

## Attachment B

### FY 2019-2020 General Fund Program Descriptions and Funding Recommendations

#### 1. A New Leaf, Inc. – La Mesita Family Homeless Shelter

Requested amount: \$25,000  
Recommendation: \$20,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 6 families

A New Leaf La Mesita Family Homeless Shelter provides families with minor age children who are homeless emergency shelter and supportive services to ensure safety and well-being while preparing for a stable future. Families stay in 1 or 2 apartment units for up to 120 days while they engage in activities to strengthen their financial, educational, and social stability.

#### 2. About Care, Inc. – Empowering Independent Living

Requested amount: \$30,000  
Recommendation: \$ 7,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 28

About Care provides free services to Chandler residents who are elderly or disabled to assist them in remaining independent in their homes. Services provided by trained volunteers include: transportation, grocery shopping and errands (such as picking up prescriptions), friendly visits, respite, reassurance phone calls, computer assistance, minor home repairs, case management, and information and referral. The program defrays the high cost of assisted living, reduces isolation, and assists with improving the mental and physical health of recipients.

#### 3. About Care, Inc. – Senior Wellness Collaboration

Requested amount: \$20,000  
Recommendation: \$10,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 50

About Care, Inc. and Neighbors Who Care (NWC) partner to provide follow-up support services to homebound seniors and persons who are disabled who have been recently discharged from medical facilities. Volunteers provide assisted transportation services and manage care to improve in-home recovery and meet basic needs, which decreases future need for emergency services and hospitalization.

#### 4. American Service Animal Society – Dogs4vets

Requested amount: \$30,000  
Recommendation: \$14,500  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 338

The American Service Animal Society empowers veterans who have a service connected emotional and/or physical disability to live a more independent life and improve their opportunities for re-engaging in society. The organization helps to place service animals with veterans, and provides two (2) twenty-week training courses that train the dog and the veteran together. Service dogs assist with tasks such as opening doors, turning on lights, picking up items that have been dropped,

getting dressed, and activities to mitigate psychiatric disabilities such as PTSD. The organization also provides transportation and assists with the cost of veterinary care and service dog equipment.

**5. Animal Defense League of Arizona – Neighborhood Cat Sterilization**

Requested amount: \$39,618

Recommendation: \$-0-

Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The Animal Defense League of Arizona helps families, cats, and neighborhoods by sterilizing outdoor cats and returning them to the environment they came from. The program helps end the suffering of unwanted, homeless felines and reduces euthanasia. The Neighborhood Cat Sterilization project targets Chandler neighborhoods and registered HOA communities with multiple neighbors interested in participating in trap, neuter, return services.

**6. Association for Supportive Child Care – Powered by Vroom**

Requested amount: \$25,000

Recommendation: \$-0-

Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The Association for Supportive Child Care’s Powered by Vroom program provides ten-week play and learn programs to support families with children birth through age five in using everyday moments to embed learning to support childhood brain development. The program would serve Spanish speaking person and grandparents raising grandchildren.

**7. AZCEND – Chandler Food Bank Basic Needs Program**

Requested amount: \$55,000

Recommendation: \$47,641

Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 8,316

AZCEND’s Chandler Food Bank resolves food insecurity and hunger for individuals and families in need by offering emergency and supplemental food. Food box contents include nutritionally balanced food items that were donated by a variety of community sources. Emergency food boxes contain enough nutritious food for at least nine meals per family member, increasing accordingly with family size. Supplemental food includes fresh/perishable food and can be accessed weekly. Food box contents are tailored to the unique needs of household members whenever possible.

**8. AZCEND – Community Action Program**

Requested amount: \$165,000

Recommendation: \$162,868

Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 790

AZCEND's Community Action Program (CAP) provides safety net programming to Chandler residents with low-income facing a financial crisis. The program provides intake/eligibility services, referrals, financial education, free tax preparation, case management, and direct financial assistance for eviction and disconnection prevention. The goal is to provide short-term assistance to alleviate the immediate crisis and long-term support to help Chandler residents reach a higher level of stability.

