



**METROPOLITAN  
HEALTH DISTRICT**

# **Equal Heart AmeriCorps Host Site Agreement**

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**Item #13**

**February 9, 2023**

# Background

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- Equal Heart is a non-profit organization that receives AmeriCorps grants
- Equal Heart supports organizations across the country and places about 400 AmeriCorps members across 15 states annually
- AmeriCorps members are a part of the network of 70,000 Americans that serve their communities

# Background



## Air Quality Outreach

- The AmeriCorps member will work with local organizations to educate the public on air quality and activities they can take to reduce ozone and improve air quality

## Metro Health Asthma Outreach

- The AmeriCorps member will assist with outreach and recruitment as well as training for the San Antonio Kids BREATHE (SAKB) program

# Fiscal Impact

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- Initial term is for an amount up to \$13,200.00
- Period beginning January 23, 2023 through August 31, 2023
- Includes option to renew for two additional one-year terms for a total amount up to \$81,200.00
- Funding for the first contract term in the amount of \$13,200.00 is available in the FY 2023 General Fund Adopted Budget
- Funding for future years is dependent upon City Council approval of the annual budget

# Recommendation

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Staff recommends City Council approve the execution of the agreement with Equal Heart for the placement of AmeriCorps members at the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District.

