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March 22, 2023

Kristi McNichol
Housing Finance Support Specialist
City of Joliet
150 W. Jefferson Street
Joliet, IL 60431

Dear Kristi,

The Y is proud to work side by side with the City of Joliet to steward federal CDBG Block Grant funding to ensure our community facilities remain safe and relevant and that we are able to expand public services to residents in our community.

On March 28, 2022, we entered into an agreement for the use of CDBG FY21 and CDBG-CV resources to support four programs and one facility project. Since that time, we have worked diligently to complete the agreed upon work and look forward to finalizing all project goals by July 31, 2023.

As part of our ongoing work together, in June of 2022, we reached out to begin discussions on reallocating the use of funds to better align with program needs. Please accept this as our formal request to amend Exhibit A – Authorized Scope of Work and reallocate funds among the agreed upon programs. The net impact of this reallocation request is \$0.

Please see below for details on our requested amendment to reallocate funding within Program Services and shift \$42,000 in funding from CDBG-CV Public Services to Community Facilities to cover the renovation of space utilized to provide Teen REACH program services:

- Project #1(CDBG FY21 Funds): Roof Replacement - \$25,000 [No change requested]
- Project #2(CDBG-CV Funds): Program Services - \$130,000 [Requested reallocation of funds from \$130,000 in Program Services to \$88,000 Program Services and \$42,000 Community Facility Improvements. Please see details below]
 - **Teen REACH Program:**
 - **Original Request:** \$40,000 Program and Services
 - **New Request:** \$23,000 Program Services, \$42,000 Community Project Facility Improvements for the new Youth Innovation Center at the Galowich YMCA.
 - **Teen Achievers Program:**
 - **Original Request:** \$60,000 Program and Services
 - **New Request:** \$35,000 Program and Services
 - **Equitable Communities Initiative:** \$15,000 [No change requested]
 - **Safety Around Water Program:** \$15,000 [No change requested]

We believe that by working together, side by side, we can strengthen the foundations of our community. Should you have any questions or need any further information regarding this request, please let me know. I can be reached at kleclair@jolietyymca.org or (815) 782-0504. We appreciate your continued partnership.

Sincerely,

Katy Leclair
President & CEO
Greater Joliet Area YMCA