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	Agency Name	Program Description
1	A Child is Missing, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for A Child is Missing, Inc. The Child Safety Education Program (CSEP) will provide children attending Parks and Recreation Summer Camp Programs and 6th grade middle school students with the tools and techniques necessary to ensure their safety and wellbeing in potentially dangerous situations. The program will focus on self-esteem, personal safety, the distractor, the bystander, and personal bullying experiences.
2	Alpha Phi Alpha, Zeta Alpha Lambda Chapter Educational and Charitable Foundation	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Alpha Phi Alpha, Zeta Alpha Lambda Chapter Educational and Charitable Foundation, Inc. The Men of Tomorrow's program serves 30-40 middle and high school, African-American boys, teaching them about responsibility, relationships, teen pregnancy, and sexually transmitted diseases. Boys will learn leadership skills, self-sufficiency, and healthy lifestyle choices.
3	Backpack Barber Foundation	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Backpack Barber Foundation. The foundation targets the homeless population in Broward County by providing free haircuts and hygiene products. LETF funds will support a part-time Community Services Coordinator to perform outreach and manage volunteers, self-storage rental assistance for donated supplies for the homeless, barber supplies, and books for homeless children.
4	Be Strong International, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Be Strong International, Inc. Be Strong International will offer healthy relationship workshops to various middle and high schools in Broward County, serving 200 youth in 6th through 12th grades. Be Strong facilitators will teach researched-based social-emotional learning (SEL) lessons that include youth learning effective skills in communication, decision-making, healthy relationships, character development, and more.
5	BIG Children's Foundation	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the BIG Children's Foundation. The Summer Splurge is an outreach program to community group homes and shelters designed to introduce teens in the foster system to the basics of good nutrition and how to prepare easy health meals and snacks. In addition, youth will use arts and crafts to redirect their feels into something positive as well as express themselves through drama, fitness classes, and sports.
6	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Carver Ranches	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Carver Ranches Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
7	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Florence A. DeGeorge	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Florence A. DeGeorge Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.

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8	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Jim & Jan Moran	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Jim & Jan Moran Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
9	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Lauderhill	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Lauderhill Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
10	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Lester H. White	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Lester H. White Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
11	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Levine/Slaughter	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Levine/Slaughter Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
12	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Marti Huizenga	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Marti Huizenga Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
13	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Nan Knox	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Nan Knox Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.

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14	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Reitman	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Dr. Harold Reitman Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
15	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Rick & Rita Case	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Rick & Rita Case Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
16	Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County - Stephanis	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Stephanis Club at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County which serves young people between the ages of 6-18. The goal is to enable all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. Youth are provided with a safe, nurturing environment during out-of-school time when many children are often left unattended, where they receive academic assistance, healthy snacks, hot meals, and opportunities to learn about and prepare for multiple career paths.
17	Broward Health	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Broward Health. The Mental Health, Addiction, Detoxification, and Education Program will provide detoxification and education services that address behavioral health, mental illness, and the misuse of addictive substances. The program will serve low-income, underserved, and/or uninsured persons that reside with the northern two-thirds of Broward County. As needed, the program will navigate participants to intensive interventions/programs post program enrollment.
18	Broward Partnership for the Homeless, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Broward Partnership for the Homeless, Inc. The Partnership's Behavioral Health Program provides therapeutic and psychiatric services to clients experiencing mental health and/or substance abuse issues. These issues can be a barrier to transitioning from homelessness to housing stability. Treatment is in the form of psychiatric assessments, medication management, and counseling services for a variety of mental health conditions.
19	Chainless Change, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Chainless Change, Inc. The Pursuing Restoration and Overcoming Obstacles for our Future (PROOF) Clinic consists of legal professionals who are devoted to providing restorative services for low income individuals involved in the criminal justice system. This program promotes self-advocacy and education by providing guidance with the preparation of pro se legal documents. The Clinic can help reinstate driver's licenses, seal records, pursue expunction, convert/waive court costs, and apply for rights restoration.

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20	Children's Harbor, Inc. - Academic and Life Skills Program	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Children's Harbor, Inc. The Academic and Life Skills Program helps children in the foster care system succeed academically, socially, financially, and domestically. Subjects range from self-care, drug/alcohol addiction, financial literacy, budgeting, time management, cooking, and laundry. Life Coaches assess each child's academic and life skill levels and develop educational plans and interventions designed to improve school performance and ready them for independence.
