



CITY OF SAN ANTONIO  
**METROPOLITAN HEALTH DISTRICT**

**AMENDMENT TO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE  
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT  
SAN ANTONIO FOR SARS-COV-2 GENETIC  
SEQUENCING DATA**

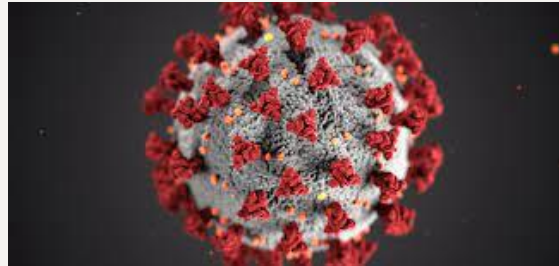
Presented by: Claude A. Jacob, Director  
Agenda #19  
May 12, 2022



# Background

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- In 2021, through Ordinance No. 2021-06-17-0446, City Council approved an initial agreement with the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio (UTHSCSA) to receive SARS-CoV-2 variant surveillance data reports.





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- Data provided allows Metro Health to track local prevalence of CDC “Variants of Concern” and “Variants of Interest” such as Delta (AY.100) and Omicron (BA.1, BA1.1, BA2).
- Metro Health seeks a no-cost extension to continue to receive data critical to informing the community of the local prevalence of SARS-CoV-2 variants.



# Fiscal Impact

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- Metro Health is requesting City Council approve a no-cost amendment to extend the term of an agreement with UTHSCSA for SARS-CoV-2 genetic sequencing data.
- Term: April 15, 2021 through September 30, 2022.
- There is no impact to the General Fund.



# Recommendation

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- Staff recommends approval of an amendment to extend an agreement with the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio.

