



CITY OF SAN ANTONIO
METROPOLITAN HEALTH DISTRICT

Zika Preparedness & Prevention Grant

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Agenda Item #29

June 21, 2018



Background

- Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP)
 - Oversees funding for local Zika preparedness and response
- Funds for Zika preparedness and response
 - Supports three positions





Background

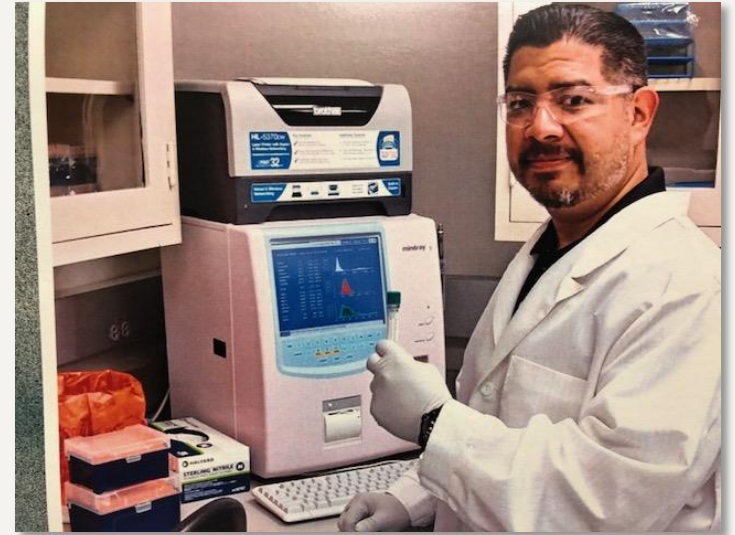
- Zika virus locally
 - 2015: First Texas case reported
 - 2016: First case of local transmission
 - in Texas (Cameron County)
 - 2017: Four Bexar County cases
 - all travel related





Background

- Expansion of current efforts
 - Case investigations
 - Rapid testing
 - Public education and awareness
 - Vector Control
 - Multi-agency response
 - Connect families to resources





Fiscal Impact

- Additional funding in the amount of \$121,695.00 for a total award amount of \$848,687.00, for a term ending July 31, 2019
- Funds the current personnel complement of three positions
- There is no impact to the General Fund in the form of a cash match



Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of the acceptance of additional funds in the amount of \$121,695.00 for a total award amount of \$848,687.00 for Public Health Emergency Preparedness, specifically for Zika preparedness and response activities, and authorization of a current personnel complement of three positions