Voting Session (Consent Agenda)
Single Reading Ordinance Authorizing the City Manager to Execute a Contract Agreement with M.A.N.U.P (Making A New United People) for a Teen and Young Adult Mentoring Program

Recommended Council Action
Adopt the ordinance.

Context with Key Issues
MANUP conducts a mentoring program for young people, ages 12-24. Workshops are geared towards education, self-empowerment, economic awareness and social responsibility. Recognizing the value of the mentoring program for the community and the challenges of fundraising to maintain the activities, the City Council included $20,000 in the FY 2020 budget by way of the Community Partnership Program (CP2) to support a Teen and Young Adult Mentoring program. Upon submitting a comprehensive report, MANUP will have successfully met the requirements for FY19 and staff is recommending extending the contract for FY20.

An agreement has been prepared setting forth the terms of the contract and providing for disbursement of the funds. The draft ordinance authorizes the City Manager to execute the agreement.

Council Priority
A Livable Community for All

Environmental Considerations
N/A

Fiscal Considerations
$20,000 was appropriated in the adopted FY 2020 budget.

Racial Equity Considerations
We believe this Council action will improve outcomes and further the youth success initiative for people of color, including immigrants and refugees.

Attachments and Links
- Draft ordinance
Introduced by:

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-

MAKING A NEW UNITED PEOPLE (M.A.N.U.P) – TEEN AND YOUNG ADULT MENTORING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Takoma Park City Council’s vision for Takoma Park, as set forth in its Council priorities, is for the advancement of a sustainable and livable community with an engaged, responsive and service-oriented government; and

WHEREAS, the Council believes that to achieve this vision, it must work in partnership with city residents, community organizations, non-profits, the business community, and other governmental agencies; and

WHEREAS, the City Council included $110,000 in the FY 2020 budget to support the Community Partnership program of which $20,000 will be awarded to Making a New United People (M.A.N.U.P), a service providing a mentoring program to Takoma Park’s teens and young adults.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager is authorized to execute a contract agreement with Making a New United People (M.A.N.U.P.) for disbursement of up to $20,000 for the 2020 Teen and Young Adult Mentoring program.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

Adopted this ___ day of ______, 2019 by roll-call vote as follows:

AYE:

NAY:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN: