



COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION

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**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT NO. 4 TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2022
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES
SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASE/HUMAN
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS-DISEASE INTERVENTION
SPECIALISTS GRANT CONTRACT**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve Amendment No. 4 to the FY 2022 Department of State Health Services (DSHS) Sexually Transmitted Disease/Human Immunodeficiency Virus-Disease Intervention Specialists (STD/HIV-DIS) Grant Contract, #HHS001120300014.

BACKGROUND

The purpose of the STD/HIV-DIS grant is to control and prevent the spread of Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs), including Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (HIV/AIDS) and viral hepatitis, through Disease Intervention Specialists (DIS). The DIS conducts partner services interviews and field investigations to notify and offer education and testing related to STDs.

On January 4, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #137177, approved a contract for FY 2022 funding in the amount of \$526,757.00 to support the STD/HIV-DIS purpose in Tarrant County. The term of this contract was January 1, 2022 through August 31, 2022. DSHS has sole discretion to extend this Contract, provided the Contract does not exceed five years.

On March 1, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #137567, rescinded Court Order #137177 and approved a revised contract for FY 2022 funding in the amount of \$395,067.00. The term of this contract ended August 31, 2022.

On April 12, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #137914, approved Amendment No. 1, shifting from Fiscal Year to Calendar Year (CY) terms. CY 2022 funding increased by \$395,068.00 and the contract term was extended through December 31, 2022.

On October 18, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #139474, approved Amendment No. 2, increasing the CY 2022 funding amount by \$640,452.00 and adding \$790,135.00 for CY 2023. The contract term extended through December 31, 2023.

On February 7, 2023, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #140248, approved Amendment No. 3, extending the contract term for Calendar Year (CY) 2022 through January 31, 2023, and restating the CY 2023 contract term to February 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023.

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With approval of Amendment No. 4, the funding amount increases by \$790,135.00 for CY 2024, and the term of the contract extends through December 31, 2024. In addition, the Statement of Work is amended to align with project needs. All other terms and conditions remain in full force and effect.

The Criminal District Attorney's Office has reviewed this amendment as to form.

FISCAL IMPACT

All associated costs will be paid from grant fund allocations in Grant F0105-2024.

There is no match, or operating subsidy required for this grant contract funding.