

**AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT TO USE FUNDS**  
**of the City of San Antonio**

**THIS** Amendment to the Agreement to Use Funds is entered into by and between the City of San Antonio, a Texas Municipal Corporation (City) acting by and through its City Manager or designee, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2015-\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_ passed and approved on \_\_\_\_\_, 2015, and the Southwest Texas Regional Advisory Council (hereinafter referred to as STRAC, or Recipient) by and through its Executive Director, **WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, on November 13, 2014, City Council through ordinance 2014-11-13-0920 approved an Agreement to provide funds from the State of Texas to STRAC for the purchase of a license for Visual DX diagnostic and training tool and that STRAC should further provide training to area physicians and medical responders in the use of the diagnostic tool; and

**WHEREAS**, City Council determined that such expenditure served a municipal public purpose in that it would benefit the City's public health and safety; and

**WHEREAS**, the City now wishes to amend the Agreement to provide STRAC additional State of Texas funds in the amount of \$7,500.00 which along with additional funding by all forty nine regional hospitals located in the Department of State Health Services' (DSHS) Trauma Service Area P which includes 22 counties ("regional hospitals") and local agencies, will provide for the purchase of an EverBridge License used to notify medical staff in an emergency event and maintenance of services related to public health emergency preparedness: **NOW THEREFORE:**

For and in consideration of the following mutual promises and obligations, and for the benefit of the citizens of the City of San Antonio, the parties herein agree as follows:

City and STRAC agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. Section 2 is amended by replacing the entirety of the section with the following:
2. In consideration of Recipient's performance, in a satisfactory and efficient manner as determined by City, of all services and activities set forth in this Agreement, City agrees to reimburse Recipient in an amount not to exceed \$37,500.00, for the purchase of a license for the Visual Dx diagnostic and training tool from Logical Images Inc. and an EverBridge License used to notify medical staff of an emergency event simultaneously.

Recipient shall further:

- a. Provide web-based Visual Dx software to all Bexar County hospitals and physicians via the Bexar County Medical Society (BCMS);
- b. Train physicians and medical responders on how to utilize Visual Dx to rapidly identify and diagnose patients that present themselves to hospital emergency departments and physician offices;
- c. Expand the availability and training related to Visual Dx to all Bexar County physicians via the BCMS;
- d. Provide a Seat at the Regional Medical Operation Center (RMOC) to include maintenance of IT Equipment, furniture, and supplies to be shared among all of public health (regional and local) as well as the regional hospitals via STRAC;

- e. Provide compliance assistance with Texas Joint Commission requirements for All-Hazards exercises and Hazard Vulnerability Assessment (HVA) reviews;
- f. Provide STRAC-ID for all physicians affiliated with regional hospitals;
- g. Participate in at least one Full Scale Exercise to meet Hospital Planning and Preparedness/Public Health Emergency Preparedness (HPP/PHEP) exercise requirements;
- h. Provide Mobile Satellite Phone/Radio service for Metro Health, DSHS Region 8, Emergency Management (City of San Antonio/Bexar County) and regional hospitals;
- i. Maintain operation of a central node (MEDCOM Communication Center) for all requests for assistance and ability to rapidly dispatch Ambuses, helicopters (AirLife), and disaster response team assets 24 hours a day;
- j. Provide coordination of meetings with other Preparedness/Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Representatives from the community and best practices sharing;
- k. Provide access to subject matter expertise in a wide array of healthcare preparedness and incident management issues in order to coordinate consultative services and to identify Medical Specialist Physicians from the regional hospitals during emergency responses via the RMOC.

2. All other terms, conditions, covenants and provisions of the Agreement are hereby continued and shall remain in effect in their original form, except for the provisions modified by this Amendment.

**IN WITNESS OF WHICH** this Agreement has been executed on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

**CITY OF SAN ANTONIO**

**SOUTHWEST TEXAS REGIONAL  
ADVISORY COUNCIL**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Thomas Schlenker, M.D., MPH  
Director

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Eric Epley  
Director

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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City Attorney