21	Coast to Coast Legal Aid of South Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Coast to Coast Legal Aid of South Florida, Inc. The Access to Justice for Survivors of Domestic Violence program would give victims of domestic violence access to the court. Without the financial resources to access the court system, victims may be forced to stay in abusive relationships until they can save the money to initiate their cases. Access to this fund would give survivors the tools necessary to become self-sufficient by terminating their relationship and entering support orders when available.
22	Community Access Center	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Community Access Center. Funds will be utilized to provide a six-week educational program, conducted in Creole/English, on gun violence prevention for 40 youth and their family/household members. Educational sessions will provide information and distribution of handgun lockboxes to parents, teach youth how to behave safely when a gun is encountered, resist peer pressure to play with or carry guns, and parent youth with the dangers of guns and consequences of gun violence.
23	Covenant House Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Covenant House Florida, Inc. The Emergency Shelter Program will provide youth living on the streets of Broward County with the services and support they require to reduce risky behaviors and negative lifestyle choices and successfully exit homelessness. Safety net services also include mental health counseling, substance abuse treatment, educational support, healthcare, and life and job skills training
24	Delta Education and Life Development Foundation, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Delta Education and Life Development Foundation, Inc. (DELDF). The DELDF Program Initiatives serves at-risk youth, ages 5-17. Program activities promote healthy alternatives for youth to resist peer/social pressure and increase self-confidences and self-esteem. The program's goal is to provide tools to motivate youth to become productive citizens who reach their full potential educationally, emotionally, and socially
25	Dillard Center for the Arts Foundation, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Dillard Center for the Arts Foundation, Inc. Dillard Marching Band will be travelling to Hawaii in December 2020 for the Pearl Harbor Memorial Parade commemorating the 75th anniversary of the end of WWII. Dillard students will experience cultural tours and visit US military installations like the USS Arizona Memorial and Fort DeRussy. The Dillard Band program is vital in keeping the students off the streets and away from potential drug related incidents.
26	Divine Potential Services, Inc	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Divine Potential Services, Inc. The Youth and Family Community Enrichment Education Program will address several issues by connecting with youth and providing programs, mentorships, and assistance within the community. The Program will serve over 30 youth, ages 10-18, and will meet twice per month.

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27	Family Central, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Family Central, Inc. The Nurturing Parent Program has provided services in Broward County for more than 19 years, addressing multiple risk factors and building protective factors to reduce the effects of trauma within the family/community. The program educates and strengthens families by increasing parenting skills and protective factors while decreasing the risk of child maltreatment, child removal, and <u>child dependency system involvement</u> .
28	Firewall Centers, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Firewall Centers, Inc. The T.H.I.N.K. Leadership program is both school and community-based and provided to students daily throughout the entire school year and during after-school hours. Caring staff members assist students with their homework and projects, provide targeted tutoring and test prep, and mentor students at an 8:1 student-to-staff ration or better. Character values and life skills are instilled in students through an integrated curriculum, a point-based incentive system, and community services opportunities.
29	Forever Family, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Forever Family, Inc. Forever Family will work in conjunction with ChildNet and the Children's Services Council of Broward County to write, produce, and air a half-hour documentary highlighting the critical shortage of foster families in Broward County with the goal of recruiting high <u>quality, long-term foster parents</u> .
30	Fort Lauderdale Independence Training Education (FLITE)	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Fort Lauderdale Independence Training & Education Center, Inc. (FLITE). The FLITE Center's College Boost program will provide intensive support focused on the educational improvement of youth who age out of foster care. The objective is to create a nurturing learning environment where the youth feel safe, are able to relate to peers, and have other associated needs met.
31	Fountain of Love Ministries, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Fountain of Love Ministries, Inc. The agency will host a 6-week Bullying Prevention Program for youth in grades 4-12 residing in Broward County. The program will creatively engage youth in activities, conversations, and presentations around topics that prevent bullying and bullies. All materials will be taken from anti-bullying curriculum approved by Broward County Public Schools. This program will take place during the summer for four hours per week.
