LEGISLATIVE FACT SHEET

Legislation Number:	**210822**
Approval Deadline:	

LEGISLATION IN BRIEF:

Aim4Peace has received a two year $99,000 award from Mid-America Regional Council that came from Everytown to do violence prevention work with a youth focus.

What is the reason for this legislation?

The reason for this legislation is to accept a grant award to further violence prevention efforts in the community that has a youth focus. This effort will collaborate with faith based organization and community groups.

Discussion (including relationship to other Council actions)

The Violence Prevention Program (Aim4Peace) replicates the internationally acclaimed Cure Violence (formerly Chicago CeaseFire).

These behavior change models have been evaluated and found to be the most effective violence prevention model to change behavior by the U.S. Department of Justice.

These model engages individual and the entire community to change behavior and recognizes that violence is unacceptable and there are other solutions to conflict.

The intended outcomes of the grant will make a positive impact on Kansas City by:
- Increase participants knowledge and skills for conflict mediation
- Create positive changes in participants beliefs about violence as a solution to conflict
- Change residents tolerance of violence
- Decrease participants individual risk factors for violence
-The program will promote alternatives to violence to help make communities safer.

Citywide Business Plan Goal

Public Safety

Citywide Business Plan Objective

Reduce violent crime among all age groups, placing an emphasis on young offenders

Citywide Business Plan Strategy

Collaborate across departments to implement a messaging campaign supporting positive social norms and behaviors across all age groups, with an emphasis on youth and young adults

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Sponsor(s)

Director of Health

Programs, Departments, or Groups Affected

Health Dept.

Sub-Program in Budget (page #)

Community and Family Health Division, Aim4Peace, p. 176

Applicants/ Proponents	City Department
	Health Dept.
	Other
Staff Recommendation	For
Board or Commission Recommendation	
	N/A

Future Impacts

N/A

Cost of Legislation current Fiscal Year	$99,000.00
Costs in Future Fiscal Years?	No
Annual Revenue Increase/Decrease	$99,000.00
Applicable Dates:	
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