**9. AZCEND – Interfaith Homeless Emergency Lodging Program (I-HELP)**

Requested amount: \$75,000  
Recommendation: \$50,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 200

The I-HELP provides emergency food and shelter to up to 25 single individuals experiencing homelessness in Chandler each night. The program, which is managed by AZCEND, operates through a collaboration of faith-based organizations in the East Valley that open their facilities to provide safe shelter and an evening meal on a rotating basis. AZCEND also provides intensive case management and supportive services to program participants to assist them in ending their homelessness.

**10. AZCEND – Senior Nutrition Program**

Requested amount: \$130,000  
Recommendation: \$125,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 519

AZCEND’s Senior Nutrition Program provides hot, nutritionally balanced meals to Chandler residents who are either elderly or disabled. Congregate meals are provided at the Chandler Senior Center in the dining room. There is also a meal delivery option for seniors who are homebound. Participants who participate in the home delivered meal program also receive a wellness check to assess their general health and wellbeing.

**11. Ballet Folklorico Quetzalli-AZ – Chandler’s Youth Scholarship Program**

Requested amount: \$9,990  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Ballet Folklorico Quetzalli-AZ provides students with an interest in performing arts exposure to the colorful tradition of Mexican folkloric dance and culture. The program promotes a healthy lifestyle, encourages self-esteem, and provides an opportunity to learn about Mexican history and culture. The Chandler Youth Scholarship Program provides tuition for Chandler youth who cannot afford it.

**12. Best Buddies International, Inc. – City of Chandler Inclusion Project**

Requested amount: \$15,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The Best Buddies International provides inclusion programming to youth ages 6 to 21 with and without intellectual and developmental disabilities to promote meaningful relationships and leadership development. The school-based programs provide opportunities for one-to-one friendships and inclusive group activities to reduce isolation and victimization, and increase inclusion, acceptance, and understanding throughout the school community. The Chandler Inclusion Project would support programming at Willis Junior High School.

**13. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Arizona – San Marcos Elementary Site-Based Mentoring Program**

Requested amount: \$7,500  
Recommendation: \$6,500  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 22

Big Brothers Big Sisters’ San Marcos Elementary Site-Based Mentoring Program provides school-based mentoring services to low-income, at-risk youth, in grades 2 through 6, at San Marcos Elementary School in Chandler. Matches (youth and mentors) meet during their lunch hour once per week and participate in leadership development activities on the school grounds. Mentors provide guidance to youth as it relates to school and home.

**14. Boys & Girls Clubs of the East Valley – Transforming Lives of Youth and Teens**

Requested amount: \$85,000  
Recommendation: \$56,687  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 1,000

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the East Valley’s (BGCEV) Chandler Branch provides structured, purposeful, and fun after-school and summer activities to vulnerable youth residing in Chandler zip codes 85224, 85225, and 85226 to assist them in becoming productive, caring, and responsible citizens. BGCEV promotes a sense of belonging, academic success, healthy lifestyles, good character, and citizenship to improve graduation rates and discourage risky behaviors.

**15. Catholic Charities Community Services, Inc. – My Sister’s Place: Family-Based Healing for Domestic Violence Survivors**

Requested amount: \$30,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

My Sister’s Place is a 30-bed facility that offers a safe, home-like environment for victims of domestic violence. My Sister’s Place provides emergency shelter and a range of supportive services that promote client independence, well-being and goal achievement. My Sister’s Place also operates a 24/7 crisis hotline to provide immediate support, information and referral.

**16. Chandler CARE Center Children’s Medical and Dental Clinic – Chandler Children’s Medical Clinic and Building Blocks for Children**

Requested amount: \$154,750  
Recommendation: \$ 87,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 1,293

The Chandler Children’s Medical Clinic collaborates with Dignity Health Building Blocks for Children (BBC), providing no-cost medical care to uninsured youth who otherwise may be unable to access care. The Clinic works with volunteer licensed medical providers, providing examinations, diagnostics, and treatment of minor illness and injury including chronic and co-occurring disorders such as ADHD and Asthma. BBC provides access to hearing and vision screening, free glasses, and referrals.

**17. Chandler Cultural Foundation – Connecting Kids**

Requested amount: \$7,500  
Recommendation: \$6,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 2,220

The Vision Gallery’s Connecting Kids program provides visual arts, musical theatre, and performance arts training at no cost to youth ages 6 to 18 years of age. The program is intended to supplement and, in some cases, replace arts programs that have been reduced or eliminated in the public schools.

