



# **Interlocal Agreement with Bexar County**

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**Item 22**

**April 17, 2025**

# Background

- May 9, 2024: City Council authorized approval of the funding for Harm Reduction Supplies through the Opioid Settlement Fund Ordinance
- Of the anticipated \$6.1M to be awarded to the City, City Council has allocated \$909k to address substance use in the community
- Metro Health will utilize \$100k of the awarded funds to collaborate with Bexar County and support the Harm Reduction initiatives across the community

# Background

- Metro Health's contract with Bexar County will provide funds to support the purchase of harm reduction supplies within the City of San Antonio and Bexar County
- Harm reduction supplies include:
  - Syringes: New and Sterile
  - Smoke Kits: Safer Smoking Supplies
  - Safer Sex Kits
  - Hygiene Items
  - Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
  - Alcohol Wipes
  - Wound Care Supplies

# Fiscal Impact



- Agreement with Bexar County:
  - Term: upon execution through September 30, 2025
  - Amount: \$100k
    - Bexar County will provide a one-to-one match valued at \$100k
  - Funding is available from Opioid Settlement Funding
  - There is no fiscal impact to the City's General Fund

# Recommendation



- Staff recommends approval.





**Thank You**  
**End of Presentation**