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Honorable Members of the Common Council
City of Danbury, Connecticut

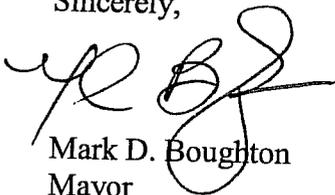
Dear Common Council Members:

The City of Danbury has a wonderful opportunity to continue the successful Summer Youth Employment program for six weeks beginning July 2, 2007. The Northwest Regional Workforce Investment Board is providing Danbury a grant of \$125,550.00 to hire up to 110 children to participate in clean teams and internships in non-profit agencies throughout our community.

Students participating in the program, who must be participants in the Free/Reduced Lunch Program, will earn \$7.65 per hour and work 20 hours per week during the six week program. The students will participate in three life skills training sessions provided by the UCONN Extension Center. Seven adult and student supervisors will monitor teams of students. The Office of the Mayor and Parks Maintenance personnel will monitor the program and supervise the clean teams.

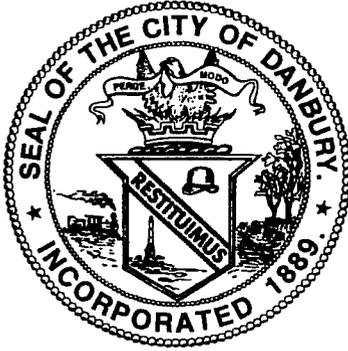
Thank you for your consideration of this important youth enrichment project.

Sincerely,



Mark D. Boughton
Mayor

cc: Daniel Garrick, Asst. Finance Director
Duke Hart, Superintendent of Highways



RESOLUTION

CITY OF DANBURY, STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Danbury:

WHEREAS, the Northwest Regional Workforce Investment Board has proposed grant funding in the amount of \$125,550.00 in order to allow the creation of a Summer Youth Employment Program in Danbury; and

WHEREAS, this funding will enable the City to employ up to 110 low income youths to participate in "clean teams" throughout the community; and

WHEREAS, the program will be monitored by City departments, including Parks Maintenance and Director of Recreation, as well as the Office of the Mayor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Mayor Mark D. Boughton be and hereby is authorized to make application for and receive a grant from the Northwest Regional Workforce Investment Board in an amount up to \$125,550.00 for the purposes of establishing a Summer Youth Employment Program, and to take all necessary actions in order to accomplish the purposes thereof.