

## ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION REQUEST

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**Date of Request: February 2, 2018**

**Please mark one:**       **Bill Request**                      or                       **Resolution Request**

**1. Has your agency submitted this request in the last 12 months?**

**Yes**                       **No**

**If yes, please explain:**      N/A

**2. Title:**

Authorizes a contract with La Raza Services, Inc. through contract control number SOCSV-2017-38562 in the amount of \$550,000 for the term January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

La Raza Services, Inc.  
3131 West 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Denver, CO 80204

**3. Requesting Agency:** Denver Human Services

**4. Contact Person:**

- **Name:** Janet Van Meter
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**5. Contact Person:** *(With actual knowledge of proposed resolution who will present the item at Mayor-Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary.)*

- **Name:** Leslie Domingo, Contract Administrator
- **Phone:** 720-944-2863
- **Email:** Janet.Vanmeter@denvergov.org

**6. General description of proposed resolution including contract scope of work if applicable:**

Authorizes a contract with La Raza Services, Inc. through contract control number SOCSV-2017-38562 in the amount of \$550,000 for the term January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018. La Raza Services, Inc. will work in conjunction with the Colorado Coalition for the Homeless and the Urban League of Metropolitan Denver to implement and operate the Transition from Jail-to-Community (TJC) program. The goal of this program is to reduce recidivism in Denver County through community collaboration that promotes access to services, resources and supportive relationships to persons prior to release from detention or jail continued through reentry and transition into the community. Please see the Key Contract Terms for details of the Scope of Services and Performance bench marks.

- a. **Contract Control Number:** SOCSV 2017-38562
- b. **Duration:** 1/1/2018 – 12/31/2018
- c. **Location:** Denver, Colorado
- d. **Affected Council District:** All Districts
- e. **Benefits:** The TJC program utilizes best practice methods to reduce recidivism or likelihood of a person returning to jail by improving stabilization upon returning to the community, and improving the quality of life for persons involved in the criminal justice system.
- f. **Costs:** \$550,000.00 (CPCC funding)

**7. Is there any controversy surrounding this resolution? Yes**

**Please explain.** One of the proposers questioned the RFP process.

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*To be completed by Mayor's Legislative Team:*

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