



Legislation Text

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Dept/ Agency: Health and Community Wellness

Action: (X) Ratifying (X) Authorizing () Amending

Type of Service: Application/Acceptance of Grant Funds

Purpose: To support Covid testing, vaccination and therapeutics.

Entity Name: United States Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)

Entity Address: 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857

Grant Amount: \$63,701.00

Funding Source: HRSA

Total Project Cost: \$0.00

City Contribution: \$0.00

Other Funding Source/Amount: \$0.00

Contract Period: September 1, 2023 through December 31, 2024

Contract Basis: () Bid () State Vendor () Prof. Ser. () EUS

() Fair & Open () No Reportable Contributions () RFP () RFQ

() Private Sale (X) Grant () Sub-recipient () n/a

Additional Information:

WHEREAS, the City of Newark's (hereinafter, "City") Department of Health and Community Wellness (hereinafter, "DHCW") provides medical care services pursuant to and consistent with the Health Center Program laws and regulations (including Section 330 of Public Health Services Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 254b and 42 C.F.R. § 51c.301, et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration ("HRSA") has made grant funds available for the provision of these services; and

WHEREAS, on or about October 2, 2023, the Director of the DHCW, on behalf of the City, submitted an application to HRSA requesting grant funding in the amount of **Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Zero Cents (\$63,701.00)**, for the continued provision of medical care and supportive services to the City and surrounding areas (a copy of the grant application is attached hereto and made a part hereof); and

WHEREAS, on August 23, 2023, as a result of the grant application, HRSA awarded a grant in the amount of **Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Zero Cents (\$63,701.00)**, for the continued provision of medical care and supportive services to the City and surrounding areas, for the period of September 1, 2023 through December 31, 2024 (a copy of the Notice of Award is attached hereto and made a part hereof); and

WHEREAS, the Director of the DHCW desires to accept said grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the City recognizes that HRSA may extend the time of the grant award and/or provide additional funds when it becomes available; and

WHEREAS, the HRSA may amend the grant to reflect any time extension and/or increase or decrease of grant funds, as appropriate and which shall be subject to approval by the Municipal Council by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the terms of this grant award may only be waived or amended by the parties duly authorized to execute the grant, subject to the approval of the Municipal Council by resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, THAT:

1. The Mayor and/or his designee, the Director of the Department of Health and Community Wellness (“DHCW”), are hereby authorized to submit a grant application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (“HRSA”), requesting grant funding in the amount of **Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Zero Cents (\$63,701.00)** for the continued provision of medical care and supportive services to the City of Newark (“City”) and surrounding areas.
2. The Municipal Council hereby ratifies its authorization of this grant application from the date of the application’s submission to the date of adoption of this authorizing resolution.
3. The resulting grant award in the amount of **Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Zero Cents (\$63,701.00)** from HRSA is hereby accepted.
4. The Mayor and/or his designee, the Director of the DHCW, are hereby authorized to file the electronic acceptance necessary to accept the grant award.
5. The Municipal Council hereby ratifies the acceptance of this grant award from the date that the electronic acceptance was filed to the date of adoption of this authorizing resolution.
6. The Mayor and/or his designee, the Director of DHCW, are hereby authorized to receive and expend the grant award for the continued provision of medical care and supportive services to the City and surrounding areas for the period commencing on September 1, 2023 and terminating on December 31, 2024.
7. The DHCW shall, upon any extension of time of the grant and/or upon any increase or decrease of the grant funds, submit to the Municipal Council for its consideration an amending resolution reflecting the final time and amount of the awarded grant.
8. No Municipal matching funds are required for the receipt or acceptance of this grant award.

STATEMENT

This Resolution authorizes and ratifies the actions taken by the Mayor and/or his designee, the Director of Health and Community Wellness, to apply for and accept grant funds in the amount of **Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Zero Cents (\$63,701.00)** from the United

States Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, for the continued provision of medical care and supportive services to the City of Newark and surrounding areas, for the period commencing on September 1, 2023 and terminating December 31, 2024. No Municipal matching funds are required for the receipt or acceptance of these grant funds.