



AGENDA MEMORANDUM

First Reading Ordinance for the City Council Meeting of July 9th, 2013
Second Reading Ordinance for the City Council Meeting of July 23rd, 2013

DATE: 6/11/2013
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**Women, Infants and Children (WIC) grant FY 13
Approval of grant amendment to increase funding**

CAPTION:

Ordinance authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute all documents necessary to accept and appropriate a grant amendment in the amount of \$12,460 from the Texas Department of State Health Services in the Health Grants Fund No. 1066, increasing the award amount for the Women, Infants and Children nutrition program peer counselor project by \$12,460.

PURPOSE:

The grant amendment allows the Health District Division to educate and encourage the breastfeeding women who are eligible for the program. By partnering with the Bay Area Hospital Women's Health Services, we are providing and encouraging initial breastfeeding opportunities soon after deliveries.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

The special supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children (WIC) is a health and nutrition program that improves the diets of infants, children, and pregnant, postpartum, and breastfeeding women who are eligible for the program through low income and nutrition-related risks. This item approves an extension of the contract with the Department of State Health Services to provide services at the Corpus Christi-Nueces County Public Health District to over 5,000 low income women, infants, and children per month. This grant provides level funding. No matching funds required.

ALTERNATIVES:

None

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS:

Not applicable

CONFORMITY TO CITY POLICY:

Council approval required for acceptance of grant and appropriation of grant funds.

EMERGENCY / NON-EMERGENCY:

Non-Emergency

DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:

CCNCPHD

Legal

Finance-Federal Grants and Office of Management and Budget

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

X Operating

Revenue

Capital

Not applicable

Fiscal Year: 2011-2012	Project to Date Expenditures (CIP only)	Current Year	Future Years	TOTALS
Line Item Budget		\$ 12,460		\$ 12,460
Encumbered / Expended Amount				
This item		\$12,460		\$12,460
BALANCE		\$12,460		\$12,460

Fund(s):1066

Comments: No matching funds required.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of this agenda item.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Ordinance

Amendment Award Letter

WIC Contract

Certification of Funds