

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: August 15, 2022

Re: Contract for Independent Contractor for Provision of Title X Family Planning Services

Executive Summary

An ordinance authorizing a contractual service agreement with the Missouri Family Health Council for Title X Family Planning Services and three (3) related sub-contracts and business associates agreements; amending the FY 2022 annual budget by appropriating the contract funds; and fixing the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

Discussion

The Missouri Family Health Council (MFHC) contracts with community based organizations to provide voluntary reproductive health services to low income, uninsured and underinsured individuals. These services include general health and cancer screening, health education and voluntary contraceptive services.

The Missouri Family Health Council receives funding from the federal Office of Population Affairs for the State of Missouri and services that oversight agency for subcontracting service providers.

This contract provides funding for Public Health and Human Services to provide direct family planning clinical services to income eligible women and men. It also includes funding for the City to contract with Randolph, Clark and Lewis counties for expanded services.

PHHS has provided Title X reproductive health services for many years. Northeast Community Action Corporation (NCAC) had served as the sub-recipient agency since 2012, with Boone County as one of its subcontractors. In 2022, MFHC asked the City of Columbia to serve as the sub-recipient agency. As a sub-recipient agency, the City of Columbia will sub-contract with Randolph, Clark and Lewis public health departments for them to provide family planning services in their catchment areas. Likewise, the City of Columbia will continue to provide Title X reproductive health services within its own catchment area. For its services as the sub-recipient, the City of Columbia will receive \$10,000 per year for administrative costs. The contract period is April 1, 2022 – March 31, 2023 with the option to renew for one additional year.

Operational expenses per sub-contractor is as follows: Randolph Public Health Department \$28,750, Clark County Public Health Department \$5,375 and Lewis County Public Health Department \$5,750. The City of Columbia will receive \$30,000 for its operational costs, in addition to the previously mentioned \$10,000 for administrative costs.



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Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Budget neutral.

Long-Term Impact: None.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Organizational Excellence, Secondary Impact: Inclusive Community, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

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

Legislative History	
Date	Action
04012022	This is the first year that the City of Columbia has been a subrecipient agency for Title X funding. The City of Columbia has provided reproductive health services for over 40 years.

Suggested Council Action

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