

Nicholtown
Child and Family
Collaborative

August 9, 2022

The Honorable Chandra Dillard,

Greenville, SC _____

RE: Grant funding for Nicholtown Child and Family Collaborative

Dear Rep. Dillard:

As the Executive Director of Nicholtown Child and Family Collaborative (NCFC), I would like to explain the need for grant funding of \$25,000 for our organization.

First, Nicholtown Child and Family Collaborative is a 501(c) 3. We have been serving families, parents, and children in the special emphasis neighborhood of Nicholtown since 2014. Nicholtown is located in the middle of downtown Greenville. From the 2019 census, the median household income was \$24,999 with 29% of the households below poverty level.

NCFC Parent Café, a gathering of parents, meets twice a month providing resources to meet the needs of families of the Nicholtown community. The Parent Café provides a hot dinner, programs for the moms (based on their needs and suggestions) programs for the children, and incentives. The funding would be used for capacity building the second Parent Café at Sterling School Charles Townes Gifted Center. A portion of the funds will be for administrative costs, marketing, costs for the dinners, and incentives, etc.

As you know non-profits have really been hit hard financially in the past two years. Nicholtown Child and Family Collaborative would be so appreciative of this funding. It will enable us to reach out to more moms in this community and give them classes that they want that will help them improve their status in life.

Thanks for your time,



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