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DATE: <u>06/21/2022</u>

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN TARRANT COUNTY, D/B/A TARRANT COUNTY DEPARTMENT HUMAN SERVICES AND RELIANT ENERGY TO ACCEPT DONATIONS FROM THE 2022 RELIANT ENERGY CARE PROGRAM

*** CONSENT AGENDA ***

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve an agreement between Tarrant County, d/b/a Tarrant County Department Human Services (TCDHS) and Reliant Energy for receipt of 2022 Reliant Energy CARE Program funding.

BACKGROUND

In 1983 Reliant Energy established a fund to provide energy assistance monies to area non-profits and government agencies that can be committed as a credit on behalf of qualified low-income customers. TCDHS has received disbursements from these Reliant Energy funds since 2008.

This agreement allows TCDHS to receive periodic allotments of program funding. Reliant Energy will provide funding amounts dependent on the business needs and practices of the company.

On June 3, 2022, Reliant Energy CARE notified TCDHS of the first donation for 2022 in the amount of \$20,000.00 for electric assistance funding to low-income Reliant customers.

The Criminal District Attorney's Office has reviewed and approved this agreement as to form.

FISCAL IMPACT

The donated funds of \$20,000.00 will be deposited into account 484003/T5640-2022/5210100000.

SUBMITTED BY:	Human Serv