



UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

AGENDA ACTION ITEM

TOPIC: Donations

SUBMITTED BY: Roberto J. Santos of Superintendent

APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SCHOOL BOARD: _____

DATE ASSIGNED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION: February 20, 2019

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board of Trustees graciously accept the following, donation(s) and this will be attached to the minutes.

The following are donations of \$1000 or more

1. United South High School Boys and Girls Soccer Teams received a donation of \$1,000.00 from Target.
2. United South High School Computer Graphics Team received a donation of \$3,995.00 from the Women's City Club.
3. United South High School Game Creators Team received a donation of \$1,846.74 from the Women's City Club.
4. Lyndon B. Johnson High School Engineering and Robotics Program received a donation of \$5,000.00 from SM Energy.

The following are donations under \$1000

NONE

Grand Total: \$11,841.74

RATIONALE: Enclosed you will find the attachments that coincide with the donations

BUDGETARY INFORMATION: No Budget Impact

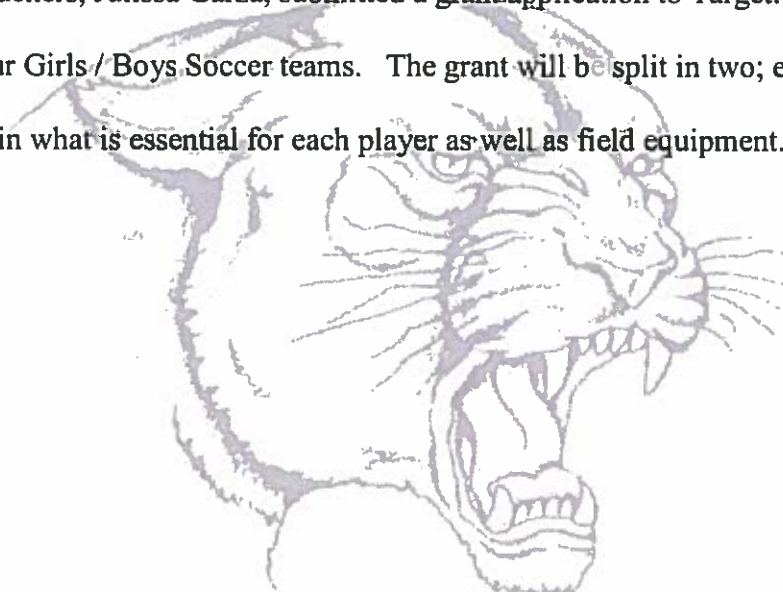
BOARD POLICY REFERENCE & COMPLIANCE: This is in compliance and in accordance with Board Policy CDC: Other Revenues, Grants from Private Sources



UNITED SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

To: Board Members
From: Adriana P. Ramirez, USHS Principal
Subject: Grant
Date: January 22, 2019

One of our Spanish teachers, Julissa Garza, submitted a grant application to Target. She obtained a \$1,000.00 grant for our Girls / Boys Soccer teams. The grant will be split in two; each team will be given \$500.00 to obtain what is essential for each player as well as field equipment.



1. Please describe the soccer program you will be implementing, include how Target funds will be used.

USHS Soccer (Boys & Girls) is focused on step-by-step coaching and progression to create a high quality training program where athletes can see results.

Funding will be used to purchase player and field equipment. Since condition is an important aspect of our program, we are currently in need of conditioning equipment such as, agility poles, speed hurdles, agility ladders, and resistance chutes. In addition, we would like to purchase field equipment such as ball rebounders, pop-up soccer goals and a soccer wall set.

2. What are the primary skills taught in your program?

There are various methods of training that range from the evolution of touch, which is a progressive training system aimed at developing dribbling, ball control, first touch, fitness and confidence. For advanced athletes who are already confident on the ball and are looking to dominate defenses, the training outlines how they can perform any move at any time and break down entire defenses by creating passing lanes and opening up space. This unique system is programmed with other training, enables our players to become more creative on the field as they master controlling defenders. They discover how to set up entire defenses from whatever position they are in by looking for passing lanes, creating space, and incorporating "off beat patterns" to throw off defenders and keep them guessing at what their next move is.

3. What training do you provide/require of your coaches?

Every fall, my soccer coaching staff is required to attend the Texas Association of Soccer Coaches (TASCO) Clinic where they acquire valuable information on effective soccer strategies, innovative methods of training, team management, and leadership skills.

4. Provide the cost for an athlete to participate in the program.


There is no cost for the student athlete to participate in the program.

