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**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF THREE FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES HIV/SERVICES SUBRECIPIENT CONTRACT RENEWALS WITH AIDS HEALTHCARE FOUNDATION, TARRANT COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, AND TARRANT COUNTY SAMARITAN HOUSING, INC.**

**\*\*\* CONSENT AGENDA \*\*\***

**COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED**

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve three (3) Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) HIV/Services (State Services) subrecipient contract renewals with AIDS Healthcare Foundation (AHF), Tarrant County Hospital District (JPS), and Tarrant County Samaritan Housing, Inc. (SAM).

**BACKGROUND**

Tarrant County receives annual funding from DSHS in the form of grant contracts. The Texas DSHS State Services grant will continue to fund health insurance, transportation, and referral for health care and support services in the Fort Worth Health Service Delivery Area (HSDA).

AHF is a community-based medical clinic that has been delivering HIV-core medical and support services for people living with HIV for ten (10) years in Tarrant County and surrounding areas. This contract supports Referral for Health Care and Support Services.

JPS has been delivering core medical and support services for people living with HIV for more than twenty-five (25) years. JPS is the safety-net hospital in Tarrant County that provides quality health and mental health care services to the area's most vulnerable populations. This contract supports Emergency Financial Assistance, Medical Transportation, Outpatient/Ambulatory Health Services, and Referral for Health Care and Support Services.

SAM has been a Tarrant County subrecipient for more than 20 years and is a community-based organization that delivers HIV support services for people living with HIV in Tarrant County and surrounding areas. This contract supports Medical Transportation and Referral for Health Care and Support Services.

On May 21, 2024, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #143143, approved the FY 2024-2025 Texas DSHS State Services contract renewal in the amount of \$1,094,360.00.

The project period for DSHS State Services grant is September 1, 2023 through August 31, 2025. The term of the budget period is September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025.

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The recommended contract renewals are as follows:

AHF – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$39,235.00.

JPS – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$699,002.00.

SAM – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$27,648.00.

The Criminal District Attorney's Office has reviewed these documents as to form.

## **FISCAL IMPACT**

All associated costs will be paid from grant allocations as follows:

State Services Funding: Grant-2004 E0031-2025 DSHS- HIV/State Services Grant Program/1132200000 HIV Subrecipients/569013 Subrecipient Service – net impact \$765,885.00.

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