Reply to Common Council File No. 021179

From DOA-Budget and Management Division

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Common Council File No. 021179 is a resolution from the Milwaukee Public Library relative to application, acceptance and funding of the Work Rewards: Family Based Career Exploration and Planning Grant. This is a new grant offered by the MetLife Foundation.

The goal of this funding is to help teens and their families explore successful career planning and to develop a means to facilitate family career planning. MPL will collaborate with the Milwaukee Public Alternative schools and other community youth-serving agencies to investigate the various paths to meaningful work and to inspire youth to pursue positive choices toward success.

The grant is in the amount of \$5,000 with an in-kind match for \$1,011 using existing resources and does not require any matching city funds. The grant period is from March 1, 2003 through November 30, 2003.

RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE COMMON COUNCIL FILE NO. 021170 WHICH AUTHORIZES THE MILWAUKEE PUBLIC LIBRARY TO APPLY FOR THE WORK REWARDS GRANT OFFERED BY THE METLIFE FOUNDATION.

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