



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Public Health and Human Services

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: December 20, 2021

Re: Agreements for the Purchase of Social Services

Executive Summary

A resolution authorizing the City Manager to sign thirteen (13) agreements for the purchase of social services and an associated business associate agreement.

Discussion

The Department of Public Health and Human Services administers the City of Columbia process for the purchase of social services. In July, 2021, a request for proposals was issued for social services to address issues related to basic needs. Based on the review and rating of the proposals, the Human Services Commission and staff have recommended the City establish thirteen (13) new purchase of service agreements with thirteen (13) providers, for a total amount not to exceed \$595,895.99, as outlined in Exhibit A and conforming with the general form of the standard social services provider agreement (Exhibit B). The period for all agreements is January 1 – December 31, 2022. The agreement with Compass Health Inc. for mental health services requires a business associate agreement (Exhibit C).

Detailed information regarding the social services funding allocation process and the purchase of service contract recommendations are included in the attached City of Columbia FY2022 Social Services Funding Process and Contract Recommendations Report to the Columbia City Council.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: None.

Long-Term Impact: None.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impacts

[Strategic Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Social Equity, Secondary Impact: Economy, Tertiary Impact: Public Safety

[Comprehensive Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Economic Development, Secondary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable



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Legislative History

Date	Action
Annual	The annual purchase of social services process has been in place since 1964.

Suggested Council Action

Should the Council agree with staff and commission recommendations, an affirmative vote is in order.