

One-Reading Ordinance appropriating \$130,000.00 in the Health Grant Fund for an increase in the Beach Watch Program from the Texas General Land Office (GLO) to collect and analyze recreational beach water samples for the period of September 1, 2023, through August 31, 2024.

WHEREAS, the City Manager or designee (Director of the CCNCPHD) is authorized to execute amendments to the grant contract which extend the contract period or increase or decrease the grant amount; and

WHEREAS, the Texas General Land Office has awarded \$130,000 for Work Order No. E243 under GLO Contract No. 21-043-001 to collect and analyze recreational beach water samples and provide financial assistance for expenses to support collection.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Funds in the amount of \$130,000.00 are appropriated in Health Grants Fund 1066 to collect and analyze water samples, notify the public of beach water quality and to recommend and/or issue, water quality advisories when warranted, for the period of September 1, 2023, through August 31, 2024.

SECTION 2. A copy of the executed health grant contract and amendments shall be filed in the office of the City Secretary.

SECTION 3. This section constitutes a written request by the mayor or majority of the members of the Council for this ordinance to be passed finally on the date of introduction due to emergency. The City Council finds and declares an emergency due to the need for immediate action necessary for the efficient and effective administration of City affairs; and suspends the City Charter rule that requires consideration of and voting upon ordinances at two regular meetings so that this ordinance is passed and takes effect upon first reading as an emergency measure.

PASSED and APPROVED on the _____ day of _____, 2023.

ATTEST:

Paulette Guajardo, Mayor

Rebecca Huerta, City Secretary