

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

**AN ORDINANCE**

**AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF FOUR DONATIONS FROM THE SOUTHWEST TEXAS REGIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR TRAUMA (STRAC) IN AN AGGREGATE AMOUNT UP TO \$1,410,179, TO BE USED BY THE MOBILE INTEGRATED HEALTHCARE (MIH) UNIT OF THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) DIVISION OF THE SAN ANTONIO FIRE DEPARTMENT (SAFD) FOR PROGRAMS RELATED TO MENTAL AND PHYSICAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF CITIZENS AND RESIDENTS; APPROVING A ONE YEAR AGREEMENT WITH STRAC UNDER WHICH THE SAFD EMS DIVISION WILL PROVIDE MIH SERVICES TO PATIENTS IN SAN ANTONIO WHO ARE RECEIVING HOSPICE CARE FROM ONE OF FIVE ENTITIES THAT CONTRACT WITH STRAC, IN EXCHANGE FOR PAYMENT TO THE CITY BY STRAC OF UP TO \$500,000; AND APPROVING PROGRAM BUDGETS FOR THE DONATIONS AND THE AGREEMENT.**

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**WHEREAS**, the Southwest Texas Regional Advisory Council for Trauma (STRAC) has informed the San Antonio Fire Department (SAFD) of its intention to donate funds in an amount up to \$1,410,179, to be used by the Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH) Unit of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Division of SAFD, to be used in connection with the following programs:

- A. The sum of \$470,111 to help improve the outcomes of citizens who have suffered narcotic overdose, to be used for: salary and benefits; education and training by connecting individuals identified as suffering from opioid withdrawal by facilitating with infield induction of Suboxone (or alternative medications); engagement into rehabilitation services; and Mobile Integrated Healthcare support in collaboration with local practitioners;
- B. The sum of \$319,167 to help improve the outcomes of citizens who have suffered narcotic overdose, to be used to: focus on connecting individuals identified as being at high risk for overdose with induction and engagement into rehabilitation services; MIH support in collaboration with local practitioners; fund MIH paramedics to visit patients at their homes or at the hospital the day after the patient received a dose of Narcan from SAFD to educate the patient regarding the use of Narcan, clean needles, risks of continued drug use and available options; and to provide CPR training to the family as well as Narcan delivery training;

- C. The sum of \$301,127 to be used for personnel costs and equipment to help improve the health and daily activities of citizens utilizing services at Haven For Hope and reduce admissions and/or readmissions to hospital emergency rooms; and
- D. The sum of \$319,774 to be used for equipment and to help improve outpatient services of residents who are repeatedly emergency detained by law enforcement officers and taken to local hospitals due to mental illness; and

**WHEREAS**, the donated funds for A, B, and C above will be used during the period beginning October 1, 2020 and ending September 30, 2021, and the donated funds for D above will be used during the period January 1m 2021 and ending December 31, 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, no cash or in-kind matching contributions are required in connection with any of these donations; and

**WHEREAS**, STRAC has also approached the City about entering into an agreement under which the SAFD EMS Division would provide MIH services to patients in San Antonio who are receiving hospice care from one of five entities that contracts with STRAC, in exchange for payment to the City by STRAC of up to \$500,000, for a term of one year beginning October 1, 2020 and ending September 30, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the provision of the MIH services to these patients would help improve their health, comfort and well-being by providing skilled patient care in the home setting; educating the patient, his/her family and his/her caregivers; coordinating with the patient's hospice provider; and reducing admissions to emergency rooms and EMS trips to those emergency rooms; and

**WHEREAS**, City Staff is recommending that the City enter into an agreement with STRAC as described above; and

**WHEREAS**, following due review, consideration, deliberation, and discussion of the matter by the City Council, the City Council has concluded that the City Staff recommendation should be accepted and that such agreement should be approved; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

**SECTION 1.** The donation by STRAC to the City in an amount up to \$1,410,179, to be used by the Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH) Unit of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Division of SAFD, for the purposes set out in A, B, C, and D above, is hereby accepted.

**SECTION 2.** Copies of letters from STRAC to SAFD regarding each of these donations and setting forth certain specifics regarding the use of those donated funds are attached hereto as **Attachment 1** and made a part hereof for all purposes. The City Manager or his designee, or the Fire Chief or his designee, are each hereby authorized to execute any and all additional documents necessary to effectuate and evidence the acceptance of each of these donations and/or perform the programs for which the funds will be used, without further action by the City Council.

**SECTION 3.** The City Manager or his designee, or the Chief of the San Antonio Fire Department or his designee is hereby authorized to accept funds in an amount up to \$470,111.00 to be used by the Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH) Unit of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Division of SAFD, to help improve the outcomes of citizens who have suffered narcotic overdose

**SECTION 4.** That certain *Agreement For Provision of Mobile Integrated Health Services* (“Agreement”) between the City and STRAC, pursuant to which the SAFD EMS Division will provide MIH services to patients in San Antonio who are receiving hospice care from one of five entities that contract with STRAC, in exchange for payment to the City by STRAC of up to \$500,000, for a term of one year beginning October 1, 2020 and ending September 30, 2021, is hereby approved. A copy of the Agreement is attached hereto as **Attachment 2** and is incorporated herein by reference for all purposes.

**SECTION 5.** The City Manager and his designee and/or the Fire Chief and his designee are hereby authorized to execute the Agreement substantially in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in **Exhibit 2**.

**SECTION 6.** Funds generated in connection with the Agreement will be deposited into Fund 11001000, Internal Order 220000000001 and General Ledger 4404178.

**SECTION 7.** Funds generated in connection with the donation identified in A above will be deposited into Fund 2982000 Internal Order 820000001057 and General Ledger Account 4404178.

**SECTION 8.** Fund 29820001 and internal order 820000001055 are hereby designated for use in the accounting for the fiscal transaction in the acceptance of the donation identified in B above. The sum of \$319,167.00 from the STRAC will be appropriated in said fund. A formal final budget will be provided upon acceptance of funds.

**SECTION 9.** Fund 29820000 and internal order 820000000024 are hereby designated for use in the accounting for the fiscal transaction in the acceptance of the donation identified in C above. The sum of \$301,127.00 from the STRAC will be appropriated in said fund. A formal final budget will be provided upon acceptance of funds.

**SECTION 10.** Fund 29820001 and internal order 820000001051 are hereby designated for use in the accounting for the fiscal transaction in the acceptance of the donation identified in D above. The sum of \$319,774.00 from the STRAC will be appropriated in said fund. A formal final budget will be provided upon acceptance of funds.

**SECTION 11.** The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer (“DCFO”), City of San Antonio. The DCFO 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.

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**SECTION 12.** 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 of \_\_\_\_, 2020.

**M A Y O R**  
Ron Nirenberg

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Tina J. Flores, City Clerk

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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney

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