BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

- **1. Title:** Authorizes the appropriation of the 2013-2014 funding for Shelter Plus Care-Housing First to provide 102 units of tenant based rental assistance for the Housing First project to help chronically homeless individuals with mental illnesses obtain and remain in housing. Based on the Letter of Intent, the award amount will total \$913,270 beginning April 1, 2013 through March 31, 2014. In order to ensure program continuity, DDHS is requesting an appropriation of \$228,317
- 2. Requesting Agency: Human Services
- 3. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance Name:Ron Mitchell Phone:720-944-2903 Email:Ron.Mitchell@denvergov.org
- 4. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance who will present the item at Mayor Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary

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5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who's involved

a. Scope of Work

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b. Duration

April 1, 2013 through March 31, 2014

c. Location

n/a

d. Affected Council District

n/a

e. Benefits

The Shelter Plus Care-Housing First program will provide 102 units of tenant-based rental assistance for those experiencing homelessness in addition to receiving supportive services to reinforce livelihood stability.

f. Costs

n/a

6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain. No.

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