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O-183-26

Louisville Metro Council City Agency Request

x **Neighborhood Development Fund (NDF)**
Capital Infrastructure Fund (CIF)
Municipal Aid Program (MAP)
Paving Fund (PAV)

Primary Sponsor: Shameka Parrish-Wright

Amount: 10000 **Date:** 06/08/2026

Description of program/project including public purpose, additional funding sources, location of project/program and any external grantee(s):

District 3 is allocating this funding to Metro Parks and Recreation so the South Louisville Community Center can administer funding for the Gyms Not Jails Program, which will be a seven week program for youth in Jefferson County to learn to express their emotions through physical activity. This is a continuation of the first iteration, which was successful.

City Agency: Louisville Parks and Recreation

Contact Person: Ben Johnson

Agency Phone: 5025745994

I have reviewed this request for an expenditure of city tax dollars, and have determined the funds will be used for a public purpose and have the attached documentation from the receiving department concerning the project/expenditure.

3	Shameka Parrish-Wright	10000	6/8/2026
District #	Council Member Signature	Amount	Date

Approved by: _____
Appropriations Committee Chairman Date

Clerk's Office & OMB Use Only:

Request Amount: _____ Amended Amount: _____

Reference #: O-183-26 To OMB: _____

Budget Revision #: _____

Account #: _____

To Project Manager: _____ Completion Date: _____

Actual Cost: _____ Funds Returned: _____

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Department/Project:
Metro Parks and Recreation Gyms Not Jails

Additional Signatures

I have reviewed this request for an expenditure of city tax dollars, and have determined the funds will be used for a public purpose.

Council Member Signature and Amount

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NDF, CIF, MAP OR PAV INTERAGENCY CHECKLIST

Interagency Name: Louisville Metro Parks and Recreation

Program/Project Name: Gyms Not Jails

	Yes/No/NA
Request Form: Is the Request Signed by all Council Member(s) Appropriating Funding?	Yes
Request Form: If matching funds are to be used, are they disclosed with account numbers in the request form description?	NA
Request Form: If matching funds are to be used, does the amount of the request exclude the matching fund amount?	NA
Request Form: If other funds are to be used for this project, are they disclosed with account numbers in the request form description?	NA
Funding Source: If CIF is being requested, does Metro Louisville own/will own the real estate, building or equipment? If not, the funding source is probably NDF.	NA
Funding Source: If CIF is being requested, does the project have a useful life of more than one year? If not, the funding source is probably NDF.	NA
Ordinance Required: Is the NDF request to a Metro Agency greater than $5,000? If so, an ordinance is required.	Yes
Ordinance Required: Is the request a transfer from NDF to cost center? If so, is the amount given for the fiscal year $25,000 or less?	No
Supporting Documentation: Does the attachment include a valid estimate and description of cost?	Yes

Submitted by: Benjamin Harlan **Date:** 6/8/2026

Harlan, Benjamin

From: Canuel, Jason
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2026 1:53 PM
To: Harlan, Benjamin; Johnson, Benjamin; Wade, Joshua
Subject: Re: Gyms Not Jails Continuation

Yes, Parks will accept the funding for the Gyms Not Jails program.

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LOUISVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION

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To: Johnson, Benjamin <Ben.Johnson@louisvilleky.gov>; Wade, Joshua <Joshua.Wade@louisvilleky.gov>
Cc: Canuel, Jason <Jason.Canuel@louisvilleky.gov>
Subject: RE: Gyms Not Jails Continuation

Hey, y'all! Just following up here! Wanted to go ahead and file the transmittal form.

Thanks,

Ben Harlan
Legislative Assistant, Councilwoman Shameka Parrish-Wright
Louisville Metro Council
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From: Harlan, Benjamin
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Cc: Canuel, Jason <Jason.Canuel@louisvilleky.gov>
Subject: Gyms Not Jails Continuation

Hey, Ben!

Would Parks and Recreation be willing to accept an additional $10,000 for the Gyms Not Jails program to be administered at the South Louisville Community Center for nine weeks beginning on June 23rd? This will cover the cost of the instructors and some additional equipment to meet the increased demand.

Thank you,

Ben Harlan
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Harlan, Benjamin

From: J Dot ALEXANDER <jdotalexander@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2026 2:55 PM
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GYMS NOT JAILS BOXING PROGRAM PROPOSAL
Program Schedule:
Beginning Tuesday, June 23, 2026
Every Tuesday and Thursday
1:30 PM – 3:30 PM
Continuing Through Tuesday, August 4, 2026
Administrative Services
Administrator Rate: $155.00 Per Hour
2 Hours Per Day
Total Administrative Hours: 26 Hours
Administrative Total: $4,030.00
Boxing Trainer Services
Boxing Trainer Rate: $150.00 Per Hour
2 Hours Per Day
Total Trainer Hours: 26 Hours
Trainer Total: $3,900.00
Equipment & Program Supplies
Remaining program funds will be used for:
Boxing Gloves
Hand Wraps
Training Equipment
Program Supplies
Equipment Budget
Equipment & Supplies Total: $2,070.00
TOTAL PROGRAM BUDGET
$10,000.00
Program Overview
The Gyms Not Jails Boxing Program is designed to provide mentorship, discipline, structured boxing instruction, fitness training, violence prevention support, and emotional wellness engagement for youth and young adults. Participants will receive hands-on training and leadership development through positive community-based programming focused on accountability, confidence, teamwork, and healthy decision-making.

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