



CITY OF SAN ANTONIO
METROPOLITAN HEALTH DISTRICT

Amending an Interlocal Agreement with STRAC

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Background

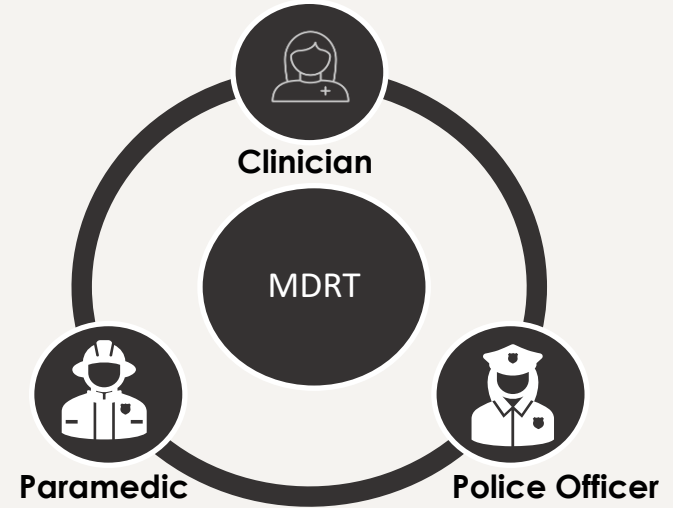
- FY 2021 Meadows Mental Health Policy Institute conducted a review of existing response to mental health crisis through SAPD
- Recommendations included a multidisciplinary response team and enhanced 911 triage and response
- FY 2022 adopted budget included a Multidisciplinary Response Team (MDRT) pilot program to provide an alternative response to mental health 911 calls





Background

Team Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SAFD Paramedic• SAPD Police Officer• Mental Health Clinician
Pilot Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Central Substation
Service Hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 Team, 2 shifts• 7AM – 3PM 3PM – 11PM



Integration of Clinicians into 911 Response System



Background

- The proposed amendment to the Interlocal Agreement with Southwest Texas Regional Advisory Council (STRAC) will provide for clinicians, operations support and evaluation including:
 - 7 Clinicians through Center for Healthcare Services (LMHA)
 - Clinical Oversight
 - Operations Support
- Also includes evaluation and implementation support through Meadows Mental Health Policy Institute





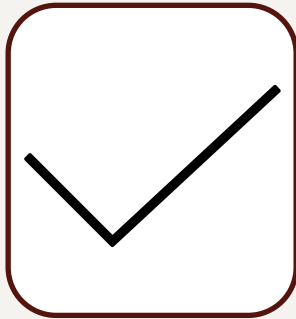
Fiscal Impact

- Leverages an existing clinical contracting relationship through Department of Human Services to overlay new project
- This ordinance authorizes an amendment to the Interlocal Agreement with Southwest Texas Regional Advisory Council (STRAC) in the amount of \$1,670,546.00 for the period of January 2022 to September 2023.
- Funds are available as follows:
 - \$1,159,620.00 is available from the General Fund Metro Health Budget and prior year carryforward for the FY 2022 (January 2022 to September 2023).
 - \$510,926.00 is subject to City Council approval as part of the FY 2023 Budget.



Recommendation

Staff Recommendation



STAFF RECOMMENDS
APPROVAL