




## Interoffice Memorandum

December 12, 2022

To: Mayor Jerry L. Demings  
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County Commissioners

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SUBJECT: Approval of Contract Y23-2045, Innovation Programming for Youth District  
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### ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval of Contract Y23-2045, Innovation Programming for Youth District 2, with 8 Cents in a Jar, Inc., in the total contract award amount of \$200,000 for a two-year term.

### PURPOSE:

This contract will provide funds to support youth, in grades nine through 12, an ongoing experiential learning program, Teach Students Money Expo, that combines high-energy, interactive sessions to educate students on real-world financial life skills. The performance period will commence upon execution through December 31, 2024.

### FUNDING:

Funding is available in account number 0001-062-2556-8610.

### APPROVALS:

The Citizens' Review Panel for Human Services (CRP) recommended 8 Cents in a Jar, Inc. to receive CRP funding to provide an Innovation Programming for Youth District 2. The Citizens' Commission for Children Division concurs with the funding recommendation.

### REMARKS:

In accordance with the Code of Ordinances, Part 1, Chapter 17, Article III, Section 17-286 – Application and Exclusions, agreements between the Board and nonprofit organizations are excluded from competitive procurement requirements.

8 Cents in a Jar, Inc. will provide Innovation Programming for Youth District 2 through "Real World" simulation that teaches economic mobility, civic engagement, community services, and job training. As part of the simulation, students assume the move to a new city, "Eightville," as 28-year-olds in Central Florida who are provided a credit score and monthly salary for their chosen education and career and family scenario. Students must

complete each storefront curriculum and make decisions concerning their standard of living (e.g., a one-bedroom apartment versus a three-bedroom home) and prioritize needs versus wants to adapt to life's complications without the permanent consequences.