

PRC Meeting

March 4, 2021

Written Communications

Item 2

Review Fiscal Year 2021-22 Community Funding
Grant Applications and Presentation on the
Commissioner Evaluation Process

From: [Abhijit Banerjee](#)
To: [City of Cupertino Parks and Recreation Commission](#); [Whitney Zeller](#)
Subject: Dhwani Academy presentation
Date: Thursday, March 4, 2021 6:08:15 PM
Attachments: [cupertino presentation PPT.ppsx](#)

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Dear Whitney,
Would be grateful if you kindly add this presentation.
Thanks
Abhijit Banerjee
Artistic Director
Dhwani Academy

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10



DHWANI ACADEMY OF PERCUSSION MUSIC

Cupertino Presentation

OUR PAST ACTIVITIES

- Workshops
Twice a year

- Workshop in Progress 2017



- 2019 workshop with guest artiste



- 2018 workshop with guest artist

• ANNUAL PROGRAMS



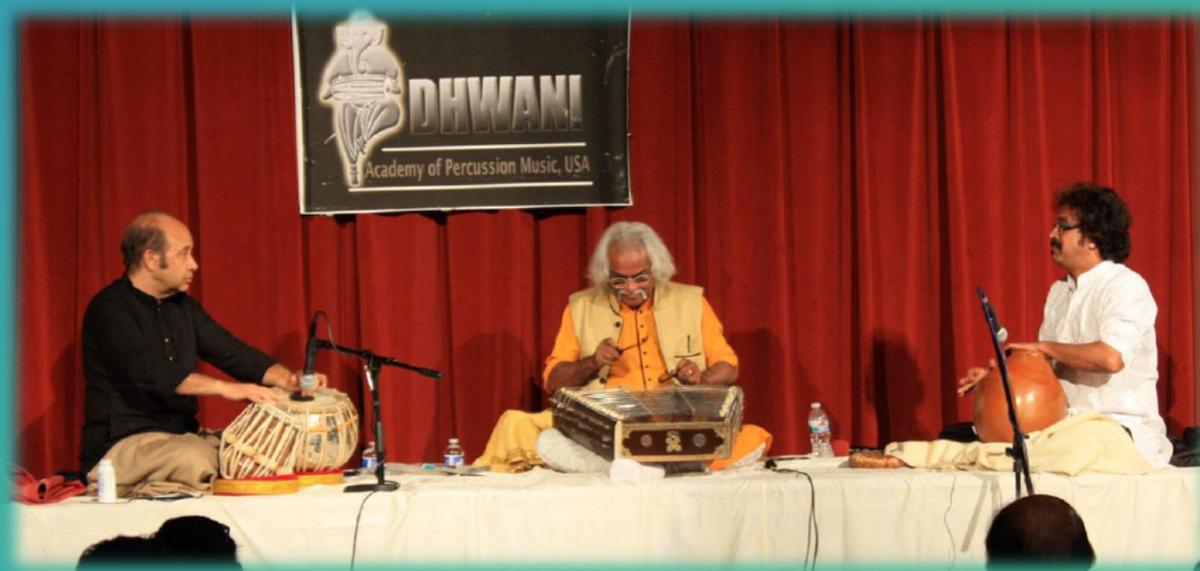
Students' Performance



Partha Sarathy in concert with Tabla and Ghatam



Ronu Majumdar in Concert



Tarun, Abhijit and Somnath=North Indian with South Indian tradition

FUTURE PROJECTS

To involve community for a better musical atmosphere and promote talented students

Workshops and residencies

**Usual Venue: CASA De Anza
community Hall**

- Workshops at least twice a year
- Inviting Guest artistes besides our own teachers to interact with the students.
- Evaluation through presentation
- Small Community concerts involving local artistes and students to participate
- Evaluation concerts after workshops to present.
- Involving cross cultural activities by involving musicians and music from different community

Music Festival

**Usual Venue:Quinlan
Community Center**

- One music festival in Cupertino
- The festival will invite a Celebrated guest artiste for community to enjoy
- The festival will feature advanced students of workshops and residencies to be promoted by taking part in the program.
- The best student will be promoted in other cities of Dhvani Academy and online concerts of Dhvani Academy where generally celebrated artsites from India performs.
- A bigger Venue (if possible)

