2024-R-160

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT EXTENSION FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES (DSHS), HIV PREVENTION GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OUT \$106,848.00 WITH NO MATCH FOR THE CITY OF LAREDO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE TERM PERIOD FROM SEPTEMBER 01, 2024 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2024. FUNDING IS AVAILABLE IN THE HIV PREVENTION GRANT – LAREDO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.

WHEREAS, The Texas Department of State Health Services continues to contract with the City of Laredo to provide public health services to residents of Laredo and Webb County through the City of Laredo Public Health Department, and;

WHEREAS, through this agreement, the Public Health Department is able to provide HIV prevention services. Human immunodeficiency virus prevention services ensure HIV awareness and prevention for persons at greatest risk of acquiring or transmitting HIV infection. The City of Laredo Public Health Department HIV Prevention Project is a model evidence-based prevention and health promotion service which consists of innovation, coordination, and collaboration; some basic fundamentals in prevention for testing, preventive care, education and outreach. The project serves qualifying residents in the Duval, Jim Hogg, Webb and Zapata counties.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAREDO THAT:

Section 1: The City Manager is hereby authorized to accept and enter into a contract extension from the Department of State Health Services (DSHS), HIV Prevention Grant in the amount of \$106,848.00 with no match for the City of Laredo Public Health Department for the term period from September 01, 2024 through December 31, 2024. Funding is available in the HIV Prevention Grant – Laredo Public Health Fund.

PASSED	BY	THE CITY	COUNCIL	AND	APPROVED	BY	THE	MAYOR	ON	THIS
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				DR. VICTOR D. TREVINO MAYOR						

ATTEST:	
JOSE A. VALDEZ, JR.	
CITY SECRETARY	
APPROVED AS TO FORM	
DOANH T. NGUYEN, CITY ATTORNE	Y
AMBER R. HOLMES	
ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY	