



**COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION**

REFERENCE NUMBER _____

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DATE: 06/04/2024

**SUBJECT: APPROVAL TO HOLD THE 2024 EMPOWERING SENIORS EVENT
AT THE WILL ROGERS MEMORIAL CENTER AND FINDING OF
INTEREST TO THE COMMUNITY**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve the request to hold the joint Empowering Seniors event hosted by the offices of the County Judge and Precinct 3 at Will Rogers Memorial Center and find the event is of interest to the community.

BACKGROUND

On September 19, 2023, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #141722, approved and Interlocal Agreement (ILA) with the City of Fort Worth to facilitate cooperation between the City and County concerning the usage of the Will Rogers Memorial Center and the Fort Worth Convention Center for County-related events that serve to benefit the public. This agreement allows the County to use the facilities and associated parking for events, without payment, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00 and not more than ten (10) events per year. As part of the agreement, the event being held must be of interest to the community and approved by the Tarrant County Commissioners Court.

With approval, the Tarrant Special Events Foundation will hold the Empowering Seniors event at the Will Rogers Memorial Center on August 27-29, 2024. This event is being jointly hosted by the offices of the County Judge and Precinct 3. In order to satisfy the ILA with the City of Fort Worth, Court approval is required to utilize a portion of the \$100,000.00 credit towards this event.

FISCAL IMPACT

Tarrant County is allocated up to \$100,000.00 per fiscal year to utilize space within Will Rogers Memorial Center or Fort Worth Convention Center, subject to space availability. The estimated cost to hold this event at Will Rogers Memorial Center is \$30,000.00. County funds will not be expended on this event.

SUBMITTED BY:	County Judge	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	Maegan South Andy Nguyen/Kathryn Rotter
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