Resolution No.: 18-312
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COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Lead Sponsor: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

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SUBJECT: Resolution to Support an Application Submitted by the Court Appointed Special Advocate, Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. to obtain an allocation of $20,000 in State of Maryland Community Investment Tax Credits

Background

1. The State of Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development (MDDHCD), has established the Community Investment Tax Credit Program.

2. The Community Investment Tax Credit Program (CITC) is a part of the Smart Growth initiative designed to promote and support a variety of projects for special populations, to provide a source of funds for assistance, and to support projects undertaken by the nonprofit sector.

3. CITC provides tax credits to corporations that donate funds to nonprofit organizations that provide services and projects to special populations throughout the state.

4. Montgomery County supports the provision of supportive services to enhance the lives of children in foster care.

5. The Court Appointed Special Advocate, Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, established in 1987, that advocates for the timely placement of abused and neglected children in safe, permanent homes and for the highest quality of care for them while they are under the Court's jurisdiction.

6. The Court Appointed Special Advocate, Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. recruits, trains and provides ongoing support to volunteers from the community who work one-on-one with children in foster care as a court appointed advocate.

7. The Court Appointed Special Advocate, Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. is applying for an allocation of $20,000 in State of Maryland Community Investment Tax Credits to support its Volunteer Recruitment & Training Project, Phase II.

8. The County Executive and the County Council support the application of the Court Appointed Special Advocate, Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. in obtaining State of Maryland Community Investment Tax Credits. This support is given as specified in COMAR 05.14.01.05B (10)(a).

Action

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following resolution:

Montgomery County supports the application of the Court Appointed Special Advocate, Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. for an allocation of tax credits under the State of Maryland Community Investment Tax Credit Program.

This is a correct copy of Council action:

Linda M. Lauer

Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

Timothy L. Firestine (Acting)

Isiah Leggett, County Executive

11/12/2014

Date