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**Title:** To authorize the Franklin County Municipal Court Judges, through the Administrative and Presiding Judge, to contract with Alvis House to provide a work release program as an alternative for incarceration consistent with public safety; authorize the expenditure of up to an amount not to exceed \$141,872.00 from the Court's governmental grant fund; and to declare an emergency. (\$141,872.00)

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**BACKGROUND:**

The Municipal Court Judges have been provided funding from the State of Ohio, Department of Rehabilitation and Correction, in order to continue a work release program with Alvis House. This legislation authorizes the Franklin County Municipal Court Judges to enter into contract with the Alvis House and authorizes the expenditure for the purpose of providing work release. This is to provide alternatives for incarceration consistent with public safety in the Franklin County Municipal Court. In 2009, the State of Ohio provided the necessary monies to start the program.

**EMERGENCY ACTION** is requested in order to have a contract in place with Alvis House as soon as possible.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** This expenditure will be solely funded by the grant.

Contract Compliance Number - 31-0743167

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**WHEREAS**, it is in the city's best interest that the Franklin County Municipal Court receive support for an enhanced probationary service for offenders; and

**WHEREAS**, funds in an amount up to an amount not to exceed \$141,872.00 is budgeted within the Franklin County Municipal Court Judges governmental grants for this contractual agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, an emergency exists in the usual daily operation of the Franklin County Municipal Court Judges in that it is immediately necessary to authorize a contract and associated expenditures with the Alvis House in order to assure the start of the work release program, thereby preserving the public peace, property, health, safety, and welfare; Now, Therefore

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS**

**SECTION 1.** That the Administrative and Presiding Judge of the Franklin County Municipal Court be and hereby is authorized and directed to contract with the Alvis House to provide work release to persons in the Franklin County Municipal Court when consistent with public safety, in accordance with the following:

A. That the period of said contract shall commence July 1, 2010 and terminate June 30, 2011.

**SECTION 2.** That up to an amount not to exceed the sum of \$141,872.00 be and hereby is authorized to be expended from the Franklin County Municipal Court, department 2501, fund 220, grant number 251006, oca 251006 as follows \$141,872.00 to object level 1 - 03, object level 3 - 3336

**SECTION 3.** That for the reason stated in the preamble hereto, which is hereby made a part hereof, this ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, or ten days after passage if the Mayor neither proves nor vetoes the same.