32	Friends of the Broward County African American Research Library and Cultural Ce	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Friends of the Broward County African American Research Library and Cultural Center. The Mindfulness Over Matters after-school program targets youth (ages 8-17) who have been adjudicated as well as children residing in the Broward Municipal Services District. Children will be taught coping skills to handle challenging environmental stressors in their schools, homes, and neighborhoods. Services will include mindfulness coaching, yoga, and sound therapy.
33	Girl Scouts of Southeast Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Girl Scouts of Southeast Florida, Inc. The Get Real! Program is an in-school mentoring program which offers at-risk middle school girls the opportunity to improve their self-esteem, form positive relationships, understand the impact of personal choices and behavior, and develop non-violent and non-abusive techniques to resolve conflict. The program helps students increase their reading, writing, and life skills and provides opportunities to participate in community service projects. Participants are recruited based on school referrals with a focus on girls struggling socially, experiencing high absenteeism or educational challenges, and/or facing disciplinary issues.

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34	Healing Arts Institute of South Florida International, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Healing Arts Institute of South Florida International, Inc. The Awesome Kids Program In-School addresses deviant behavior, social and emotional issues, and anger management for at-risk youth to deter and reduce deviant behavior, incarceration, and recidivism. The program serves North Lauderdale Pre-K-8 and Pompano Beach Middle School. Students are referred by school guidance counselors or resource officers, and students are seen at least once a week in individual and group settings. The students come from families with inadequate financial resources, limited access to transportation, and inadequate parental involvement outside of a school setting.
35	Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Coalition of Broward County, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Coalition of Broward County, Inc. Cribs for Kids aims to improve child safety by preventing accidental sleep-related deaths and risks for child endangerment. The program will provide free cribs, safe sleep education, educational materials, and support to families so they can recognize and practice safe sleeping behaviors with their babies. LETF funding will provide 100 low-income families with no safe place for their baby to sleep with a new portable crib with fitted crib sheets, a safe sleep sack, and safe sleep instruction/educational materials. Cribs will be available to BSO Fire/Rescue and other Direct On Scene Education sites.
36	Helping Abused, Neglected, Disadvantaged Youth, Inc. (HANDY)	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Helping Abused Neglected Disadvantaged Youth, Inc. (HANDY). The LIFE - Summer Sleep Away Camp program provides hands-on life skills training, independent living assistance, youth development services, mentoring, linkages and facilitation, employability skills training and placement, individual case management, educational support, and access to Florida colleges. At-risk and vulnerable youth from Broward County attend this one-week session at Florida Sheriff's Ranches in Inglis, Florida. In addition, the youth attend a six-week camp from June to August in which the same topics are explored further in depth.
37	Henderson Behavioral Health, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Henderson Behavioral Health, Inc. The Safe Haven Emergency program provides shelter and 24/7 support services to individuals with serious mental illness. Services include 24-hour staffing, three meals and snacks daily, medication supervision, case management, group and individual therapy, and linkages to psychiatry and nursing services.
38	Hispanic Unity of Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Hispanic Unity of Florida (HUF), Inc. HUF Unity 4 Teens is a year-round before/after-school and summer youth development program that fulfills HUF's mission by helping youth attain academic and social success and to increase protective factors, so they may grow into self-sufficient, productive, and civically engaged adults. The program is offered at 7 Title I schools (three high schools and four middle schools) in partnership with Broward County Public Schools. The program uses strategies to engage, guide, and educate youth during critical years in their development and provides opportunities not otherwise available to them. The goals of the program are to prevent youth involvement in crime, violence, and substance abuse and for them to attain social and life skills, improve academic performance, gain self-confidence, and create a positive and safe environment that reduces risky behavior.

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39	Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, Inc. (HDEC). This organization seeks to combat prejudice in our multicultural, ethnically diversified community by educating students and alerting them to the dangers of prejudice. At Student Awareness Day, students learn the dangers of bullying, racism, hatred, and bigotry through videos, lectures, and roundtable discussions with Survivors of the Holocaust. Through these programs, students learn to take a stand and are taught the importance of standing up/speaking out.
40	Housing Enterprises of Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Housing Enterprises of Florida, Inc. The Step-Up Apprenticeship Initiative is a certified two-year job training program in maintenance and repair for at-risk, low-income young adults which gives a solid foundation in craft trades. LETF funds will support basic computer skills training to assist with job development and improving apprentices' chances of success on the GED test.
