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COLUMBIA HEIGHTS MOUNT PLEASANT



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\$35,600

CHMPMS distributed grants to 17 small businesses for costs including a take out window, POS systems, new equipment and upgrades, and security improvements.

BY THE NUMBERS

263

10

businesses served

new businesses

531

48

technical assistance hours provided

hours provided by 11 volunteers

EVENTS

Book Festival
Dia de Los Muertos
Mural Launch Event
Noches Culturales

A CIVIC PLAZA FOR ALL

Under a grant from NACTO and in collaboration with DDOT, District Bridges' Columbia Heights Main Street program launched a 5 month pilot program to reactivate the Columbia Heights Civic Plaza for the entire community to enjoy. The program included bringing resources for neighbors who are unhoused or experiencing substance use disorder, implementing a new outdoor dining area, providing free community outdoor fitness classes and activities, hosting bicycle maintenance pop-ups, installing a bike maintenance station, and organizing monthly cultural events. The pilot will continue into FY22 through earmarked funds from DC Ward 1 Councilmember Brianne Nadeau.