OUR BUDGET

Our expectation from the grant and to be utilized

Workshops and residencies

workshops to present

- Room rent (usually CASA D ANZA community hall if available) and Evaluation Concerts \$ 1100
- Guest artists \$ 1750
- Other Costs, artists' lodging, food, per diem documentation etc. \$ 1600

Music Festival

Music festival in Cupertino

- Venue Rent, Sound \$ 800
- Guest Artists \$ 1000
- Artists lodging, Per diem, documentation etc. \$ 1650

Common Costs :

Administrative \$750
Equipments \$200
Food and Entertainment \$250

Total \$ 9100

From: [Stanley Kuo](#)
To: [City of Cupertino Parks and Recreation Commission](#)
Subject: Re: Discovery Counseling Center Cupertino presentation on 3/4/2021
Date: Thursday, March 4, 2021 7:51:51 AM

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Can I share my screen and control the slides during my presentation in order to play these animated slides properly?

Please advise. Thanks,

[Stanley Kuo](#), [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Director of [Discovery Counseling Center](#) in Cupertino

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On Mar 3, 2021, at 5:37 PM, Stanley Kuo [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi,

I will use the attached slides to present our application for the Cupertino Community Funding Grant.

Thanks,

Stanley Kuo

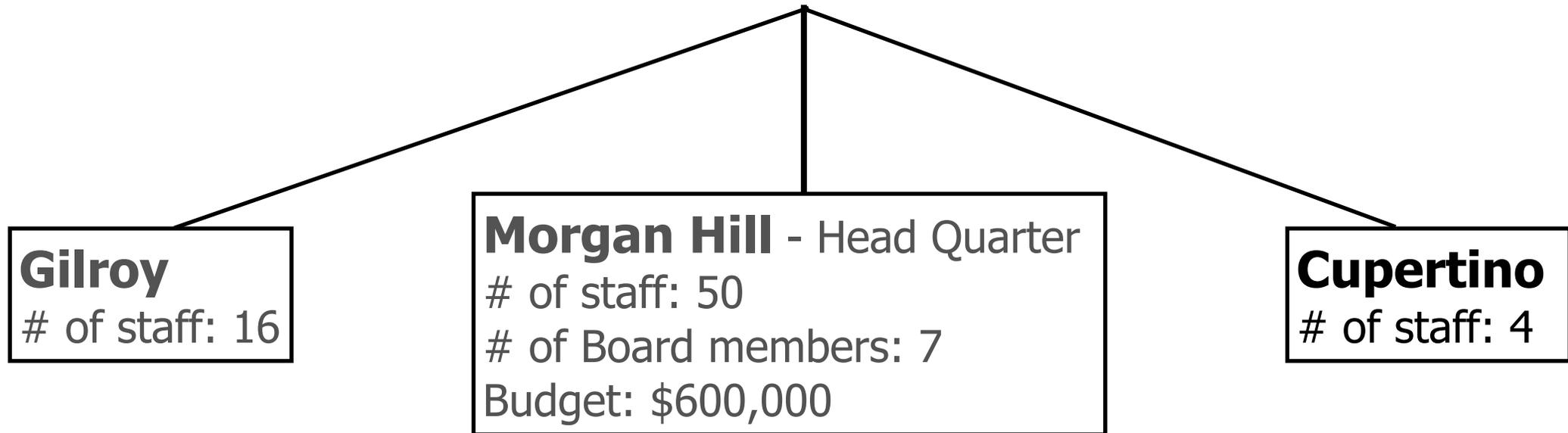
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COUNSELING CENTER