41	Julian's Fountain of Youth, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Julian's Fountain of Youth, Inc. (JFOY). The organization creates opportunities for LGBTQ youth to partake in activities that include experiential learning, career development workshops, and life-enrichment strategies. JFOY in partnership with SunServe hosts the LGBTQ All Inclusive Prom which provides Broward County youth with a safe environment to express their individuality in a safe environment without fear of being ridiculed or judgment. LETF funds will help expand the prom to include over 200 students.
42	Junior Achievement of South Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Junior Achievement of South Florida. After 16 hours of classroom instruction taught by JA trained teachers, the program will culminate with a hands-on simulation at JA World's BizTown where students apply their learned concepts in a life-like business environment, running the various businesses, earning paychecks, opening and managing bank accounts, taking out and repaying business loans, voting, pricing, and advertising goods and services for sale, etc. BizTown is an inclusive program experienced by over 20,000 student each year, including every 5th grader in Broward County Public Schools along with private, charter, and home school students.
43	Khan Economic Development, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Khan Economic Development, Inc. The Empowered Program will provide three, 10 week structured after-school tutorial sessions for 25 low academic achieving primary grade students referred by teachers and the administration at Robert C. Markham Elementary School. Students will be tutored in reading comprehension, math as well as receive support in problem solving, mentoring, character awareness, and leadership skills.
44	Kids in Distress, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Kids in Distress, Inc. The Family Intervention Response Support Team has been providing family preservation services in Broward County for more than 18 years. Services offered include home-based crisis intervention, parenting education, case management, and 24/7 support to preserve and strengthen families whose children are at risk of abuse and neglect, have come to the attention of Child Protective Investigators, and/or are at risk of experiencing out-of-home placement.
45	KidSafe Foundation Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the KidSafe Foundation Inc. Student Resource Officers' (SRO) Keeping Kidsafe's goal is to provide child sexual abuse training and to empower SROs in Broward County with knowledge and resources they can then use in their school settings. Training in child sexual abuse prevention and intervention will strengthen SROs' skills to support children in need.

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46	Make Schools Safe, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Make Schools Safe, Inc. The Make Our Schools Safe clubs give students an opportunity for hands-on activism that includes roundtable discussion, policy proposal, etc. Students will meet with the principal every 45 days to discuss school safety, cyber-bullying, social media safety, anxiety, depression, etc. Students will participate in a school safety project. The purpose of the clubs is to help foster a culture of safety within schools. Funds will be utilized to jumpstart ten clubs in Broward County schools as well as to provide club t-shirts to students who are members.
47	Men2Boys, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Men2Boys (M2B), Inc. Through the M2B for DJJ program, M2B will provide five, eight-week sessions of group mentoring and individual coaching to 50 at-risk male youth, ages 11- 18. The structured, male-centric curriculum and professionally trained mentors will help each beneficiary develop an executable game plan for his educational and/or vocational vision. The M2B community of support will also provide each beneficiary program alum with social, capital and positive role models which are key factors not only in academic success but also in reducing recidivism.
48	Mental Health America of Southeast Florida Inc. -Listen to Children	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Mental Health America of Southeast Florida Inc. The prevention, school-based Listen to Children program incorporates trained, supervised mentors (Listeners) who are assigned to children in grades K-6. During weekly half-hour sessions, the Listeners help build resilience skills associated with success in school and life and provide non-judgmental support through play and conversation.
49	Pace Center for Girls, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Pace Center for Girls, Inc. The Pace Academic and Counseling Day Program's gender-responsive, diversion/intervention services provide academics, counseling, case management, life skills education, and advocacy for girls (ages 11-18) at risk for delinquency, academic failure, substance use, and teen pregnancy. Grant funds support bus passes for girls to travel to and from the Wilton Manors Campus.
50	Piney Grove Boys Academy, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Piney Grove Boys Academy, Inc. The Father's Being Involved (FBI) Program serves to fill the gaps/voids created by the absence of the fathers in the homes of these low-income students through building skills that teach critical thinking, responsibility, accountability and promotes intergenerational bonding with father figures. Through interaction with strong, successful Black men, these boys witness first-hand the alternatives to street/thug life. Mentors meet with the boys on a bi-weekly basis to reinforce the importance of a good educational foundation and social/professional development.