**18. Chandler Education Foundation – Destination College**

Requested amount: \$8,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The Chandler Unified School District in collaboration with the Chandler Education Foundation, City of Chandler, and Chandler-Gilbert Community College (CGCC) provides 150 students from the Chandler Unified School District's Title 1 schools a college experience that they may otherwise not receive. The program provides students an opportunity to participate in a college-like environment helping them to visualize themselves attending college in the future.

**19. Chandler Firefighter Charities – Emergency Lodging for Persons Experiencing Homelessness**

Requested amount: \$15,000  
Recommendation: \$15,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 150

Chandler Firefighter Charities (CFC) provides emergency lodging via hotel stay for individuals and families experiencing homelessness that are referred by the Chandler Fire Department Crisis Response Team, the Chandler Police Department, or Neighborhood Resources Department. Recipients must be able to care for themselves in an independent setting and be working with the City or one of its partners towards a permanent housing resolution. CFC funds are utilized only when no other shelter option can be identified and eligibility criteria are met.

**20. Chandler Gilbert Arc – Employment Program and Day Treatment Program**

Requested amount: \$48,000  
Recommendation: \$ 7,992  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 1

CGArc’s Employment Program provides employment-related work skills training including paid work, job search, job placement, and job training. The Day Treatment Program provides functional living skill training and pre-vocational training. Services are provided to individuals over the age of eighteen with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. The purpose of this program is to provide training and supports that lead to greater independence and social/economic community participation.

**21. Chandler Lacrosse Club**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Chandler Lacrosse Club offers youth grades K-12 the opportunity to play competitive Lacrosse. The club provides a forum for personal development, healthy recreation, sportsmanship, and opportunities to participate in community service events. Chandler funds would support registration fees for youth who cannot afford it.

**22. Chandler Men of Action – Operation Back to School Chandler**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$ 7,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 280

Operation Back to School Chandler (OBTS), in collaboration with the City of Chandler, coordinates the distribution of supplies including stuffed backpacks, shoes, underwear, uniforms, and haircuts. Additionally, several agencies participate by providing books, fingerprinting, fire safety, and resources regarding free after-school programs. This event serves as a one-stop shop for Chandler students and their families to obtain crucial supplies needed to ensure a positive start to the new school year.

**23. Child Crisis Arizona – Emergency Children’s Placement Services**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$ -0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Child Crisis Arizona provides shelter services to minor children who are removed from their home due to abuse, neglect, or maltreatment. The Emergency Children’s Shelter is available to children birth to 10 years of age, and placement into a licensed foster family home is available for children birth to 17 years of age. Child Crisis Arizona has offered the Emergency Children’s Placement Services program through both the Emergency Children’s Shelter and the Foster Care and Adoptions Programs, and is the only agency in Maricopa County that offers emergency shelter for children birth to 10 years of age.

**24. Child Crisis Arizona – Family Education**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Child Crisis Arizona’s Family Education offers no-cost workshops, classes, playgroups, support groups, legal clinics, and family socialization activities that focus on teaching positive parenting skills to prevent possible child abuse or neglect and build strong, resilient families. The services strive to build safe, stable, and strong families through a Family Resource Model. The Family Education program provides over 30 unique educational experiences rotating through the year and training sites.

**25. Chrysalis Shelter for Victims of Domestic Violence, Inc. – Victim Services**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$ 8,500  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 18

Chrysalis Victim Services provides crucial support to adult and child victims of domestic abuse, including residents of Chandler. Services include the following: (1) Emergency Shelter, including basic needs, counseling, referrals, and support groups; (2) Transitional Housing, including case management, referrals, and support services; (3) Outpatient Counseling for adults and kids; and (4) Victim Advocacy, including court accompaniment.

**26. Community Bridges, Inc. – Homeless Navigation Services**

Requested amount: \$110,000  
Recommendation: \$110,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 63

Community Bridges, Inc. (CBI) provides two Homeless Navigators to provide intensive, targeted intervention to the most chronic and medically vulnerable individuals living on Chandler's streets. The Homeless Navigators will locate and establish relationships with chronically homeless and medically vulnerable individuals, facilitate their voluntary relocation into housing, and provide the support and advocacy necessary to help them stay in housing. The program is based on a Housing First, Harm Reduction model, considered a best practice for serving this segment of the homeless population. CBI's Navigator will work with local organizations like AZCEND, Salvation Army, I-HELP Chandler, and others that have existing knowledge of and rapport with the Chandler homeless.