5. What key metrics do you plan on collecting to determine if the outcomes have been achieved?

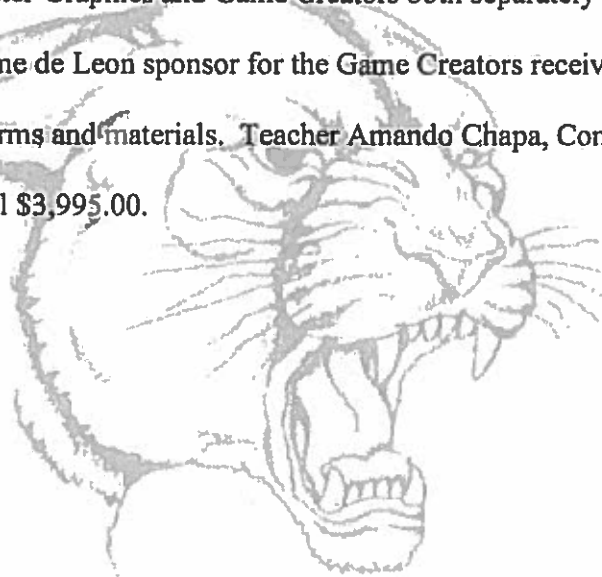
Since soccer is an endurance sport, physical conditioning plays an important part in our program's success. An important physical assessment that we use to measure an athlete's fitness is the FitnessGram test. We administer a pre-test on the first day of the soccer athletic and collect the results to determine what different areas need improvement. Our fitnessgram assessment is composed of a series of exercises that measure aerobic capacity, upper body strength/endurance, abdominal strength/endurance, lower body strength/endurance and

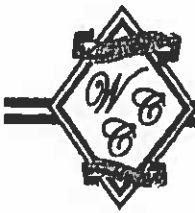


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To: Board Members
From: Adriana P. Ramirez, USHS Principal 
Subject: Grant
Date: January 28, 2019

United South High School Computer Graphics and Game Creators both separately received a grant from Women's City Club. Teacher Jaime de Leon sponsor for the Game Creators received \$1,846.74; which will be used for competition uniforms and materials. Teacher Amando Chapa, Computer Graphics, received a grant for purchases total \$3,995.00.





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United South H. S. The Game Creators
4001 Los Presidentes Ave.
Laredo, TX
RE: 2019 Disbursement Award

January 10, 2019

Dear Mr. Jaime De Leon,

We are pleased to inform you that Women's City Club Board of Directors has approved a grant for your program in the amount of **\$1,846.74** the items listed below:

Competiton Uniforms & Materials - \$1,846.74

Our Disbursement Committee and Board of Directors worked diligently, putting much thoughtful consideration into the selection of the final awards from the numerous applications that were submitted. Although we cannot always grant the full request, we are happy and proud to be able to contribute toward the success of programs such as yours.

Please read the grant conditions listed below as they cover the terms and conditions of this grant

*** All items should be purchased within three (3) months of this award.

Promptly submit invoice of purchase for payment to:

Alma Narvaez, Treasurer
P.O. Box 450085
Laredo TX 78045-0085

***Please contact Ana Laura R. Guajardo at (956)286-2166 to schedule a photo for our records.

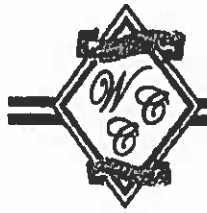
***Where applicable, a permanent plaque or other approved marker should be placed on the awarded item (s) noting the donation by Women's City Club, as we feel it is important for our supporters to know how their donations impact our community.

Thank you for everything you do. We wish you success in meeting your goals.

Sincerely,

Sylvia Gandhi

Sylvia Gandhi, Women's City Club President 2018



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United South H. S. Computer Graphics
4001 Los Presidentes Ave.
Laredo, TX
RE: 2019 Disbursement Award

January 10, 2019

Dear Mr. Amando Chapa,

We are pleased to inform you that Women's City Club Board of Directors has approved a grant for your program in the amount of **\$3,995.00** the items listed below:

Epson sure color printer 1 x \$3,995.00

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Sincerely,

Sylvia Gandhi

Sylvia Gandhi, Women's City Club President 2018



UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

To: Roberto Santos, Super Intendant

From: Armando Salazar, Principal

Date: January 18, 2019

Re: SM Energy Donation

We have recently received a generous donation of \$5000.00 from SM Energy to our High School Engineering and Robotics program. This contribution will provide much needed supplies for our classroom and during competition.

Thank You



Lyndon B. Johnson High School
Armando Salazar

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