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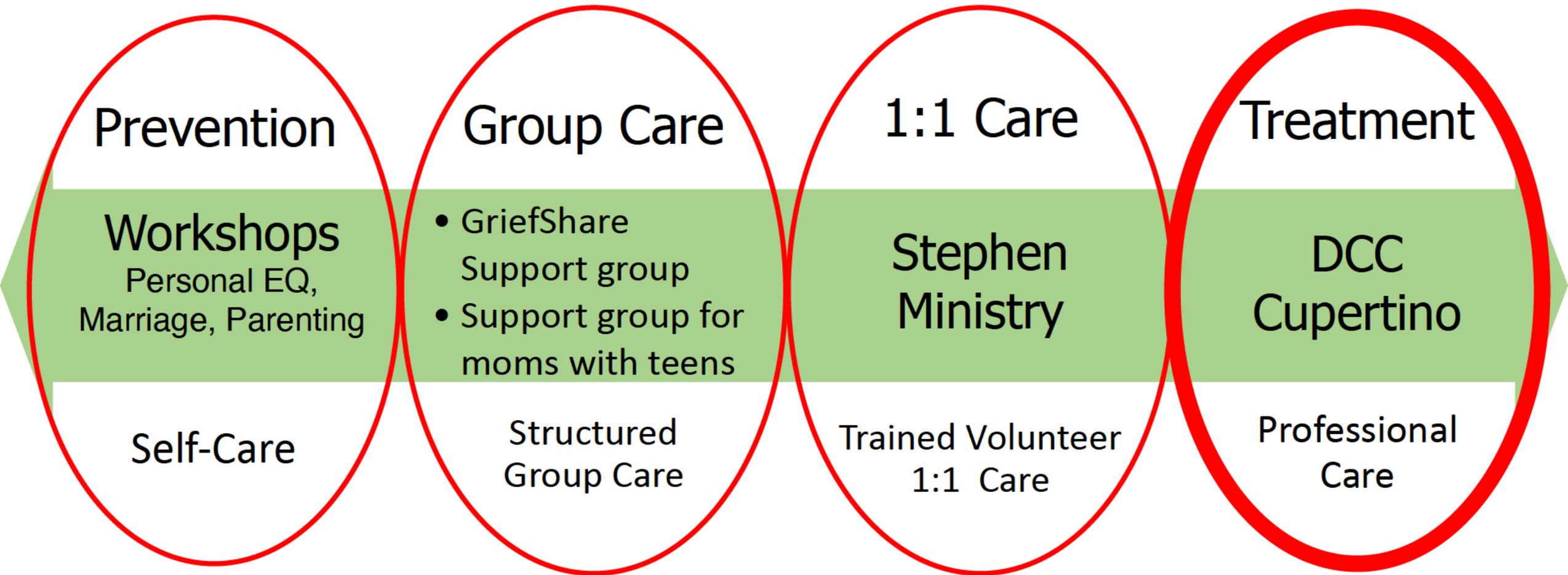
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What funding will be used for

- Background
 - ✦ Typical fee for licensed counselors: \$160 - \$300/hour
NOT accepting health insurance
 - ✦ DCC Cupertino (**affordable** professional counseling):
Sliding Scale based on income (may as low as \$25/hour)
Accepting health insurances (\$70 - \$100/hour)
 - ✦ Providing subsidy to guarantee minimum hourly pay
for counselors (\$120/hour) through donations and grants
- Applying Cupertino Community Funding Grant
to partially support a new hire of counselor: **\$7,200**

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Whitney Zeller; City of Cupertino Parks and Recreation Commission](#)
Cc: [Rachelle Sander](#)
Subject: Kalashree Foundation - visual document material - Cupertino Community Funding Grant
Date: Wednesday, March 3, 2021 2:52:09 PM
Attachments: [Kalashree Foundation FINAL-slides.zip](#)
[Kalashree Foundation FINAL.pptx](#)

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Hi Whitney and team,

Attached is a power point presentation (and a zip file containing all the numbered slides as a backup) that will be used as a visual document during Kalashree Foundation presentation.

Let me know how will the actual process of sharing the doc will work.

Thank you

Kiran



❖ **Kalashree's Mission**
❖ **Project Proposal**
❖ **Funding Plan**

Kalashree Foundation

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❖ **Kalashree's Mission**



Vidushi Kala Ramnath, Founder & Artistic Director
"music has the power to make the world a better place"

- ❖ **Promote Classical Indian Music**
- ❖ **Educate The Community**
- ❖ **Platform Aspiring Musicians**

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Project Proposal : Annual Concert Program



❖ 2019



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Project Proposal : Annual Workshop Program



❖ 2017



❖ 2018



❖ 2019



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Project Proposal : Annual Guru Poornima Program



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Funding Plan

❖ Professional Concert	\$4,500	45%
❖ Annual Workshop Program	\$1,500	15%
❖ Annual Guru Poornima	\$1,000	10%
❖ Virtual Library Documentation	\$2,500	25%

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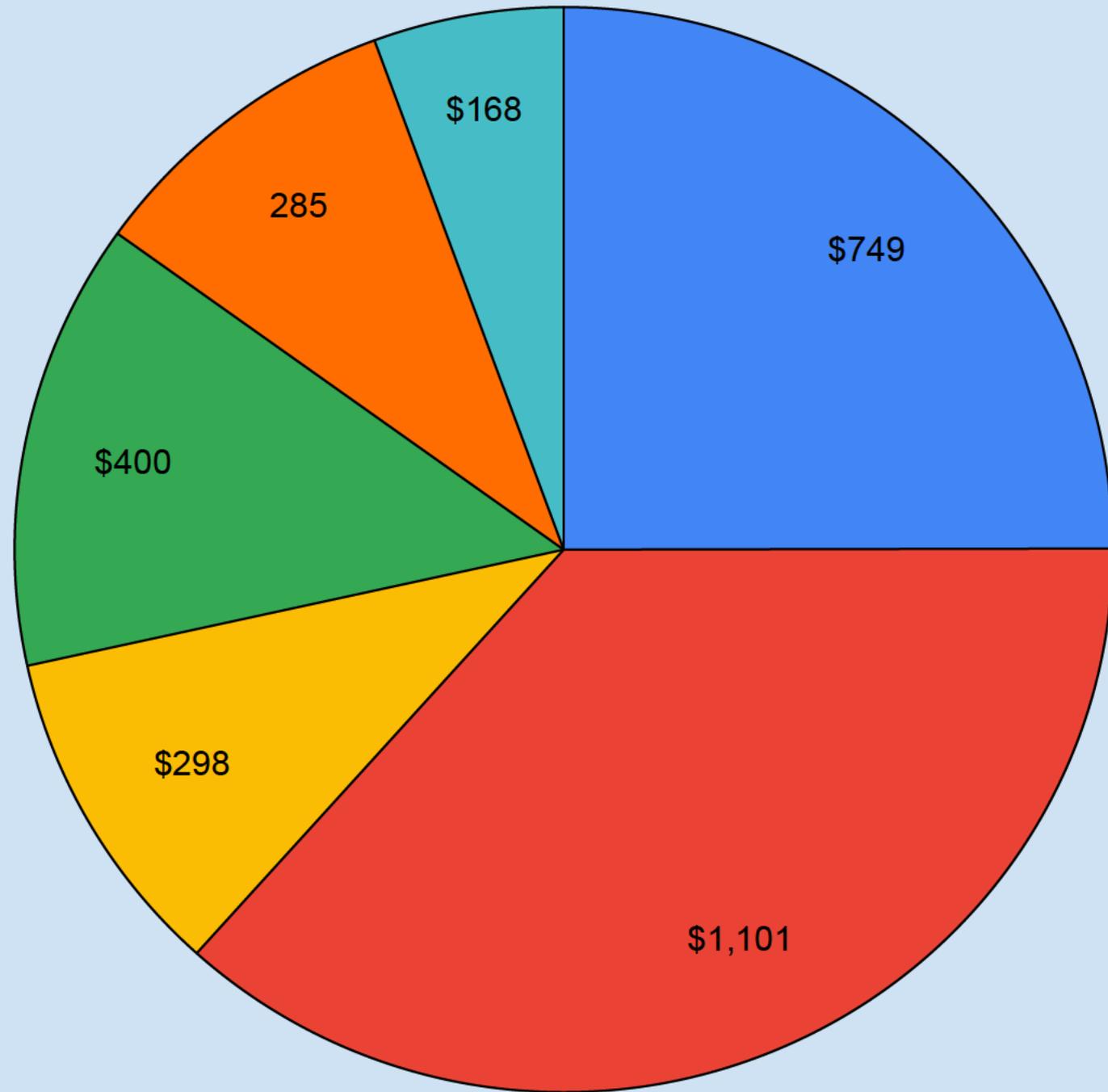
From: [Marcus Plutowski](#)
To: [City of Cupertino Parks and Recreation Commission](#)
Subject: Valkyrie Robotics — Material for Cupertino Community Funding Grant
Date: Thursday, March 4, 2021 6:34:17 PM
Attachments: [Valkyrie Robotics.pdf](#)
[Valkyrie Robotics.png](#)

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To whom it may concern,

Attached below is an image (in two different formats) that I would like to have included in my slides for Valkyrie Robotics at tonight's presentation.

Yours,
Marcus Plutowski



● Microcontrollers ● Sensors, Motors, & Circuit Components ● Hand Tools ● 3D Print Materials ● Misc. Expenses ● Personal Safety Equipment