

BOARD/COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

Hispanic/Latino Quality of Life Resource Advisory Commission

Recommendation Number: 20160622-004-a9: Discussion and possible action to recommend that the City Council consider the following resolutions.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Hispanic/Latino Quality of Life Resource Advisory Commission requests that the Austin City Council:

Support the Youth Unlimited Enhancement and Entrepreneurial Program for \$280,660. The goals and objectives of this program is designed to work with the most at-risk students both inside and outside of the classroom, so they become an increasingly positive influence in their schools, and their communities. The student's improved self-esteem and motivation moves the child from a pattern of disruption and failing in classroom performance, to a productive and active role, with increased positive, active participation. This program will improve student test scores, in core subjects, reduce absenteeism and greatly reduce behavior referrals. This program also reduces bullying, domestic violence and strengthens social relationships.

Date of Approval:

06/22/2016

Record of the vote:

The motion was proposed by Commissioner Lopez-Aguilar, seconded by Commissioner Tijerina, and

passed unanimously.

(Staff or board member can sign)