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05/18/2026

Subject:

Act on Donation (City of Colleyville) Grant for H1_K9
Consultants Drug Dog Services for the 2026-2027 School Year

Contact Person:

Carla Settle, Chief Financial Officer
Dr. Tiffany Cunningham, Director of Student Services

Policy/Code:

**Priority and
Performance
Objective:**

Priority 1: Student Achievement and Post Secondary
Preparedness
Objective 1.3: Safety and Well-Being

Summary:

Colleyville Assistant City Manager, Adrienne Lothery, expressed interest in using grant monies again this year to address the firearm and drug initiatives at the school level. These funds totaling \$6,750 will be used to pay for the monthly H1_K9 Drug Dog Services that the District uses to be proactive in attempts to address weapons and illegal drugs. This item was voted on at the May 5, 2026, City of Colleyville Council meeting.

Attachments:

City of Colleyville Intent Letter

Recommendation:

The recommendation is for the Board of Trustees to accept the donation from the City of Colleyville of \$6,750 for the drug dog services for the 2026-2027 school year.



April 10, 2026

Rick DeMasters
Interim Superintendent
Grapevine-Colleyville ISD
3051 Ira E. Woods Avenue
Grapevine, Texas 76051

Dear Mr. DeMasters,

The City of Colleyville has received a portion of money from the State of Texas related to the nation-wide opioid lawsuits against pharmaceutical companies. When considering how those funds could be best used to address the opioid crisis, partnering with the school district was identified as an obvious way to provide benefit to the entire community.

To that end, City staff met with GCISD staff in 2023 to explore ways the funding could be used to support GCISD's efforts to keep opioids off campuses, to respond to overdoses should they occur, and to educate families about the issue. In May 2023 the City provided 48 doses of Narcan to replace all of GCISD's Narcan that was set to expire. In June 2023 the City Council approved a donation of \$6,500 for GCISD's drug dog program for the 2023-2024 school year. A donation of \$6,750 was then approved for the GCISD 2024-2025 drug dog program, as well as the 2025-2026 program.

An opportunity to fund the drug dog program for the 2026-2027 school year was brought to the City as a potential option for utilizing a portion of our opioid funds. We anticipate this expenditure will receive full support from the City Council and will be approved at the May 5, 2026 City Council meeting. This letter serves to express the City's intent to utilize \$6,750 of our opioid funding.

Thank you and your staff for all of your hard work to keep students and campuses safe. The City is thrilled to have received funding that can be used to support and enhance those efforts. We look forward to continuing to work together on these issues.

Sincerely,

Adrienne Lothery
Assistant City Manager
City of Colleyville