

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: October 15, 2018

Re: Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services WIC Local Agency Nutrition Services

Program Services Contract

Executive Summary

Staff has prepared for Council consideration an ordinance authorizing the City Manager to sign the program services contract for WIC Local Agency Nutrition Services, between the City of Columbia and the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services. The contract period is October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019.

Discussion

This contract allows the Department of Public Health and Human Services to provide supplementary nutrition packages and nutrition education to low income pregnant and breastfeeding women, infants, and children through age 5 years.

Total funding is based on caseload number, which is determined by the average number of participants served in the previous year. DHSS has determined the contract will be based on a participant count of 27,891 for FY2019 which is based on the average number of participants from FY2018. The total grant for FY2018 is \$390,474 for FY2019. FY 2019, the department will be reimbursed at a rate of \$14.00 per participant.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: This is grant funding. There is no impact on the general fund.

Long-Term Impact: None

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impacts

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Social Equity, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable



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Legislative History	
Date	Action
Annual	This contract is renewed annually. WIC program services have been available in Boone County since 1975.

Suggested Council Action

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