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DATE: <u>02/21/2023</u>

SUBJECT: APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT CONTRACT RENEWAL APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 ENDING THE

HIV EPIDEMIC GRANT

*** CONSENT AGENDA ***

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve the submittal of a grant contract renewal application to the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) for the FY 2024 Ending the HIV Epidemic (EHE) Grant (Contract No. HHS000897700004).

BACKGROUND

Tarrant County Public Health (TCPH) receives annual funding from DSHS through various grant contracts to perform a variety of essential public health services.

DHSH notified TCPH that FY 2024 funding for the EHE Grant will be \$637,328.00. The EHE Grant aims to reduce the spread of HIV within Tarrant County. TCPH will work within the community to accomplish the goals outlined in the EHE Grant by diagnosing people living with HIV as early as possible and will treat people living with HIV rapidly and effectively to achieve viral suppression.

With approval, TCPH will provide a budget template and contract renewal checklist template to DSHS as a requirement to renew the EHE grant contract for FY 2024 funding.

No match requirement, indirect cost, or operating subsidy is required for this grant.

FISCAL IMPACT

All associated costs will be paid from grant fund allocation in grant account Grant-2004/5100306000/F0036-2024. There will be no impact to the County's General Fund.

SUBMITTED BY:	Public Health	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	