Youth Violence Prevention Program Micro-Grants

Mayor Sharon Tucker announced her Youth Violence Prevention Program on Thursday August 7, 2025. Part of that plan includes asking the Fort Wayne City Council to allocate \$250,000 for micro-grants (up to \$10,000). The Council is expected to vote on the request on Tuesday August 26. If the Council approves the allocation, individuals and organizations will be able to submit proposals for micro-grants (up to \$10,000) through a portal on the City's website. The portal will not be available until the Council approves the allocation. Please check the City's website to stay informed.

Mayor Tucker wants to be sure the money can be put to work as quickly as possible. A list of the information that will be needed to request funding is listed below. Please read the list carefully and be prepared to submit a proposal as soon as the portal opens.

If you have questions about the micro-grant program, contact Andrew Downs (260-427-2625 or andrew.downs@cityoffortwane.org).

Application Form: General Contact Information [afm-003320]

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Application Form: Questionnaire [afm-003321]

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Grouping Start	
Organization Overview	
What is the mission of your organization? (What is your organization's mission statement?) *	
When did you start this program?*	
Who are your current primary partners? *	
Who are your current primary funders? (Who are the primary sources of funding for your organization?) *	
Do you have partners in general or for this project specifically?(Are there collaborative partners specific to this	pr *
Do you have the capacity to do this? (Does your organization have the operational capacity to execute this projection)	ec *
Proposal Summary & Strategy	
What is the proposal? *	
Is this proposal for something you do currently or is it something new?*	
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Target Audience & Impact Who is the audience of this proposal? * Specific description) How many people do you expect to serve with this grant? * Research & Evidence Is there evidence that supports this proposal? * ☐ Yes ☐ No **Budget & Financial Considerations** How much money is being requested? * limit is \$10,000 How will the funds be used? * Will it be possible to complete the proposed action if less money is awarded? * Note: A maximum of 25% of the grant can be used for overhead (management, general operations, fundraising). Outcomes & Timeline What is the timetable for using the funds? * How will you measure success? *