

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER  
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION  
August 6, 2024 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Action Required:</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>
<p>A resolution to accept grant funds from the National Education Association Foundation to support Community Schools</p> <p><b>Submitted By:</b></p> <p>Executive Administration</p>	<p align="center">Ordinance √ <b>Resolution</b></p>	<p align="center">Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>
<p align="center"><b>SYNOPSIS</b></p> <p align="center"><b>FISCAL IMPACT</b></p> <p align="center"><b>RECOMMENDATION</b></p> <p align="center"><b>BACKGROUND</b></p>	<p>A resolution to authorize the City Manager or Mayor to accept funds from the National Education Association Foundation to implement community schools.</p> <p>The full grant amount is \$225,000.</p> <p>Approval of the resolution.</p> <p>The City of Little Rock partners with the Little Rock School District to implement the community school strategy on eight campuses. This strategy aims to achieve equity among our students and ensure that all children have access to resources needed to improve their health and academic outcomes.</p> <p>This is the third year the National Education Association has provided grant funding to the City of Little Rock to support community schools.</p>	