Miami-Dade Economic Advocacy Trust

The Miami-Dade Economic Advocacy Trust (MDEAT) addresses and advocates for the equitable participation of, primarily, Miami-Dade County's Black community within Targeted Urban Areas (TUA's) as identified by Miami-Dade County.

As part of the Economic Development and Public Safety strategic areas, MDEAT encourages and facilitates the coordination of programs providing assistance to the Black community, and strives for the elimination of disparities within the community at large. These programs include affordable housing opportunities for low-to-moderate income families, a teen court diversion program for youths, and various economic development initiatives to better the Black community of Miami-Dade County.

MDEAT is governed by a 15 member Board of Trustees selected by the Miami-Dade Economic Advocacy Trust Nominating Council and appointed by the Board of County Commissioners. The Executive Director nomination is submitted by the Board of Trustees to the County Mayor, who recommends the nominee to the Board of County Commissioners for approval.

FY 2018-19 Adopted Budget

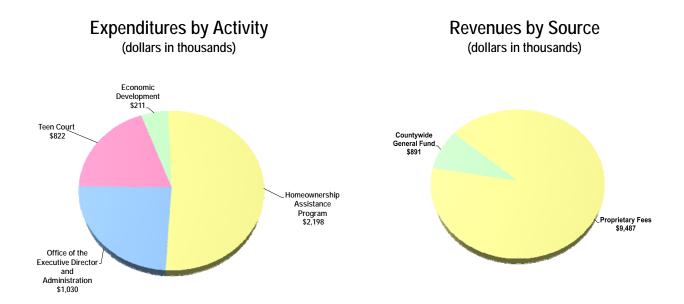
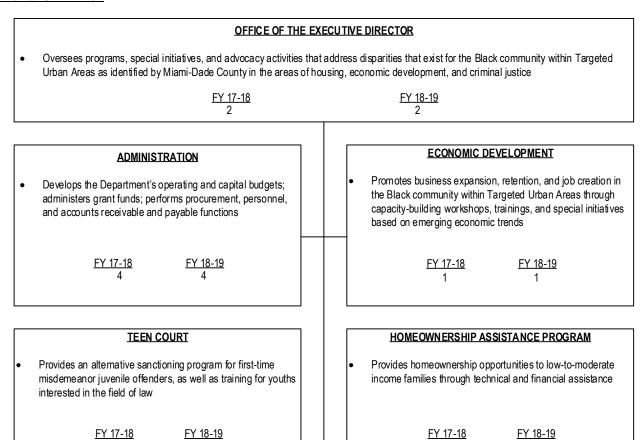


TABLE OF ORGANIZATION



The FY 2018-19 total number of full-time equivalent positions is 20

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

	Actual	Actual	Budaet	Adopted
(dollars in thousands)	FY 15-16	FY 16-17	FY 17-18	
Revenue Summary				
General Fund Countywide	495	492	770	891
Carryover	3,607	4,641	4,059	5,985
Documentary Stamp Surtax	3,534	3,182	3,200	2,700
Donations	21	0	0	0
Interest Earnings	8	23	7	24
Local Business Tax Receipt	7	0	0	0
Surtax Loan Payback	2	2	2	2
Teen Court Fees	819	777	696	776
Total Revenues	8,493	9,117	8,734	10,378
Operating Expenditures				
Summary				
Salary	1,170	1,287	1,479	1,477
Fringe Benefits	395	454	555	594
Contractual Services	145	90	136	115
Other Operating	82	80	125	104
Charges for County Services	56	65	75	132
Grants to Outside Organizations	2,003	1,474	2,477	1,838
Capital	1	0	2	1
Total Operating Expenditures	3,852	3,450	4,849	4,261
Non-Operating Expenditures				
Summary				
Transfers	0	0	0	0
Distribution of Funds In Trust	0	0	0	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0
Depreciation, Amortization, and	0	0	0	0
Depletion				
Reserve	0	0	3,885	6,117
Total Non-Operating Expenditures	0	0	3,885	6,117

	Total F	unding	Total Pos	sitions
(dollars in thousands)	Budget	Adopted	Budget	Adopted
Expenditure By Program	FY 17-18	FY 18-19	FY 17-18	FY 18-19
Strategic Area: Public Safety				
Teen Court	876	822	8	8
Strategic Area: Economic Develo	pment			
Office of the Executive Director and Administration	969	1,030	6	6
Economic Development	191	211	1	1
Homeownership Assistance Program	2,813	2,198	5	5
Total Operating Expenditures	4,849	4,261	20	20

SELECTED ITEM HIGHLIGHTS AND DETAILS

	(dollars in thousands)							
Line Item Highlights	Actual	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget			
A discontinuo	FY 15-16	FY 16-17	FY 17-18	FY 17-18	FY 18-19			
Advertising	37	37	55	2	43			
Fuel	0	0	0	0	0			
Overtime	3	0	0	1	0			
Rent	1	0	13	0	13			
Security Services	21	19	20	19	10			
Temporary Services	0	13	50	33	52			
Travel and Registration	0	2	2	1	2			
Utilities	11	12	13	9	9			

DIVISION: OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND ADMINISTRATION

The Office of the Executive Director and the Administration Division provide overall leadership and coordination of departmental operations and ensure financial, fiscal, and accounting controls.

