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DATE: 11/24/2020

SUBJECT: RATIFICATION OF AGREEMENT WITH NORTH TEXAS AREA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUNDS FOR THE TARRANT COUNTY UNINSURED FLU VACCINATION PROGRAM

*** CONSENT AGENDA ***

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED:

It is requested that the Commissioners Court ratify an agreement with North Texas Area Community Health Center for the distribution of CARES Act Coronavirus Relief Funds (CRF) as part of the Tarrant County Uninsured Flu Vaccination Program.

BACKGROUND:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has emphasized the importance of reducing the number of flu cases during the national COVID-19 pandemic. The flu vaccination program will reduce the overall impact of respiratory illnesses on the county's population and thus lessen the burden on the healthcare system during the pandemic.

Flu vaccination program expenses have been determined eligible under CRF guidelines. JPS Hospital Network (JPS) will also partner with the County to provide flu vaccinations under this initiative. Once finalized, an agreement with JPS will be presented for Commissioners Court approval.

If approved, the total CARES Act funding allocated for the administration of flu vaccines under this program will not exceed \$200,000.00.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding in the amount of \$200,000.00 is available in CARES-2021/5490500000/569011.

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