

Legislation Text

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Background:

This ordinance will authorize the Director of Recreation and Parks to enter into a contract with LifeCare Alliance in connection with the Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program.

This program will provide vouchers for seniors to redeem with local organized markets including the North Market in various Central Ohio counties.

Approximately 4,000 individuals are expected to receive vouchers.

Emergency action is requested so that the program can be implemented by March 1, 2011 in accordance with grant conditions.

This ordinance is contingent upon the passage of the appropriation ordinance (0196-2011).

Fiscal Impact:

\$202,150.00 is required from the Recreation and Parks Grant fund.

Contract Compliance: 31-4379494 (NPO)

To authorize and direct the Director of Recreation and Parks to enter into a contract with LifeCare Alliance for the Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program; to authorize the expenditure of up to \$202,150.00 from the Recreation and Parks Grant Fund; and to declare an emergency. (\$202,150.00)

Whereas, federal and state funding for the Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program was awarded to the Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging from the Ohio Department of Aging; and

Whereas, an emergency exists in the usual daily operation of the Recreation and Parks Department in that it is immediately necessary to enter into said contract as services need to be implemented by March 1, 2011, thereby preserving the public health, peace, property, safety, and welfare; NOW, THEREFORE

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

Section 1. That the Director of Recreation and Parks be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract in the amount of up to \$202,150.00 with LifeCare Alliance for the Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program for the period March 1, 2011 through October 31, 2011.

Section 2. That the expenditure of \$202,150.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby authorized from Recreation and Parks Grant Fund No. 286, Department No. 51, Object Level Three, 3337 to pay the cost thereof as follows:

Grant Title: Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program Project No.: 518309 OCA: 518309 Amount: \$193.000.00

Grant Title: State Block Grant Project No.: 518315 OCA: 514539 Amount: \$9,150.00

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Total: \$202,150.00

Section 3. That the City Auditor is authorized to make any accounting changes to revise the funding source for all contracts or contract modifications associated with this legislation.

Section 4. That for the reasons stated in the preamble hereto, which is hereby made a part hereof, this Ordinance is hereby 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 10 days after passage if the Mayor neither approves nor vetoes the same.