- Oversees programs, special initiatives, and advocacy activities that address disparities of Black residents in comparison to the communityat-large in the areas of homeownership, economic development, and criminal justice
- Develops the operating and capital budgets
- Administers grant funds
- Performs procurement, personnel, and accounting functions

DIVISION COMMENTS

 During FY 2017-18, one Senior Executive Secretary position was reclassified to a Departmental Administrative Coordinator position to streamline the Trust's administrative functions

DIVISION: HOMEOWNERSHIP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Homeownership Assistance Program Division provides homeownership opportunities to low-to-moderate income families through technical and financial assistance.

- Provides down payment and closing cost assistance to qualified first-time low-to-moderate income homebuyers
- Processes mortgage applications for affordable homeownership
- Establishes partnerships with public, private sector, and financial institutions to provide housing opportunities for low-to-moderate income homebuyers

 HH2-2: Stabilize 	home occupancy							
Ohiootiyoo	Measures		FY 15-16	FY 16-17	FY 17-18	FY 17-18	FY 18-19	
Objectives			Actual	Actual	Budget	Actual	Target	
Increase the number of	New homeowners provided closing costs and down payment assistance*	OP	\leftrightarrow	410	294	350	275	275
new homeowners	Affordable housing community forums and housing events held	OP	\leftrightarrow	36	31	36	32	40

^{*}Actuals for FY 2017-18 reflect a decrease in the availability of housing units for qualified first-time homeowners; the FY 2018-19 target has been adjusted to reflect this trend

DIVISION: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The Economic Development Division helps to address the socio-economic disparity of the Black community within Targeted Urban Areas by advocating and coordinating initiatives and programs for the benefit of the community-at-large.

- Promotes business expansion, retention, and job creation in the Black community
- Promotes expansion of the small business community through capacity-building workshops, trainings, and special initiatives based on emerging economic trends

Strategic Objectives - Measures ED4-1: Encourage creation of new small businesses FY 15-16 FY 16-17 FY 17-18 FY 17-18 FY 18-19 **Objectives** Measures Actual Actual **Budget** Actual **Target** Increase the number of Community Economic successful small **Development Forums** OP 2 3 6 6 6 businesses in targeted sponsored

DIVISION: TEEN COURT

The Teen Court Division provides an alternative sanctioning program for first-time misdemeanor juvenile offenders, as well as training for youths interested in law.

Strategic Objectives - Measures								
PS1-1: Reduce	e crimes of public concern							
Objectives Measures				FY 15-16	FY 16-17	FY 17-18	FY 17-18	FY 18-19
Objectives	Measures		Actual	Actual	Budget	Actual	Target	
Decrease juvenile arrests	Juveniles referred to Teen Court*	OP	\leftrightarrow	404	298	400	218	300
	Workshops held for Teen Court participants*	OP	\leftrightarrow	198	193	200	191	200
	Courtroom sessions held by participating juveniles*	OP	\leftrightarrow	249	225	216	161	220

^{*}Actuals for FY 2017-18 reflect programmatic changes that impacted the length of time and the number of juveniles that participated in the Teen Court program; the numbers of juveniles served was also lower than the prior year due to a decrease in juvenile arrests

DIVISION COMMENTS

The FY 2018-19 Adopted Budget continues funding for a summer youth employment program that connects high school students with employment opportunities throughout the business, government, and legal communities within the Targeted Urban Areas (\$36,000)

	(dollars in thousands)			
Description	Startup Costs/ Non Recurring Costs	Recurring Costs	Positions	
Establish a Small Business Accelerator Program	\$0	\$60	0	
Expand the Teen Court Program to the south end of Miami-Dade County	\$62	\$138	2	
Establish a Girls Represent Program designed to increase awareness and provide training to minority girls (age 7-17) underrepresented in science, technology, engineering, and math fields	\$0	\$10	0	
Establish a technology training program to build and utilize a network of African- American tech companies to train and coach residents in the TUAs	\$0	\$40	0	
Establish a community garden program in one or more TUAs	\$0	\$100	0	
Total	\$62	\$348	2	