

Spay/Neuter Clinic Veterinarian Contracts

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Background



ACS is in the process of opening two new spay/neuter facilities to provide sterilization surgeries and other veterinary care for underserved areas.



The clinics will utilize ACS employees as vet techs and administrative staff but will rely on contracted veterinarians to perform surgeries and wellness.



Six veterinary contracts were previously approved by Council. ACS has identified two more veterinary contractors to staff the clinics.



The two new clinics will help reach the City's goal of 41,170 spay/neuter surgeries.

Scope of Services



- Spay/Neuter Surgeries
 - Includes pre-surgical evaluation, post-operative care, and communication with owners
 - Expected 10-20 surgeries per shift
- Veterinary Medicine
 - Includes medical exams, vaccinations, microchips, flea/tick and heartworm treatment

Contract Amount



- Total FY25 Contract Amount = \$151,800
 - Includes rate of \$1,300 per shift
 - Shifts range from 1 day per month to 3 days per week
- New partners include:
 - Dr. Monica Gil Rodriguez: \$114,000
 - Dr. Yvonne Smith: \$37,800

Recommendation

- Staff recommends approval of this ordinance



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