

Councilmember
Cheryl Davila
District 2

CONSENT CALENDAR
May 14, 2019

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
From: Councilmembers Cheryl Davila and Ben Bartlett
Subject: BOSS Rising Stars Gala Event: Relinquishment of Council Office Budget Funds to General Fund and Grant of Such Funds

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution approving the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$250 per Councilmember including \$100 from Councilmember Cheryl Davila, to support the Rising Stars Youth Leadership Gala Event (BOSS) May 31, 2019, 6-8PM, with funds relinquished to the City's general fund for this purpose from the discretionary Council Office Budgets of Councilmember Davila, the Mayor and any other Councilmembers who would like to contribute.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

No General Fund impact; \$100 is available from Councilmember Cheryl Davila's Council Office Budget discretionary account (011 11 102 000 0000 000 411).

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Providing insight, inspiration, leadership and motivation on personal growth and development for their youthful peers who are also confronting challenges.

BACKGROUND

We are proposing that the City Council make a minimum grant of \$100 to this awards program honoring local youth who are working toward college and other life goals as they struggle to overcome barriers including homelessness, substance abuse and criminal justice system involvement under the auspices of Building Opportunities for Self-Sufficiency (BOSS), with partners Berkeley High School, Berkeley Technology Academy. Assembly member Nancy Skinner will be the keynote speaker, and it will feature performance by the Berkeley High Jazz Band. Last year, the Rising Stars Youth Leadership Gala was attended by over 125 community members providing these highly laudable youth with unforgettable memories, pride and motivation to continue their course and progress toward realization of their chosen goals.

CONTACT PERSON

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ATTACHMENTS: 1: Resolution

2: Flyer

RESOLUTION NO.##,###-N.S.

AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF SURPLUS FUNDS FROM THE OFFICE EXPENSE ACCOUNTS OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS FOR A GRANT TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SERVICES FOR A MUNICIPAL PUBLIC PURPOSE

WHEREAS, Councilmember Cheryl Davila has surplus funds in her office expenditure account (budget code 011 11 102 000 0000 000 411); and

WHEREAS, a California non-profit tax-exempt corporation BOSS, a community-serving non-profit is seeking donations of support in the amount of \$250 for the Rising Stars Gala community event on May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, BOSS' Rising Stars are providing inspiration and motivation that demonstrates to other similarly situated youth that they can also overcome obstacles to achieving theirgoals;

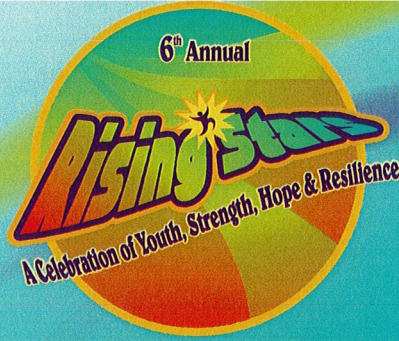
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that funds relinquished by the Mayor and Councilmembers from their Council Office Budget up to \$250 per office shall be granted to BOSS' Rising Stars Gala Event.

Friday

May 31st 2019

6pm - 8pm

Hotel Shattuck Plaza
2086 Allston Way
Berkeley



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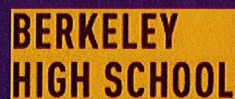
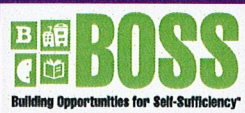


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Emcee: Leslie Stoval, KPFA and California Music Channel



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