

Legislation Text

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**BACKGROUND:** Contract No. EL006999 authorized the expenditure of \$55,000 to Grant/ Riverside Methodist Hospitals (Ohio Health Corporation) to provide laboratory testing services for the Ben Franklin Tuberculosis Clinic. There has been an increase in demand for these services and additional funds are needed to allow for continued services. Changes to the current contract will be in Compensation. The cost of the modification for these additional services will not exceed \$25,000 for a total contract cost of \$80,000.

Grant/Riverside's Contract Compliance number is 314394942. Grant/Riverside (Ohio Health Corporation) is a nonprofit organization and is therefore exempt from certification.

Emergency action is requested in order to avoid a delay in providing client services.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Funding for this contract modification is budgeted in the 2007 Health Department Grants Fund.

To authorize the Board of Health to modify and increase a contract with Grant/Riverside Methodist Hospitals (Ohio Health Corporation) to provide laboratory testing services for the Ben Franklin Tuberculosis Clinic, to authorize the expenditure of \$25,000 from the Health Department Grants Fund to pay the cost thereof, and to declare an emergency. (\$25,000)

**WHEREAS,** Contract No. EL006999 authorized the expenditure of \$55,000 to Grant/Riverside Methodist Hospitals (Ohio Health Corporation) to provide laboratory testing services for the Ben Franklin Tuberculosis Clinic; and,

WHEREAS, additional work is needed to continue these services through December 31, 2007; and,

WHEREAS, an emergency exists in the usual daily operation of the Health Department in that it is immediately necessary to modify and increase said contract with Grant/Riverside Methodist Hospitals (Ohio Health Corporation) for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, property, safety and welfare, and to avoid any delay in client services; Now, therefore,

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

**SECTION 1.** That the Board of Health is hereby authorized and directed to modify Contract No. EL006999 to Grant/Riverside Methodist Hospitals (Ohio Health Corporation) to provide laboratory testing services for the Ben Franklin TB Clinic, in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.

**SECTION 2.** That the expenditure of \$25,000 is hereby authorized from the Health Department Grants Fund, Fund No. 251, Department of Health, Department No. 50-01, Grant Code 504055, OCA Code 504055, Object Level One 03, Object Level Three 3408.

**SECTION 3.** That the City Auditor is authorized to make any accounting changes necessary to ensure that this contract is properly accounted for and recorded accurately on the City's financial records.

**SECTION 4.** That for 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 ten days

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after passage if the Mayor neither approves nor vetoes the same.