

AN ORDINANCE 2015-09-03-0736

**AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS FROM THE
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY IN AN AMOUNT
NOT TO EXCEED \$20,000.00 FOR LABORATORY
INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORT OF THE SAN ANTONIO
METROPOLITAN HEALTH DISTRICT'S BIOWATCH
PROGRAM.**

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WHEREAS, the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District's (Metro Health) laboratory services branch provides analytical support for various public health programs; and

WHEREAS, the laboratory is host to the BioWatch Program and provides the infrastructure support for testing activities under the Branch Laboratory Director; and

WHEREAS, the laboratory as a whole is comprised of several testing areas that are designed to serve a variety of functions, customers and regulatory agencies in a 29-county region which includes San Antonio and Bexar County; and

WHEREAS, the laboratory structure is divided by the following regulatory programs and functions: consumer microbiology and testing, infectious disease surveillance, bioterrorism/influenza surveillance, rabies analysis and food surveillance; and

WHEREAS, this funding opportunity will provide additional laboratory infrastructure support for BioWatch Program activities; **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 his designee is authorized to accept grant funds from the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00 for laboratory infrastructure support of the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District's BioWatch Program.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or her designee or the Director of the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District or his designee is further authorized to execute any and all necessary documents to effectuate said acceptance of funds.

SECTION 3. The Fund and Internal Order Number assigned to "BioWatch Lab Tech Support 2016" shall be designated for use in the accounting for the fiscal transactions upon approval of City Council and the sum of \$20,000.00 from the Department of Homeland Security will be appropriated in said fund upon award.

SECTION 4. Upon approval of this ordinance, the proposed budget which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Attachment I** is approved and adopted for entry in the City books. A formal final budget which will include Internal Order numbers and General Ledger numbers will be submitted by the department upon award.

SECTION 5. 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.

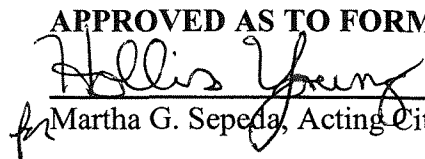
SECTION 6. This ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 3rd day of September, 2015.


M A Y O R
Ivy R. Taylor

ATTEST:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

for Martha G. Sepeda, Acting City Attorney

Agenda Item:	8 (in consent vote: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20)						
Date:	09/03/2015						
Time:	09:20:53 AM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	An Ordinance authorizing the acceptance of funds from the Department of Homeland Security in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00 for laboratory infrastructure support of the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District's BioWatch Program. [Erik Walsh, Deputy City Manager; Dr. Vincent Nathan, Interim Director, Health]						
Result:	Passed						
Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Ivy R. Taylor	Mayor		x				
Roberto C. Treviño	District 1		x				x
Alan Warrick	District 2		x				
Rebecca Viagran	District 3		x				
Rey Saldaña	District 4	x					
Shirley Gonzales	District 5		x				
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				
Cris Medina	District 7		x				
Ron Nirenberg	District 8		x				
Joe Krier	District 9		x				
Michael Gallagher	District 10		x			x	

