2025-R-134

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY TEXAS, LAREDO. **AUTHORIZING** THE **ACCEPT** MANAGER TO AND **ENTER** INTO CONTINUATION CONTRACT FROM THE HEALTH RESOURCES & SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, HIV RYAN WHITE 340B DRUG PRICING REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM, FOR THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$370,000.00. WITH NO MATCH FOR THE CITY OF LAREDO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE TERM PERIOD FROM APRIL 01, 2025 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2026. FUNDS WILL BE ACCOUNTED FOR IN THE LAREDO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND - HIV RYAN WHITE 340B PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA) 340B Program enables covered entities to stretch scarce federal resources as far as possible, reaching more eligible patients and providing more comprehensive services. Eligible health care organizations/covered entities are defined in statute and include HRSA-supported health centers and look-alikes, Ryan White clinics and State AIDS Drug Assistance programs. To participate in the 340B Program, eligible organizations and covered entities must register and be enrolled with the 340B program and comply with all 340B Program requirements. Once enrolled, covered entities are assigned a 340B identification number that vendors verify before allowing an organization to purchase 340B discounted drugs, expanding pharmaceutical access to underserved, uninsured, and low-income populations.

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 continuation contract from the Health Resources & Services Administration, HIV Ryan White 340B drug pricing reimbursement program, for the total amount of \$370,000.00, with no match for the City of Laredo Public Health Department for the term period from April 01, 2025 through March 31, 2026. Funds will be accounted for in the Laredo Public Health Department Fund HIV Ryan White 340B Program.
- Section 2: The revenue account 226-0000-376-0702 and the expenditure division is 226-6020 with Project Number HERP02.

PASSED	BY	THE	CITY	COUNCIL	AND	APPROVED	BY	THE	MAYOR	ON	THIS
	DAY OF				, 2025.						

DR. VICTOR D. TREVINO	
MAYOR	

ATTEST:	
MARIO I. MALDONADO JR.	
CITY SECRETARY	
APPROVED AS TO FORM	
DOANH T. NGUYEN, CITY ATTORNEY	
AMBER R. HOLMES	
ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY	