

Public Meeting Minutes (Start Recording)

RFA 25-44-PM Gun Violence Prevention Grant (GVPG)

Date: Friday, February 14, 2025

Start Time: 2:15 PM

Location: 218 SE 24th St
Conference Room A
Gainesville, FL 32641

1. Call Meeting to Order

2. RFA Process Overview for Today's Meeting

- 2.1. Good afternoon, I am **Precious Merriweather** with Procurement, and I will be administrating this meeting as the Committee Chair (non-voting member), introduce committee, Trelany Pennington, Amber Peacock and Joe Lipsey.
- 2.2. Thank you, committee, for taking the time out of your busy schedule to evaluate these applications. Welcome to the citizens attending this Public Meeting; this meeting is open to the public and you will have an announced time (3 minutes; no response required) for public comments. Please review the agenda that is on the screen.
- 2.3. The RFA team will be evaluating vendors' applications, discussing their scores, and approving the Team's Ranking. This Team's final ranking will be submitted to the BoCC with the negotiated contract(s) for approval.

3. RFA Committee Members Process Instructions

- 3.1. **First**, in OPENGOV, all evaluators have certified that they have no Conflict of Interest, and I will show them on screen, discuss if necessary.
- 3.2. **Second**, due to the cone-of-silence imposed on the committee members, this is the first occasion members have been able to talk and work together as a committee.
- 3.3. *As committee members you have broad latitude in your discussions, deliberations and ranking provided you are not arbitrary and capricious.*
- 3.4. **Third**, we will record and discuss the preliminary scores on the screen. Call for validation of scores to ensure they are the scores the members entered in OPENGOV.
- 3.5. The team will discuss, evaluate, and rank all vendor submittals one by one. Starting with the team leader allow each member to give feedback. (**Encourage dialog**)
 - 3.5.1. Discuss scores and make Changes if pertinent.
 - 3.5.2. Discussion record and Update: **Evaluation Scores**
 - 3.5.2.1. Encourage discussion on the proposals, scoring and until all members are satisfied.
 - 3.5.2.2. NOTE: Agents will monitor the discussion, keep it on track; keep it on topic.
 - 3.5.3. Call for validation of RFA team Evaluation Scores for the Team's Final Ranking and funding recommendations.

Aggregate Scores Summary

Export to CSV

Vendor	Joe Lipsey	Amber Peacock	Trelany Pennington	Total Score (Max Score 200)
100 Black Men Greater Florida GNV INC	175	145	185	168.33
Against All Odds Movement	150	130	185	155
AMANDA ASHLEY LIFE	170	170	125	155
Community Impact Corporation	128	170	160	152.67
Gainesville Area Community Tennis Association (DBA:...	155	160	160	158.33
Galden Boxing Club	140	180	200	173.33
League of Women Voters Alachua County	144	195	200	179.67
Made For More Foundation	152	175	190	172.33
River Phoenix Center for Peacebuilding	193	180	140	171
Star Center Theatre	175	195	170	180
Strong-MINDED Mentoring Inc	185	185	200	190
Superior Moves Records, LLC	150	115	200	155
SupportBLKGNV	152	160	90	134
The Black On Black Crime Task Force	164	190	200	184.67
Total Life Productions LLC	191	195	155	180.33

Click a vendor's name to view the scorecard submitted by each evaluator for that response.
Click an evaluator's score to view the detailed scorecard for each response reviewed by that evaluator.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
	Vendor	Joe Lipsey	Amber Peacock	Trelany Pennington	Total Score	Amount Requested	Amount Awarded	
1	Strong-MINDED Mentoring Inc	185	185	200	190	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	
2	The Black On Black Crime Task Force	164	190	200	184.67	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	
3	Total Life Productions LLC	191	195	155	180.33	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	
4	Star Center Theatre	175	195	170	180	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	
5	League of Women Voters Alachua County	144	195	200	179.67	\$ 9,800.00	9,800	
6	Galden Boxing Club	140	180	200	173.33	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 200.00	
7	Made For More Foundation	152	175	190	172.33	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
8	River Phoenix Center for Peacebuilding	193	180	140	171	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
9	100 Black Men Greater Florida GNV INC	175	145	185	168.33	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
10	Gainesville Area Community Tennis Association (DBA: Aces in Motion)	155	160	160	158.33	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
11	Superior Moves Records, LLC	150	115	200	155	\$ 5,000.00	\$ -	
12	AMANDA ASHLEY LIFE	170	170	125	155	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
13	Against All Odds Movement	150	130	185	155	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
14	Community Impact Corporation	128	170	160	152.67	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
15	SupportBLKGNV	152	160	90	134	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	
							\$ 50,000.00	

3.6. Motion to Approve the Ranking: Trelany Pennington motioned to approve the above ranking, funding and authorize staff to negotiate agreements with the six (6) top ranked firms; Amber Peacock seconded the motion.

Vote 3-0 in favor.

4. Public Comments (3 minutes): none

5. Motion to Approve the Meeting Minutes: Amber Peacock moved to approve the Minutes, Trelany Pennington seconded the motion.

Vote 3-0 in favor.

6. Meeting Adjourn at – 3:33 pm.