**27. Community Bridges, Inc. – Mobile Community Outreach and Crisis Stabilization**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$ 9,471  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 104

Community Bridges, Inc. (CBI) provides mobile community outreach and substance use/behavioral health related crisis stabilization services to homeless, indigent, and working poor adults from Chandler. CBI is commonly referred to as a “No Wrong Door Agency”, which means that regardless of condition, the police, fire, hospitals, urgent psychiatric centers, crisis mobile teams, and the general public bring individuals to CBI’s facilities when an individual presents with a substance use/behavioral health disorder emergency. Mobile community outreach teams are available 24/7 to respond to the crisis needs of Chandler residents.

**28. Desert Sounds Performing Arts, Inc. – Jeremy Project Chandler**

Requested amount: \$6,000  
Recommendation: \$5,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 25

Desert Sounds Performing Arts, Inc.’s Jeremy Project provides musical instruments and ancillary supplies to children of low-income Chandler residents who would not otherwise be able to participate in their school band/orchestra program. These families are unable to financially afford

the costs associated with renting an instrument. Secondary populations are the schools that no longer have the budget for musical instruments to meet the demand for their Chandler students who wish to be a part of their school band/orchestra program.

**29. Desert Sounds Performing Arts, Inc. – Mariachi Sones del Desierto Chandler**

Requested amount: \$14,210  
Recommendation: \$ 5,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 5

Desert Sounds Performing Arts, Inc.’s Mariachi Sones del Desierto is a tiered program designed to give children in grades K-12 an experience that expands their cultural awareness and promotes a lifelong appreciation of music. The program aides as a tool in developing community sensitivity to students, helping them understand and respect people from a broad spectrum of ethnic-cultural backgrounds.

**30. Dignity Health Foundation East Valley – Chandler Children’s Dental Clinic**

Requested amount: \$158,884  
Recommendation: \$ 95,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 1,955

Dignity Health and the Chandler CARE Center work collaboratively to provide preventive and restorative dental services to low-income and uninsured youth at the Chandler CARE Center clinic and to provide oral health education to children and adults in the community. Dignity Health offers preventive dental services including examinations, prophylaxis (cleaning), x-rays, sealants, fluoride varnish, and education at the clinic.

**31. East Valley Jewish Community Center – Early Childhood Education Scholarships**

Requested amount: \$20,000  
Recommendation: \$20,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 58

East Valley Jewish Community Center (East Valley JCC) is the only National Association for the Education of Young Children accredited, Quality First, 4-star rated Early Childhood Education program in the East Valley. The East Valley JCC provides a high quality educational experience for children 6 weeks through Pre-Kindergarten year round, and offers this program to Chandler's children whose family cannot afford child care.

**32. East Valley Jewish Community Center – Teen Leadership Training**

Requested amount: \$8,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The Teen Leadership Training is a program for the East Valley Jewish Community Center, which will utilize course work, community service, team building, and mentoring opportunities for the development of program participant’s leadership skills. These opportunities will provide valuable lessons that can be translated beyond the classroom walls.

**33. EMPACT Suicide Prevention Center – Senior Peer Counseling**

Requested amount: \$10,291  
Recommendation: \$10,291  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 203

The Senior Peer Counseling Program meets the emotional needs of older adults through peer support to address loneliness, depression, or difficult transitions. Availability of mental health funding for older adults is extremely limited. The Senior Peer Counseling Program is a cost effective way for seniors to access needed services in a setting which is comfortable to them and is non-threatening. The program reaches seniors who would not otherwise get help.

**34. FANS Across America Charitable Foundation – FANS Diaper Bank**

Requested amount: \$20,000  
Recommendation: \$15,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 254

FANS Across America provides basic daily living necessities allowing families to use their limited financial resources for priorities such as food and shelter. FANS Across America serves homeless families in transition, homeless students, and victims of domestic violence who are referred by a number of local community partners. FANS Diaper Bank provides up to a five to seven day emergency supply of diapers so that families can provide a new diaper at every change.

