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Title:	To approve the grant application of Per Scholas seeking financial assistance to address emergency human service needs pursuant to Columbus City Code; to authorize the appropriation and expenditure of $15,000.00 from the Jobs Growth Fund; to authorize the Director of Development to execute a grant agreement with Per Scholas for the provision of workforce development services; and to declare an emergency. ($15,000.00)		
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7/25/2017	1	ACTING MAYOR	Signed	
7/24/2017	1	COUNCIL PRESIDENT	Signed	
7/24/2017	1	Columbus City Council	Approved	Pass

BACKGROUND: This legislation authorizes the Director of the Department of Development to enter into a grant agreement with Per Scholas for the provision of workforce development services for a twelve-month period. The total amount of this grant agreement is $15,000.00.

The legislation targets a workforce development program that falls into one or more of the City's three priority areas including emergency and basic needs, employment and self-sufficiency, and social success for our residents and neighborhoods.

Per Scholas will receive funding for providing tuition-free IT Job Ready Training to the unemployed and underemployed residents of Columbus.

Emergency action is necessary to avoid causing interruptions in the delivery of program services.

FISCAL IMPACT: Funding for these expenditures is allocated from the Jobs Growth Fund ($15,000.00).

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WHEREAS, Per Scholas has submitted a grant application seeking financial assistance; and

WHEREAS, City Council is authorized to allocate funds annually to assist social service agencies in the city with the operating costs of delivering programs; and

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WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Development desires to enter into a grant agreement with Per Scholas for the continued provision of social services; and

WHEREAS, Per Scholas will be funded with Jobs Growth funds; and

WHEREAS, an emergency exists in the usual daily operation of the Department of Development in that it is immediately necessary to authorize the Director to enter into a grant agreement with Per Scholas to avoid causing interruptions in the delivery of vital program services, all for the preservation of the public health, peace, property, safety, and welfare; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

SECTION 1. That the City Auditor be and is hereby authorized and directed to appropriate $15,000 in the General Fund, Jobs Growth Subfund, Fund 1000, Subfund 100015, to the Department of Development in Object Class 03 - Contractual Services, per the accounting codes in the attachment to this ordinance.

SECTION 2. That the Director of the Department of Development is hereby authorized to execute a grant agreement with the Per Scholas for the purpose of providing workforce development services.

SECTION 3. That for the purpose as stated in Section 2, the expenditure of $15,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby authorized from the General Fund in Object Class 03, per the accounting codes in the attachment to this ordinance.

SECTION 4. That the funds necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance are hereby deemed appropriated, and the City Auditor shall establish such accounting codes as necessary.

SECTION 5. That for the reasons stated in the preamble hereto, which is hereby made a part hereof, this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, or ten days after passage if the Mayor neither approves nor vetoes the same.

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