

THIS IS A PROPOSED DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FINAL, SIGNED ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.

AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION TO AND ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$900,000.00 FOR AN AWARD TO IMPROVE HEALTH, PREVENT CHRONIC DISEASES AND REDUCE HEALTH DISPARITIES AMONG RACIAL AND ETHNIC POPULATIONS FOR 12 MONTHS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 29, 2018 AND AUTHORIZING A PERSONNEL COMPLEMENT.

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WHEREAS, chronic diseases are the leading causes of death and disability in the United States, largely driven by preventable health behaviors; and

WHEREAS, health behaviors such as tobacco use, poor nutrition and physical inactivity, are linked to chronic conditions, premature death and disability; and

WHEREAS, chronic disease and their outcomes disproportionately impact racial and ethnic populations including African Americans/Blacks, Hispanic/Latino Americans, Asian American, Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islanders, American Indians and Alaska Natives; and

WHEREAS, the Racial and Ethnic Approaches to Community Health (REACH) grant aims to improve health, prevent chronic diseases, and reduce health disparities among racial and ethnic populations with the highest risk by supporting culturally tailored interventions to address the preventable health behaviors of tobacco use, poor nutrition and physical inactivity by strengthening collaboration with our Healthy Neighborhoods Program and the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District (Metro Health) Office of Health Equity; and

WHEREAS, Metro Health requests City Council authorize the submission of grant documents to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the acceptance of funds upon award in an amount not to exceed \$900,000.00 for the REACH grant; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager or her designee or the Director of the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District or her designee is hereby authorized to submit an application to and accept funds from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in an amount not to exceed \$900,000.00 for an award to improve health, prevent chronic diseases and reduce health disparities among racial and ethnic populations for 12 months beginning September 29, 2018. A copy of said grant application which is incorporated herein for all purposes is on file with the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District.

SECTION 2. [FINANCIAL LANGUAGE PENDING]

SECTION 3. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance 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 ____ day ____.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney