate satisfactory progress toward stated goals and objectives.
8. All awards should be at or above the minimum amount requested by the organization. The minimum amount is established to provide adequate funding to effectively complete the project as proposed.



Agencies Funded in FY 2019

- A New Leaf – Siemer Program
- A New Leaf – VITA Program
- Agua Fria Food Bank
- Benevilla
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Central AZ
- Boys and Girls Club of Phoenix
- Central Arizona Shelter Services
- Chicanos Por La Causa
- Community Bridges, Inc.
- Community Legal Services
- Cornerstone Community Development-Mercy House
- Diana Gregory Outreach Services
- Homeless Youth Connection
- Jobs for Arizona's Graduates, Inc.
- Junior Achievement of Arizona, Inc.
- Lutheran Social Services
- Maricopa Health Foundation
- Mission of Mercy
- New Life Center
- Sojourner Center
- Southwest Human Development
- Southwest Lending Closet
- Southwest Valley Literacy Assoc.
- Southwest Valley Family YMCA
- St. John Vianney Pantry
- St. Mary's Food Bank
- Therapy Paws
- Touchstone Health Services
- Trellis



Discussion

Tonight's presentation is for discussion and feedback