**35. FANS Across America Charitable Foundation – FANS Locker Room**

Requested amount: \$25,000  
Recommendation: \$ 7,500  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 208

FANS Across America provides basic daily living necessities allowing families to use their limited financial resources for priorities such as food and shelter. FANS Across America serves homeless families in transition, homeless students, and victims of domestic violence who are referred by school districts or partner social services organizations. The Locker Room is stocked with daily living essentials such as clean clothing, school uniforms, undergarments, shoes, socks, personal, and dental hygiene items, backpacks filled with grade appropriate school supplies, consumable paper goods, and household items such as linens, cleaning supplies, laundry detergent, dishes, and pots and pans.

**36. Free Arts for Abused Children of Arizona – Programs for Homeless and Abused Children**

Requested amount: \$4,500  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Free Arts for Abused Children of Arizona serves children from 3 to 18 years of age residing in homeless shelters, foster care group homes, and residential treatment centers. Free Arts Programs for Children are designed to utilize a unique combination of arts, a therapy-based curriculum, and compassionate adult volunteer mentors to help abused and homeless children channel emotions, express themselves creatively, and learn to trust and heal. Free Arts Programs for Children consists

of four main programs: The Weekly Mentor Program, Professional Artist Series, Free Arts Days, and Free Arts Camp Series.

**37. Friends of Chandler Public Library – Early Literacy**

Requested amount: \$16,000  
Recommendation: \$10,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 2,250

The Chandler Public Library’s Early Literacy Program supports Read on Chandler’s efforts to increase early literacy, specifically for children residing in the 85225 and 85224 geographic areas, by providing outreach in public housing and community centers, coordinating parent workshops, and offering early literacy outreach programs for parents and caregivers. The goal of the Early Literacy Program is to ensure participating children will go to kindergarten with the critical skills needed to succeed.

**38. Holy Trinity Lutheran Church – Shower for the Homeless**

Requested amount: \$9,750  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church (HTLC) participates in AZCEND’s I-HELP for persons experiencing homelessness. HTLC provides dinner, breakfast, a sack lunch, evening interaction and activities, and nighttime lodging nights each month. HTLC requests funds to build a shower facility onsite for I-HELP guests to utilize when HTLC is hosting I-HELP to meet guest’s hygiene needs, assist them in preparing for job interviews and community engagement, and promote positive well-being.

**39. ICAN: Positive Programs for Youth – ICAN Recreation Program**

Requested amount: \$90,000  
Recommendation: \$70,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 156

ICAN offers the Recreation Program as an important element of its year-round services for youth. The program teaches kids health and nutrition awareness, encourages physical activity and fitness, and promotes self-awareness, confidence, and positive life choices. Program activities are offered in age-specific groups and include multi-cultural/multi-media arts; tutoring; homework help and other skill enrichment classes; curriculum-based structured sports, games, and physical activity; free play; and monthly community service projects.

**40. Junior Achievement of Arizona – BizTown Critical Financial Literacy**

Requested amount: \$30,000  
Recommendation: \$15,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 326

Junior Achievement’s BizTown® is an experiential learning program that teaches 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade students economic concepts, workplace skills, and personal/business finances in a student-sized town built just for them. This financial literacy, workforce readiness, and entrepreneurship

program works to create future adults equipped to make smart financial decisions, and become entrepreneurs and business leaders in the community.

**41. Junior Achievement of Arizona – In-Classroom Financial and Career Literacy**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

Junior Achievement's In-Classroom Financial and Career Literacy Program provides financial literacy, workforce readiness, and entrepreneurial education to Chandler's students. The intent of the program is to provide low-income elementary and middle school students the financial literacy education to help them achieve long-term financial success and change the financial landscape of the community.

**42. Matthew’s Crossing Food Bank – Emergency Food Assistance**

Requested amount: \$20,000  
Recommendation: \$15,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 3,188

Matthew’s Crossing’s Emergency Food Assistance Program provides individuals and families with approximately six to eight days of food in need of hunger relief. More than 56% of those served are Chandler residents who reside in the 85224 or 85225 zip codes. The food assistance program provides an individual or family with one Emergency Food Box a month, and up to three Holiday Food Boxes.

