WHEREAS, the City recognizes the importance of economic, community and social development in the South Dallas/Fair Park area in Dallas; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 380 of the Texas Local Government Code Authorizes the City of Dallas to create programs to grant money to organizations and make loans to businesses for the public purpose of promoting economic development; and

WHEREAS, on June 8, 2011, city staff and the South Dallas/Fair Park Trust Fund Advisory Board reviewed the grant applications of Academy for Young Victors, Inc. d/b/a Eco Life Services International and The Family Place and found that the agencies complied with the requirements of Nonprofit Grant Programs and recommended City Council approval of the grant requests; and

WHEREAS, the making of these grants will further the ongoing program of the City of Dallas to encourage and increase economic, community and social development in the South Dallas/Fair Park Trust Fund area.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

Section 1. That the City Manager, upon approval as to form by the City Attorney's Office, is hereby authorized to enter into Community Based Nonprofit Grant Agreements with the Academy for Young Victors, Inc. d/b/a Eco Life Services International in the amount of \$35,000, the purpose of which is to partially fund the Grantee's "MLK Feeding/Nutrition Program," and The Family Place in the amount of \$35,000, the purpose of which is to partially fund the Grantee's "MLK Outreach Program".

Section 2. That the City Controller is hereby authorized to encumber and disburse funds from Fund 0351, Department ECO, Unit 0448, Object 3016, in an amount not to exceed \$70,000 as follows:

PROGRAMS NONPROFIT GRANTS

| VENDOR | VENDOR NO. | ENCUMBRANCE NO. | <u>AMOUNT</u> |
|---|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Academy for Young Victors d/b/a Eco Life Services International | VS0000062683 | ECO110448I007 | \$35,000 |
| The Family Place | 243202 | ECO110448I008 | \$35,000 |
| | | Total | \$70,000 |

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas and it is accordingly so resolved.

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