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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF FOUR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024 HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION RYAN WHITE TREATMENT EXTENSION ACT PART A SUBRECIPIENT CONTRACT RENEWALS WITH AIDS OUTREACH CENTER, TARRANT COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, TARRANT COUNTY PREVENTIVE MEDICINE CLINIC AND THE SALVATION ARMY – MABEE SOCIAL SERVICES CENTER - HIV ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY

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

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve four (4) FY 2023-2024 Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Ryan White Treatment Extension Act Part A Subrecipient Contract renewals with AIDS Outreach Center (AOC), Tarrant County Hospital District (JPS), Tarrant County Preventive Medicine Clinic (PMC) and The Salvation Army – Mabee Social Services Center (SAFW).

BACKGROUND

Since 1996, Tarrant County has been awarded funding under the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program (RWHAP) Part A HIV Emergency Relief Grant Program. The purpose of this program is to provide direct financial assistance to the Fort Worth/Arlington Transitional Grant Area (TGA) to develop and enhance access to a comprehensive continuum of high-quality, community-based care and treatment for low-income individuals living with HIV. This is accomplished through the provision of Formula, Supplemental, and Minority AIDS Initiative (MAI) funds. Tarrant County HIV Administrative Agency administers the grant funding through subcontracts with community organizations that then deliver the necessary high-quality services.

AOC has been a Tarrant County subrecipient for more than twenty-five (25) years and is community-based organization that delivers a variety of services to people living with HIV in Tarrant County and surrounding areas. Examples of services include oral health care, mental health, case management, and housing assistance.

JPS has been delivering HIV services 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. Examples of services provided through JPS Healing Wings HIV Clinic include medical care, prescription assistance, oral health care, mental health, and case management.

PMC has been delivering HIV services for more than twenty-five (25) years and is an HIV medical clinic that is part of Tarrant County Public Health (TCPH). PMC delivers a variety of services to people living with HIV in Tarrant County and surrounding areas. Examples of services include medical care, prescription assistance, and medical case management.

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SAFW has been a Tarrant County subrecipient since 2017 and the organization is focused on meeting human needs of the most vulnerable populations. SAFW is a community-based organization that delivers a variety of services to people living with HIV in Tarrant County and surrounding areas. Examples of services include housing, and emergency and food assistance.

On January 31, 2023, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #140205, approved the FY 2023-2024 HRSA Notice of Award for the Ryan White Part A grant contract in the amount of \$895,593.00.

The Part A grant project period is March 1, 2022 through February 28, 2025. The term of the contract period is March 1, 2023 through February 29, 2024.

The recommended contracts are as follows:

AIDS Outreach Center – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$232,441.00

Tarrant County Hospital District – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$247,195.00

Tarrant County Preventive Medicine Clinic – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$101,499.00

The Salvation Army – Mabee Social Services Center – Total reimbursement shall not exceed \$56,921.00

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:

Part A Funding: 569013/Grant-2004/1132200000/E0028-2024 – \$595,683.00

MAI Funding: 569013/Grant-2004/1132220000/E0028-2024 – \$42,373.00

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