

Councilmember District 2

> CONSENT CALENDAR January 21, 2020

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Councilmembers Cheryl Davila and Ben Bartlett

Subject: Berkeley Youth Alternatives (BYA) 16th Crab Feed on Thursday, February, 27, 2020: 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 \$120 from Councilmember Cheryl Davila, to support Berkeley Youth Alternatives, for their <u>16th Annual Crab Feed Fundraiser</u> on Thursday, February 27, 2020, with funds relinquished to the City's general fund for this purpose from the discretionary Council Office Budgets of Councilmember Cheryl Davila and Mayor or any other Councilmembers who would like to contribute.

BACKGROUND

Berkeley Youth Alternatives (BYA) is community based 501(c) 3 organization that was established in 1969 as a runaway youth shelter. BYA has since expanded its operations to include support for youth and families, with an emphasis on education, health/well-being and economic self-sufficiency. BYA provides quality services such as mental health, case management, academic support, mentoring, health education, sports, fitness, recreation, job training and youth internships. BYA is also certified Small, Local, and Emerging Business (SLEB) vendor, #13-00074, with Alameda County.

We are proposing that the City Council make a minimum grant of \$120 to the Berkeley Youth Alternatives 16th Crab Feed on Thursday, February, 27, 2020, from 7 PM to 9 PM, located at 1255 Allston Way. The funds raised at this event are used to provide services to approximately 1,200 youth and their families per year through a variety of activities.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

No General Fund impact. \$120 is available from Councilmember Cheryl Davila's Council Office Budget discretionary account (011-11-102-000-0000-000-411).

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Supporting our youth is itself an act of environmental sustainability.

CONTACT PERSON

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ATTACHMENT:

1. Berkeley Youth Alternatives 16th Crab Feed on Thursday, February 27, 2020

2. Resolution

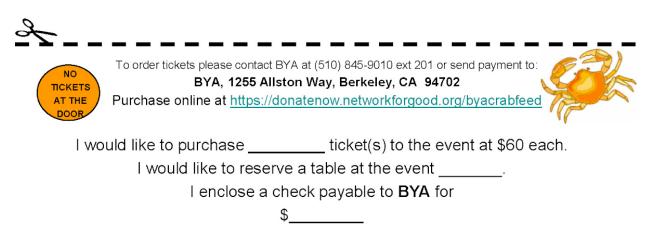
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(Limited seating available)



Reserve table for 6. Add \$40.00 to the overall reservation. (ex: Table for six \$400.00) Check has to be written by one person to reserve a table.

ONLY 200 TICKETS AVAILABLE!



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

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BERKELEY 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 Berkeley Youth Alternatives, a community-serving non-profit is seeking donations of support in the amount of \$120 for their 16th Crab Feed on Thursday, February, 27, 2020, from 7 PM to 9 PM, located at 1255 Allston Way; and

WHEREAS, Berkeley Youth Alternatives provides broad support to Berkeley youth and their families to achieve academic success, sound health and well-being, and economic self-sufficiency;

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 Berkeley Youth Alternatives 16th Crab Feed.