

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

**AN ORDINANCE**

**APPROVING ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$268,670.00 FROM THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS - HOMELESS HOUSING AND SERVICES PROGRAM (HHSP) AND CONTRACTS WITH ROY MAAS YOUTH ALTERNATIVES, THRIVE YOUTH CENTER AND ALAMO COLLEGES DISTRICT TO ADDRESS YOUTH HOMELESSNESS.**

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**WHEREAS**, the City of San Antonio has been awarded \$268,670.00 from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) - Homeless Housing and Services Program (HHSP) to address youth homelessness within the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the award opportunity is a result of the Texas Legislature approving an increase in funding of \$3,000,000 over the 2020-2021 biennium (\$1,500,000 a year) to address youth homelessness across the state; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of San Antonio is one of eight Texas cities to be awarded the funds, which must be expensed by August 31, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the State's proposed funding amount for San Antonio is \$268,670.00, which would be an addition to the \$877,656.00 general set-aside allocation which is currently designated to Haven for Hope to serve individuals and families experiencing homelessness; and

**WHEREAS**, the primary focal areas for the HHSP Youth Set-Aside funds include case management, street outreach, emergency shelter and transitional living for unaccompanied homeless youth and homeless young adults 24 years of age and younger; and

**WHEREAS**, all proposed projects will be incorporated into the City's Homeless Strategic Plan and the Community Plan to Address Youth Homelessness which would help leverage the \$6.88 Million HUD Youth Homeless Demonstration Program (YHDP) grant which is being managed by SARAH; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

**SECTION 1.** Acceptance of grant funds in the amount of \$268,670.00 from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for the Homeless Housing and Services Program (HHSP) is hereby authorized.

**SECTION 2.** The City Manager or designee, or the Director of the Department of Human Services or designee, is authorized to execute any and all necessary documents related to the acceptance of the grants funds referenced in **Section 1** of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 3.** The following actions are approved, and the City Manager or designee, or the Director of the Department of Human Services or her designee, is further authorized to execute grant contract amendments pertaining to this grant when approved by the grantor to effectuate the following: a) carry-over of funds; b) line item budget revisions; c) no cost grant term extensions; d) acceptance of supplemental grant funds in a cumulative amount up to 20% of the total amount initially awarded so long as matching funds, if applicable, are available in the City's budget (an increase in personnel complement not authorized under this circumstance); e) modifications to the performance measures so long as the terms stay within the general parameters of the intent of the grant; and f) changes in applicable grant regulations.

**SECTION 4.** The City Manager, or designee, or the Director of the Department of Human Services (DHS), or designee, is hereby authorized to execute contracts and contract amendments with Thrive Youth Center in the amount of \$50,000, with Roy Maas' Youth Alternatives, Inc. in the amount of \$168,670 and with Alamo Colleges District in the amount \$50,000 for services to youth experiencing or at risk of homelessness, for a period through August 31, 2020. A copy of the contracts or contract amendments, in substantially final form, are attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Attachments I, II and III, respectively.**

**SECTION 5.** Upon approval, a new fund and internal order will be created and designated for the use in the accounting for the fiscal transaction in the acceptance of these funds. Upon acceptance, the sum of up to \$268,670.00 will be appropriated in said fund and internal order. A formal budget will be provided upon acceptance of funds.

**SECTION 6.** The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Deputy Chief Financial Officer may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific Cost Centers, WBS Elements, Internal Orders, General Ledger Accounts, and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 7.** 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:**

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Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney