

# City of Columbus

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## Legislation Text

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Columbus Public Health has been awarded additional funding from InHealth Mutual for the Minority Health Local Conversations Grant Program. This ordinance is needed to accept the additional funding of \$1,000.00 in grant monies for the Minority Health Local Conversations Grant Program for the period of January 1, 2016 through June 30, 2016.

The Minority Health Grant Program enables Columbus Public Health to work to eliminate differences in health status between racial and ethnic minority and non-minority populations by providing leadership and guidance on best ways to address racial and ethnic health disparities and specific health needs of racial and ethnic minority groups. The purpose of the Local Conversations Grant Program is to host community forums in the City in order to continue to develop our Minority Health Program. In total, the Office of Minority Health at Columbus Public Health expects to reach a total of 100 community members through the hosted forums, specifically members from the following population groups: Bhutanese Nepali, Latino, Somali, and African American.

This ordinance is submitted as an emergency so delay in service does not occur since the grant started January 1, 2016.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The Minority Health Local Conversations Grant Program is partially funded by the Ohio Commission on Minority Health and requires a City match that is budgeted in Health's Operating Fund, Fund No. 2250.

To authorize and direct the Board of Health to accept additional funding from InHealth Mutual in the amount of \$1,000.00; to authorize the appropriation of \$1,000.00 to the Health Department in the Health Department Grants Fund; and to declare an emergency. (\$1,000.00)

WHEREAS, additional grant funding has been made available from InHealth Mutual; and,

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the Board the Health to accept \$1,000.00 in additional grant funds that have been made available through InHealth Mutual for the Minority Health Local Conversations Grant Program for the period of January 1, 2016, through June 30, 2016, and to appropriate these monies to the Health Department; and,

WHEARES, this ordinance is submitted as an emergency so delay of service does not occur since the grant started January 1, 2016; and,

WHEREAS, an emergency exists in the usual daily operation of Columbus Public Health in that it is immediately necessary to accept these additional grant funds from InHealth Mutual to avoid any delay of services and to appropriate these funds to the Health Department for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, property, safety, and welfare; 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 accept additional funding of \$1,000.00 from InHealth Mutual for the Minority Health Local Conversations Grant Program for the period of January 1, 2016, through June 30, 2016.

**SECTION 2.** That from the unappropriated monies in the Health Department Grant Fund, Fund No. 2251, and from all

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monies estimated to come into said fund from any and all sources during the one month ending June 30, 2016, the sum of \$1,000.00 is hereby appropriated to the Health Department, Division No. 5001, as follows:

### 2016 Minority Health Local Conversations Program

Object

Class & Purpose	Main Account	Program	Project No.	Section 3	Sect. 4	Sect. 5 Amount	
02 - Materials-Operation & Maint	t. 62010	HE003	G501541	500108	HE15	n/a	\$1,000.00
		Tota	Total for Project No. G501541			\$1,000.00	

- **SECTION 3.** That the monies appropriated in the foregoing Section 2 shall be paid upon the order of the Health Commissioner, and that no order shall be drawn or money paid except by voucher, the form of which shall be approved by the City Auditor.
- **SECTION 4.** That at the end of the grant period, any repayment of unencumbered balances required by the grantor is hereby authorized and any unused City match monies may be transferred back to the City fund from which they originated in accordance with all applicable grant agreements.
- **SECTION 5.** That the funds necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance are hereby deemed appropriated, and the City Auditor shall establish such accounting codes as necessary.
- **SECTION 6.** 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 after passage if the Mayor neither approves nor vetoes the same.