**43. Mesa United Way – Chandler VITA Program**

Requested amount: \$26,199  
Recommendation: \$20,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 1,412

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program provides free tax preparation services to low and medium income individuals and families in the community. The program is a federally sponsored, administrated, and monitored by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). The Chandler VITA program has been managed by City of Chandler staff since 2004. In the 2017 tax year, the Chandler VITA program assisted approximately 1,452 residents claim more than \$1.62 million in tax refunds. To better accommodate the growth of the Chandler VITA program, the City of Chandler partnered with Mesa United Way, who has been managing the Mesa VITA program since 2009, and was able to expand its program from four sites to seven sites, while providing year-round tax preparation assistance.

**44. Midwest Food Bank – Arizona Division – Family Emergency Food Box Program**

Requested amount: \$20,000  
Recommendation: \$10,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 4,608

Midwest Food Bank – Arizona Division’s Emergency Food Box program, in coordination with its nine partnering organizations, offers over 15,000 pre-packaged emergency food boxes to low-income, food insecure children, families, and elderly annually.

**45. Mission of Mercy – Access to Health Care for Uninsured Chandler Residents**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$ 7,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 21

Mission of Mercy makes health care accessible to low-income, uninsured families residing in Chandler. All patients receive primary health care, necessary prescription medications, personalized health education, and referrals to specialty and/or community services needed to improve quality of life.

**46. National Advocacy & Training Network – Live & Learn**

Requested amount: \$28,500  
Recommendation: \$19,180  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 104

The National Advocacy & Training Network’s (NATN) Live & Learn program will provide transitional housing and comprehensive support services, including on-the-job training, mentoring and support services, to battered and sexually abused victims in recovery from alcohol and/or drug addiction. This highly effective integrated service approach model is a proven and successful way to offer a safe, sober, and supportive environment fostering individual recovery, increasing self-sufficiency and long term economic independence. Cup of Karma: Community Café for a Cause, located in the Chandler Public Library, is operated by NATN and offers transferrable job skills training to program participants.

**47. Neighbors Who Care, Inc. – Aging in Place**

Requested amount: \$15,000  
Recommendation: \$ 5,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 17

Neighbors Who Care, Inc. (NWC) provides a safety net to elderly homebound, disabled, and/or frail City of Chandler residents, enabling them to remain healthier, less isolated, and continue to live independently in their own homes. NWC's eleven different non-medical assistive services (medical transportation, dinner delivery, minor repairs, business assistance, reassurance calling, caregiver respite, shopping/errands, van service, friendly visiting, business advocacy, and welfare visiting) are provided through the utilization of NWC’s volunteers, and have proven to provide the safety net necessary to allow the homebound and disabled to remain independent in their own homes.

**48. notMYkid, Inc. – Staying Safe Online**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

notMYkid, Inc.'s Staying Safe Online provides information for youth, parents, and community members about the potential threats associated with online connections, and how to avoid toxic and potentially dangerous online behavior. Staying Safe Online specifically addresses the growing risks for youth related to Internet luring by predators through the use of social media, exposure to high risk behaviors, and cyberbullying. The proposed workshop delivery will give participants quality tools and resources so that they can improve their individual safety while online as well as that of their children and other family members.

**49. notMYkid, Inc. – Suicide Prevention Programming for Chandler**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$10,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 4,000

notMYkid, Inc.'s Suicide Safer Chandler provides students, parents, and school faculty in Chandler the tools needed to recognize risk factors associated with suicide and an awareness of suicide prevention resources available in the community. notMYkid presents a series of training and education programs in local schools and community settings in an effort to reduce the incidence of suicides or suicide attempts in Chandler.

**50. One Small Step, Inc. – Clothes Cabin Emergency Clothing Bank**

Requested amount: \$30,000  
Recommendation: \$20,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 3,000

One Small Step's Emergency Clothing Bank distributes free clothing, shoes, and linens three times a week to low and no-income individuals and families who cannot afford to buy what they need. In addition to providing clothing, One Small Step also provides steel-toed boots to individuals who need them to get or keep a job. Program participants are referred by a number of local nonprofits. Homeless clients are able to utilize the free laundry service and may reserve a locker for personal items for six months.

**51. Recreation and Athletics for Individuals with Disabilities (RAD) – Payment Assistance for Individuals with Disabilities**

Requested amount: \$22,000  
Recommendation: \$ 6,605  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 87

RAD's Payment Assistance for Individuals with Disabilities helps to pay the registration fees and purchase equipment and uniforms on behalf of people with disabilities to participate in therapeutic sports offered by the City of Chandler's Parks and Recreation Division.

