



MEMORANDUM

Council Agenda
Item No. IX. AE
9/27/2022

The City of OKLAHOMA CITY

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Craig Freeman, City Manager

Resolution de-obligating \$78,763 in Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Administrative funds and approving the Fourth Amendment to the Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program Agreement with the Homeless Alliance, Inc., to add the \$78,763 along with an additional \$255,618.07 in uncommitted Emergency Solutions Grant COVID funds to Rapid Re-Housing services for an increase in the total contract amount from \$2,367,056 to \$2,701,437.07.

Purpose:

The Resolution being submitted for approval today will de-obligate the unspent \$78,763 in Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program (ESG-CV) Administrative funds and amend the Emergency Solutions COVID Program Agreement with the Homeless Alliance to re-obligate the funds for Rapid Re-Housing services, along with \$255,618.07 in additional uncommitted Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program funds to increase the funding by \$334,381.07.

Background:

The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act), Public Law 116-136 was signed into law on March 27, 2020. On April 2, 2020, HUD informed the Planning Department that \$1,475,283 in ESG-CV funds had been allocated to the City. On June 9, 2020, HUD announced an additional allocation of \$5,928,669 in ESG-CV funds to the City. The CARES Act allowed these funds to cover or reimburse allowable costs incurred before the award of funding, including prior to the signing of the CARES Act

On August 4, 2020, (Item VII.Q.) the City Council approved an Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program Agreement with Homeless Alliance to provide services in response to COVID-19. The initial funding amount of this project was \$502,000. The original term of the Agreement was from March 15, 2020, through June 30, 2022.

On March 16, 2021, (Item VII. Q.), the City Council approved the First Amendment to the Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program Agreement with Homeless Alliance, increasing the funding from \$502,000 to \$1,559,800, and extending the term of the Agreement through September 30, 2022.

On January 4, 2022 (Item IX.AI.), the City Council approved the Second Amendment to the Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program Agreement with Homeless Alliance, increasing the funding from \$1,559,800 to \$2,012,755.

On April 18, 2022, HUD issued Notice CPD-22-06, extending the expenditure deadline for ESG-CV funding to September 30, 2023.

On May 24, 2022, (Item IX.AD.) the City Council approved the Third Amendment to the Emergency Solutions Grant COVID Program Agreement with the Homeless Alliance, increasing the funding from \$2,012,755 to \$2,367,056.

Cost:

\$334,381.07 from federal funds. City match is not required for this grant.

Source of Funds:

Grant Management - Dept of Hsg & Urban Devel -Rstr - ESG-CV (019-6140-2408773-G80361)

Review:

Planning

Recommendation: Resolution be adopted.