



City of Denton

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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Finance

ACM: Christine Taylor

DATE: June 16, 2026

SUBJECT

Consider adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton approving and authorizing the execution of a City Council Contingency fund donation agreement between the City of Denton and University of North Texas (UNT) Foundation in support of the UNT African Ensemble (\$800), a nonprofit organization located within the City of Denton and designated for donation by the mayor; amending and replacing the agreement previously authorized in, and attached as Exhibit A to, ordinance 26-0539; providing a severability clause; and providing an effective date. The Community Partnership Committee recommends the donation (2-0).

BACKGROUND

Council Contingency Fund support provides the mayor and each council member with \$1,700 to donate to eligible nonprofit organizations within the City of Denton. On November 1, 2022, Council approved Resolution 22-2272, requiring each council member's request to be reviewed by the Community Partnership Committee and provide a recommendation to Council. Organizations must meet the criteria outlined in Exhibit 3 to be eligible to receive the donation.

On May 5, 2026, the City Council approved ordinance 26-0539 which approved the execution of the donation agreement between the City of Denton and University of North Texas (UNT) Foundation. The UNT Foundation requested limited and reasonable language revisions that reporting requirements pertain only to the expenditure of the donated funds. The request was reviewed and the proposed language acceptable to the City. Staff is requesting approval of the revised donation agreement in support of the UNT African Ensemble for \$800.

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (Council, Boards, Commissions)

On Friday, April 17, 2026, the Community Partnership Committee reviewed the request and recommended approval of the donation. On May 5, 2026, the City Council approved ordinance 26-0539 which approved the execution of the donation agreement between the City of Denton and University of North Texas (UNT) Foundation.

FISCAL INFORMATION

Council Contingency funds are budgeted annually at a total of \$11,900. Funding for the agreements will come from the City's Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Council Contingency funds.

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2 - Ordinance

Exhibit 3 - Council Contingency Support Criteria

Respectfully submitted:
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Chief Financial Officer