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AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH QUALITY RESPONSE MEDICAL STAFFING, LLC FOR THE PROVISION OF PROFESSIONAL HEALTHCARE SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT UP TO \$50,000.00 FOR A TERM ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, WITH THE OPTION TO RENEW FOR TWO (2) ONE (1) YEAR TERMS.

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WHEREAS, the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District (Metro Health) is engaged in a variety of programs that require professional medical services; and

WHEREAS, the STD and HIV Prevention and Control Program provides evaluation and diagnosis of sexually-transmitted disease (STD) infections, treatment and counseling for most STDs, and referrals to a primary care provider for infections requiring ongoing medical care; and

WHEREAS, these services are provided to residents of San Antonio and Bexar County and to those who have no other means of obtaining STD services; and

WHEREAS, the onsite preventive care and supervision of a nurse practitioner/physician assistant is needed to examine, diagnose, and treat patients in the daily operations of the STD/HIV program clinic that is vital to the health of the community; and

WHEREAS, a Request for Proposal (RFP) was issued on June 22, 2019, to select a qualified Public Health Nurse Practitioner or Physician Assistant, to provide preventative medical care Metro Health's STD and HIV Prevention and Control Program; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends approval of an agreement with Quality Response Medical Staffing, LLC to perform preventative medical care for Metro Health's STD/HIV Prevention and Control Program for a one (1) year term with the option to renew for two (2) one (1) year terms; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager or designee, or the Director of the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District or designee, is authorized to execute an agreement with Quality Response Medical Staffing, LLC for the provision of professional healthcare services in an amount up to \$50,000.00, for a term ending September 30, 2020, with the option to renew for two (2) one (1) year terms. A copy of the agreement in substantially final form is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Attachment I**.

SECTION 2. Payment not to exceed the budgeted amount is authorized to Quality Response Medical Staffing, LLC, to perform preventative medical care, as would fall within the scope of practice for a Public Health Nurse Practitioner or Physician Assistant, under the general supervision of Metro Health's Medical Director for the STD/HIV Program.

SECTION 3. 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 General Ledger Accounts, as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. 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 _____.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney