

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

**ORDINANCE**

**APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT WITH THE SOUTH TEXAS BLOOD AND TISSUE CENTER TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE WHOLE BLOOD FOR THE SAN ANTONIO FIRE DEPARTMENT TO ADMINISTER TO PATIENTS IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS EXTENDING THE TERM THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND ADDING OPTIONS TO EXTEND FOR TWO ADDITIONAL, ONE YEAR PERIODS FOR AN ESTIMATED ANNUAL COST OF \$100,000.00. FUNDING FOR FY 2019 IS AVAILABLE IN THE FY 2019 GENERAL FUND BUDGET WITH ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR FUTURE FISCAL YEARS SUBJECT TO THE APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS.**

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**WHEREAS**, in September 2018, the City entered into an agreement with the South Texas Blood and Tissue Center (STBTC) in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 to provide blood to the San Antonio Fire Department (SAFD) to implement a new whole blood program; and

**WHEREAS**, under this agreement SAFD purchases pints of blood which are carried by Medic Officers and the Medical Special Operations Unit to administer to trauma patients in certain situations and as needed to increase the patient's change of survival; and

**WHEREAS**, the Texas Local Government Code indicates that competitive bidding is not required under section 252.022(a)(2), which provides for a procurement necessary to protect the public health or safety, and section 252.022(a)(7)(A), which provides for any items that are available only from a sole source of supply; and

**WHEREAS**, this ordinance will approve extending the contract through September 30, 2022, with the option for the City to renew for two additional, one year periods for an estimated cost of \$100,000.00 annually; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

**SECTION 1.** The City Manager, or designee, is authorized to execute an amendment to the agreement with the South Texas Blood and Tissue Center which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Exhibit I**.

**SECTION 2.** Funds will be encumbered upon issuance of purchase orders, and payment is authorized to the South Texas Blood and Tissue Center to provide whole blood to the San Antonio Fire to administer to patients. All expenditures will be in accordance with the Fiscal Year 2019 budget, and such other appropriations necessary to fund the contracts through their terms as evidenced by subsequent ordinances.

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**SECTION 3.** This ordinance is effective immediately upon passage by eight affirmative votes; otherwise it is effective on the tenth day after passage.

**PASSED and APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

**M A Y O R**  
Ron Nirenberg

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney