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### **TEEN COMMISSION STAFF REPORT**

Meeting: November 10, 2021

#### Subject

Update on Fiscal Year 2021-22 City Work Program item Mental Health Support

#### Recommended Action

Receive an update on the status of the Mental Health Support Fiscal Year 2021-22 Work Program item and provide feedback.

#### Discussion

##### *Background*

City Council adopted the FY 2021-2022 City Work Program (Attachment A) at the May 26, 2021 Council Meeting. Mental Health Support was prioritized at number 18 out of 50 items. The objective of the Mental Health Support item is to provide a dedicated webpage with resources for mental health and emphasize mental health programming in class offerings. The complete FY 2021-2022 City Work Program Dashboard can be found on the City website.

##### *Phases*

The Mental Health Work Program item is split into the following phases: Research, Planning, Procurement, Execution, Outreach, and Closing Processes. Throughout the year staff provide commissions and council with updates, as needed.

##### *Current Status*

The City is continuing research on local mental health resources for the Mental Health webpage published in September. The resources on the webpage are currently suicide prevention based and will be updated to include more mental health resources on an ongoing basis. On September 21, City Council joined eight other Santa Clara County cities in adopting a Suicide Prevention Ordinance. Other mental health resources offered through Santa Clara County were presented to the Teen Commission in October, and the Bobateeno youth event returned on October 9 to connect youth and teens with local mental health resources.

#### Sustainability Impact

No sustainability impact.

Fiscal Impact

This item has an estimated budget of \$10,000.

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Attachments:

A – FY 2021-2022 City Work Program