51	Police Athletic League of Lauderhill, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Police Athletic League (PAL) of Lauderhill, Inc. PAL will provide out-of-school boxing and anti-bullying activities. The PAL is a member of USA Boxing and participates in boxing tournaments for our most distressed at-risk, high-needs youth. In collaboration with local parks, youth will also be able to participate in afterschool and summer activities that include: basketball, tennis, swimming lessons, computer training and field trips.
52	Save Our Boys, Inc	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Save Our Boys, Inc. The Transitions prevention program is designed to effectively address the specific needs of boys and assists them in transitioning mentally, responsibly, and emotionally from boyhood to manhood. Thirty middle and high school boys will be recruited from the properties of the Housing Authority of the City of Fort Lauderdale in 33311 Northwest Garden complexes.

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53	SOS Children's Villages Florida, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for SOS Children's Villages Florida, Inc. The Independent Life Skills Program assists foster teens with critical, basic life skills. The program is designed to provide a full range of life skills instruction, and social and emotional resiliency training, counseling to ensure a successful transition to life beyond foster care.
54	South Florida Wellness Network, Inc. - Peer Reentry	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the South Florida Wellness Network, Inc. The Peer Support Re-Entry Program addresses crime prevention by helping adult inmates in Broward County jails, who face mental illness and/or substance addiction, to learn recovery skills and resilience strategies to prepare for community re-entry and reduce the chances of post-release recidivism.
55	South Florida Wellness Network, Inc. - Scholarships/Recovery Residences	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the South Florida Wellness Network, Inc. The Scholarships for Recovery Residences program will provide a 30-day voucher for recovery residences for 10 individuals upon release from BSO detention facilities who are seeking sustainable recovery from a substance abuse disorder. Peer Specialists will evaluate participants, arrange admission to a Florida Association of Recovery Residence in Broward County with the scholarship. They will also provide peer recovery supports, linkage to resources and employment readiness skills, and distribute bus passes to improve access to services and gift cards for service needs.
56	Take Stock in Children of Broward County	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Take Stock in Children of Broward County. Through Project PROMISE, Take Stock in Children will be able to continue its efforts to create and maintain safe neighborhoods throughout Broward County through the power of mentoring youth that are at high risk of entering the criminal justice system. In addition, low-income youth will receive academic case management, student advocacy, college and career readiness activities as well as college enrollment and retention services.
57	The Deliverance Center, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for The Deliverance Center, Inc. Poitier Wordsmith Academy teaches at-risk youth how to create short stories, poems, and full-length stories and what it takes to get published. With advice from published authors, students will be able to start a writing career of their own. This twenty-session workshop program is designed to reduce delinquency and risky behaviors by providing educational and social skills development. High school students will be drawn from the 33311, 33309, and 33312 communities.
58	The Optimist Club of Cooper City, Inc	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for The Optimist Club of Cooper City, Inc. The Cooper City Optimist sports program enables young people to benefit from participation in team sports in a safe and structured environment. Participants will be taught fundamental values, skills, and the knowledge they will need throughout their lives. The program changed the lives of young people by using competitive football and cheer with the goal to keep youth off the streets and away from drugs and crime.
59	The Peaceful Project	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for The Peaceful Project. LETF will fund 35 Community in Unity sessions for Mirror Lake Elementary School in Plantation. This program fosters competencies in building trust and trustworthiness, recognizing feelings and developing enhanced self-regulation, developing empathy, solving conflict peacefully, learning responsible decision-making, and identifying and operating from one's values.

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60	The Poverello Center, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for The Poverello Center, Inc. The Red Door Project program will reach special populations of people with HIV and serious illnesses who were either involved with or are at risk of involvement with the criminal justice system, are homeless, and/or have mental illness at the Poverello Live Well Center (LWC). Participants will be able to use the gym and showers and take part in the LWC local flavor dinners. They will also have access to food at the Poverello Eat Well Center and to a Nutritionist.
61	The Russell Life Skills and Reading Foundation, Inc. -City of Hollywood	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for The Russell Life Skills and Reading Foundation, Inc. The Russell Reading Room Center in the City of Hollywood addresses the critical issue of literacy in low-income, K-5 students in underserved areas of Fort Lauderdale while also filling an essential childcare gap for low-income parents. Certified teachers will provide reading, math, science, and STEAM education to 202 elementary school students four days a week. The program also offers mentoring and family engagement activities.