**52. Resurrection Street Ministry, Inc. – Caring for Our Chandler Neighbors**

Requested amount: \$25,000  
Recommendation: \$20,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 3,840

Resurrection Street Ministry, Inc.'s Caring for Our Chandler Neighbors, through its collaborative efforts, provides nutritional food boxes and other services, such as clothing and home necessity needs, to food insecure individuals, families, and group home locations in Chandler. Mobile site distributions are conducted on a monthly basis at approximately eight to ten sites each month. Resurrection Street Ministry is able to provide food for small nonprofit organizations located in Chandler that do not have the ability to pick up nutritional perishable foods with proper equipment (refrigerated trucks) or the storage capacity until food is distributed.

**53. Resurrection Street Ministry, Inc. – Driving Our Veterans**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$ 8,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 80

Resurrection Street Ministry, Inc.'s Driving Our Veterans is a transportation program for veterans living in Chandler needing non-emergency rides to/from VA medical facilities or other critical appointments. All rides are provided free of charge to the veterans by Resurrection Street Ministry's volunteer drivers.

**54. Ross Farnsworth East Valley Family YMCA – Safety Around Water and Swim Lessons**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The YMCA Safety Around Water Program will allow 150 youth ages 3-12 to learn lifesaving skills and water safety tips, while educating their parents on how to stay safe in and around water. The program is provided free of charge to YMCA members and non-members alike.

**55. Si Se Puede Foundation – Robotics Program**

Requested amount: \$25,000  
Recommendation: \$15,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 120

The STEM/Robotics curriculum promotes an understanding of the importance engineers have on the national and global economy. Students selected to participate, by a merit based selection process, will receive classroom instruction from professional engineers. Students are assigned to a STEM team. A real world robotics challenge is assigned to each team and members collectively research, design, and construct a robot that addresses the challenge.

**56. Si Se Puede Foundation – Scholars Program**

Requested amount: \$25,000  
Recommendation: \$10,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 20

Scholars Program is an eleven week intensive college readiness program that gives underserved youth the opportunity to prepare for a college experience and education. This program is facilitated by their partners at Arizona State University and Chandler-Gilbert Community College. The program is designed to assist high school students by providing skill sets, entrance examination

preparation, registration assistance, scholarship information, workshops, seminars, and college campus tours in preparation for college life.

**57. The Salvation Army – After School Program**

Requested amount: \$20,000  
Recommendation: \$15,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 30

The Salvation Army’s Kids Club offers Chandler families access to affordable, safe, high-quality after school programming, serving children in first through eighth grade. Kids Club focuses on homework assistance, games, arts and crafts, and character building with the goal of increasing academic growth, and for children to recognize their potential.

**58. The Salvation Army – Rental Assistance for Families in Crisis**

Requested amount: \$30,000  
Recommendation: \$ 9,000  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 54

The Salvation Army Chandler Corps offers rental, utility, and mortgage assistance to prevent and divert Chandler residents from losing their home and avoid homelessness. Case management services are also provided to re-stabilize the household. The program targets low and moderate income Chandler households with children, who are faced with an unforeseen financial crisis. This intervention has been successful in preventing the number of families who fall into homelessness due to a one-time unexpected financial crisis.

**59. United Food Bank – Emergency and Supplemental Food Assistance Program**

Requested amount: \$15,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

United Food Bank’s Emergency and Supplemental Food Assistance (ESFA) Program strives to improve the health and well-being, food security, of low income, homeless, and/or otherwise disadvantaged youth and adults residing in Chandler. Food is distributed five days per week to Chandler and United Food Bank’s other community partners. This distributed food is used to assemble emergency food boxes, to prepare congregate meals, to prepare meals and/or snacks for children, to provide backpacks to children at-risk of missing weekend meals, and to distribute through School Pantries.

**60. Women’s Health Innovations of Arizona – East Valley Perinatal Network**

Requested amount: \$10,000  
Recommendation: \$-0-  
Proposed number to be served based on recommendation: 0

The East Valley Perinatal Network is a Women’s Health Innovations program that provides maternal mental health services to vulnerable, disenfranchised pregnant, postpartum or parenting families. The program provides peer-to-peer coaching and in-home visitation to underinsured or underserved families.