

Anti-bullying programs in Utah schools

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Requester Information

Legislator: Fillmore, Lincoln

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Submission Date: 2024-01-24

Section 1: Request Details

Description:

Funding to provide training programs to address suicide awareness, mental health and anti-bullying issues in Utah schools in every district in the state.

Legislative designee contact information:

Name: Jay Francis

Organization: Anti-Bullying Coalition

Position: Chair, Board of Directors

Section 2: Funding Information

How will the appropriation be used?

	One-time	Ongoing
Personnel Services	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$0.00
In-State Travel	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$0.00
Out-of-state Travel	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$0.00
Supplies and Equipment	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$0.00
Technology Purchases	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$0.00
Infrastructure/Capital Investments	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$0.00
Other Charges/Pass Thru	2024: \$0.00 2025: \$0.00	\$300,000.00
Expenditure Total		
One-time 2024	One-time 2025	Ongoing 2025
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300,000.00

Funding Sources:

Income Tax Fund

- Amount Requested 2024 (One-time) \$0.00
- Amount Requested 2025 (One-time) \$0.00
- Amount Requested 2025 (Ongoing) \$300,000.00

Revenue Total

One-time 2024	One-time 2025	Ongoing 2025
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300,000.00

Should unused funding be returned to the state at the end of the fiscal year?

Yes

Is this project scalable if the Legislature does not fund the full requested amount?

Yes

A short explanation describing how the project might be scaled

If the organization is not funded the full \$300,000, less Utah students will be helped. This is possible, but not desirable.

Section 3: Agency Information**Subjects:**

Education and Research
Health and Wellbeing

Agency:

400 / State Board of Education

Type of entity to receive pass-through funding

- State Government

Section 4: Performance Outcome Measurement**Who would benefit from this request (who is the target audience)?**

Utah schools (students, educators/teachers and parents): 300 schools statewide 320,000 students 6,000 educators/teachers

What is this project or program intended to accomplish?

The Anti-Bullying Coalition - Stand4Kind, provides education for emotional health and suicide awareness. We equip students, parents, and educators with the skills and knowledge to help protect their mental wellness and help other who need support. We have a portfolio of programs and curriculums available for schools: assemblies, training webinars, toolkits, courses, staff training, parent training, student ambassadors, etc.

How will the Legislature know whether the project or program achieved its intended purpose?

Results of our training programs are reported monthly to the Utah State Board of Education. We work with schools on data collection and analysis about how our programs are changing school culture.

Section 5: Other Supporting Documents**Intent Language****Previous State Funding**