62	Trans Women in Need of Services Inc	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Trans Women in Needs of Services Inc. The TIG Level Up Program is a multi-level HIV prevention and education program that will address the social structures and institutional barriers that contribute to high incidences of HIV and violence among Trans People of Color (TPOC). This program will increase the participants skills, knowledge, and capacity to optimize better health outcomes and reduce the risk factors that contribute to high rates of violence amongst TPOC.
63	Turning Point Transitional Services, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Turning Point Transitional Services, Inc. Independence Drive is a driver's education program created specifically for transitional youth in the foster care system that are without the support of a parent or responsible adult. To help maintain normalcy in their lives, this program was developed to assist transitioning youth in attaining driver's licenses. Funds will be utilized to pay for driving lessons, learner's permit tests, and driving tests.
64	United Way of Broward County	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for United Way of Broward County. The initiative will provide students in high-risk Broward County public middle schools with the necessary self-esteem/confidence and conflict resolution skills to reduce violence and substance abuse. This integrated program will provide students with the opportunity to address youth violence through the use of multiple broad-based strategies and educational opportunities to sustain a positive transformation and safe environment in their schools.
65	Urban League of Broward County, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Urban League of Broward County, Inc. The Crime Prevention and Intervention program is an evidence-based, community-based program that promotes healthy alternatives to risky behavior via life skills activities designed to teach a minimum of 75 youth. Participants in the program benefit from an array of vital holistic supports including anger management, youth gang resistance education, tutoring, teen summits, employability skills training, social responsibility training, and enrichment activities such as college tours.

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66	Women in Distress of Broward County, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for Women In Distress of Broward County, Inc. Women In Distress works to accomplish our mission through an emergency shelter, 24-hour crisis hotline, advocacy services, therapy, and other critical wrap-around services to families affected by domestic violence. LETF funding will be used to partially fund a Crisis Hotline Manager and supportive services for domestic violence survivors. The 24-Hour Crisis Hotline is often the first point of contact that survivors have with Women In Distress' services and can be the first time they disclose information regarding domestic abuse to anyone. The hotline provided a confidential and non-judgmental environment to discuss a survivor's needs and safety plan.
67	Women of Tomorrow Mentor & Scholarship Program, Inc.	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Women of Tomorrow Mentor & Scholarship Program, Inc. The Women in Law Enforcement Career Summit will provide and build awareness of law enforcement/public safety career options to targeted Title 1 public high school students from schools such as Blanche Ely, Stranahan, Dillard, Boyd Anderson, and Piper. The half-day Summit will include an audience of 80 at-risk young women and offers their mentees the opportunity to engage in face-to-face interactions with female law enforcement officers. Program mentors will provide in-classroom follow-up with formalized career/life planning sessions as well as an overview of financial requirements necessary to achieve independence.
68	Young Men's Christian Association of South Florida, Inc. (YMCA) KEC	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Young Men's Christian Association of South Florida, Inc. The YMCA of South Florida, through the L.A. Lee Family Center, provides the Kids Enrichment Club which is aimed for at-risk children and provides them with a safe place to go during after school hours and throughout the summer months. This program provides performing arts, science, sports, specialty programming, and enrichment activities as well as positive youth reinforcement through special guest speaking engagements.
69	Young Men's Christian Association of South Florida, Inc. (YMCA) TLP	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Young Men's Christian Association of South Florida, Inc. The Teen Leadership Program provides age-appropriate sessions to youth on leadership development, college access, healthy living, employment readiness, internships, the arts as well as volunteerism, civic engagement, and community service. Sessions will incorporate community leaders and organization that will facilitate specialty programming on promoting safe neighborhoods. This program will serve approximately 75 teenage youth.
70	Youth Survivors Foundation, Inc	The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for the Youth Survivors Foundation, Inc. This program will serve students at Morrow Elementary School by providing school supplies, clothing, field trips/enhance afterschool experiences, and incentives for participation in book club, school attendance, and program participation. This school serves a community of children who live in poverty and 97% of students qualify for free or reduced lunch.