

April 26, 2024

Anthony Benavides Clark Park Coalition 4301 West Vernor Detroit, MI 48209

Dear Anthony,

In 2022, Bridging Communities had the pleasure of providing mini-grant funding to individuals, community groups, businesses and non-profits for beautification efforts within Detroit's districts 5 & 6. Hubbard Farms Neighborhood Association (HFNA) was among the grantees, and funds were given to Clark Park as the group's fiduciary.

HFNA board member, Marlena Hanlon, recently updated us that the majority of the funds had not been spent, and requested to be able to repurpose the remaining money to be used for similar community projects. We are hereby authorizing HFNA to utilize remaining grant funds as they see fit.

It is our understanding that they will be requesting Clark Park to disperse the money directly to the group to be deposited into a separate bank account in their name. We have no opposition to this transfer once they have provided necessary documentation to Clark Park for its release.

Please contact me directly if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Jennie Weakley Deputy Director

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