ORDINANCE 2022-09-29-0720

APPROVING AWARD RECOMMENDATIONS FROM AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS FOR NON-PROFIT SOCIAL SERVICES (PHASE I) TO AMERICAN GATEWAYS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$464,000, TO CATHOLIC CHARITIES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$583,373.02, TO LUTHERAN IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEE SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$293,155.98 AND TO THE AMERICAN ORGANIZATION FOR IMMIGRANTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$159,471.00 FOR A TWO-YEAR PERIOD.

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WHEREAS, on February 3, 2022, the City Council approved the spending framework for State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds received by the City of San Antonio under ARPA; and

WHEREAS, this framework included \$4 million for non-profit social services; and

WHEREAS, from April – May, the Community Health, Environment and Culture Committee (CHECC) received briefings on the impact of COVID – 19 on nonprofit and social services organizations and residents, and feedback from the community and stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, thereafter, the CHECC was presented with a recommended implementation plan focused on supporting immigrants and immigrant serving organizations, and associated criteria; and

WHEREAS, the CHEC and City Council approved this plan on May 26, 2022, and June 2, 2022, respectively; and

WHEREAS, based on the City Council and CHECC guidance, on June 6, 2022, the Department of Human Services (DHS) released a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP) to support immigrant serving organizations and programming in the amount of \$1,500,000.00 for a term of two years; and

WHEREAS, the RFP closed on July 8, 2022 and the Evaluation Committee proposed awards to four agencies totaling \$1,500,000.00; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Manager or designee, or the Deputy Chief Financial Officer or designee, authorizes the negotiation and execution of contracts with the agencies listed below based upon the award recommendations for Non-Profit Social Services (Phase I), and in the amount of \$1,500,000 for a two-year term (FY 2023 – FY 2024) from State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds made available from the American Rescue Plan Act.

Agency	Proposed Funding
American Gateways	\$464,000.00
Catholic Charities	\$583,373.02
Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Services (LIRS)	\$293,155.98
American Organization for Immigrants	\$159,471.00

SECTION 2. Current funding is available in Fund 2100700002 entitled "Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery" for a total amount of \$1,500,000.00.

SECTION 3. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Deputy Chief Financial Officer may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED and APPROVED this 29th day of September, 2022.

Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



City of San Antonio

City Council Meeting September 29, 2022

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Ordinance approving the award recommendations and contracts for NonProfit Social Services (Phase I) with American Gateways in the amount of \$464,000, with Catholic Charities in the amount of \$583,373.02, with Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Services in the amount of \$293,155.98 and with the American Organization for Immigrants in the amount of \$159,471 for a twoyear period from American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds. [Lori Houston, Assistant City Manager; Melody Woosley, Director, Human Services]

Councilmember Rocha Garcia moved to approve. Councilmember Courage seconded the motion The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Aye:

Nirenberg, Bravo, McKeeRodriguez, Viagran, Rocha Garcia, Cabello Havrda,

Sandoval, Pelaez, Courage

No:

Perry

Absent:

Castillo