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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY TEXAS, AUTHORIZING OF LAREDO, THE AND ENTER MANAGER TO ACCEPT INTO CONTRACT FROM THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY & CITY HEALTH OFFICIALS (NACCHO) FOR THE WASTEWATER SURVEILLANCE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000.00, WITH NO MATCH FOR THE CITY OF LAREDO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE TIME PERIOD FROM FEBRUARY 03, 2025 THROUGH JULY 31, 2025. FUNDS WILL BE ACCOUNTED FOR IN THE LAREDO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND - WASTEWATER SURVEILLANCE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the National Association of County & City Health Officials (NACCHO), with support from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), has launched the Wastewater Surveillance Mentorship Program. This initiative connects local health departments with expertise in wastewater surveillance to enhance public health responses; and

WHEREAS, as part of this program, the City of Laredo Public Health Department will gain access to specialized tools and resources for detecting SARS-CoV-2 and other pathogens through wastewater testing, providing an early warning system to help address emerging public health threats quickly and effectively.

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

- The City Manager is hereby authorized to accept and enter into a contract from the National Association of County & City Health Officials (NACCHO) for the Wastewater Surveillance Mentorship Program in the amount of \$20,000.00, with no match for the City of Laredo Public Health Department for the time period from February 03, 2025 through July 31, 2025. Funds will be accounted for in the Laredo Public Health Department Fund Wastewater Surveillance Mentorship Program.
- Section 2: The revenue account 226-0000-327-9060 and the expenditure division 226-6516 with Project Number HEWS01.



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