



Legislation Text

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Substitute resolution authorizing the expenditure of funds from the Keeping the Promise Special Purpose Account for use in Promise Zones.

This resolution directs the City Clerk to expend up to \$404,271 from the Keeping the Promise Special Purpose Account for payment of Keeping the Promise partners in accordance with a funding allocation plan set forth in the resolution, subject to receipt of satisfactory activity reports from DOA-Community Block Grants Administration.

Whereas, The City's 2017 Budget provides \$472,000 in funding for a new Keeping the Promise Special Purpose Account ("SPA"); and

Whereas, The purpose of this SPA is to provide resources to improve public safety, employment opportunities, and educational attainment in 7 target neighborhoods (Silver City, Clarke Square, Kosciuszko Park, Amani, Harambee, Garden Homes, and Woodland/ Meadows), 6 of which are in the City's Promise Zones; and

Whereas, The SPA funding will be used to support community-based organizations' neighborhood clean-up crews and senior citizen homeowner assistance programs, as well as for expanding job-training opportunities through the City's management trainee program, labor trainees on City capital projects, and Library Circulation Interns; and

Whereas, The Department of Administration-Community Development Grants Administration has identified the following organizations/programs and funding amounts for support from the Keeping the Promise SPA:

Organization/Program	Funding Amount
McDonalds Training Program	\$30,699
Running Rebels Youth & Young Adult Programming	\$77,000
Kingdom Faith/All Things in Common Church	\$25,000
Southside Organizing Committee	\$25,000
West Care	\$35,000
United Methodist Children's Services	\$25,000
Wisconsin God Squad/Employment & Transportation	\$5,000
Milwaukee Public Library - Youth Internship	\$25,000
Lead to Change	\$5,000
Earn & Learn Program	\$131,572

30 th Street Corridor - Project Manager	\$20,000
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TOTAL	\$404,271
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; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the City Clerk is directed to expend up to \$404,271 from the Keeping the Promise Special Purpose Account (0001 1310 S239 006300) for payment of Keeping the Promise partners in accordance with the funding allocation set forth above; and, be it

Further Resolved, That release of these funds is conditioned upon the City Clerk receiving, from the Office of Community Development Grants Administration, satisfactory activity reports from each partner entity; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the appropriate City officials are authorized to execute a contract or memorandum of understanding with each Keeping the Promise partner relating to performance of Keeping the Promise activities and compensation for those activities.

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Jeff Osterman
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