

Information Item

Date: November 13, 2023

To: Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and Members of the City Council

From: Tiffany Oliva, Director of Intergovernmental Affairs & Strategic Initiatives

Subject:

Update on the Crosby Scholars' Dashboard and Portal Project Funded by City ARPA-Enabled Funds

Strategic Focus Area: Service Excellence

Strategic Objective:

Strategic Plan Action Item:

Key Work Item:



On January 3, 2023, Crosby Scholars was amongst one of the ten selected ARPA-Enabled Transformational Grantees for their project to create a dashboard and portal for their programs; received funding in the amount of \$116,573. More specifically, Crosby Scholars sought to create a new portal system in their database management system to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of their efforts to assist public school students in preparing for successful college enrollment and career pathways. The Crosby Scholars database is at the operational core of the organization, driving engagement and interaction with students and their families and collecting essential information to set benchmarks, standards, and new goals.

Crosby Scholars is the first of the Transformational Grantees to exhaust the total award, and they will share an update about what the award empowered them to accomplish for our city's residents.

