



City of San Antonio

Agenda Memorandum

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Agenda Date: August 14, 2024

In Control: San Antonio Diez y Seis Commission

DEPARTMENT: Department of Arts and Culture

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Krystal Jones

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: Citywide

SUBJECT:

San Antonio Diez y Seis Commission FY 2024 Budget (Action)

SUMMARY:

The Department of Arts & Culture's FY 2024 Budget includes funding to support city-wide Diez y Seis de Septiembre events.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Department of Arts & Culture has historically provided financial support of \$50,000 towards city-wide events and programming for Diez y Seis de Septiembre and Fiestas Patrias.

Funding is recommended as follows:

\$8,000 – El Grito

\$8,000 – Fiestas Patrias: LULAC 648

\$3,000 – Folkloric Dance: Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center

\$6,000 – 16 de Septiembre Parade: Avenida Guadalupe Association
\$15,000 – Mariachi Festival: LULAC 4947
\$3,000 – Charreada: SA Charro Association
\$7,000 – Graphic Design, General Supplies, Printing, other

ISSUE:

Approval of the recommendations and allocations is required by the San Antonio Diez y Seis Commission.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding for 2024's Diez y Seis and Fiestas Patrias support comes from the Hotel Occupancy Tax and is part of the Department of Arts & Culture FY 2024 Budget.

ALTERNATIVES:

The alternative would be to delay the item until next regularly scheduled meeting and would delay funding organizations in an untimely manner for upcoming events during Fiestas Patrias and Hispanic Heritage Month.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the San Antonio Diez y Seis Commission FY 2024 Budget.