

BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

1. **Title:** Approves a first contract amendment, GE02192, with Mile High Business Alliance to add \$500,000 of the Better Buildings Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) funding to continue the existing rebate program as part of the larger Denver Energy Challenge.

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4. **Requesting Agency:** Environmental Health

5. **Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance***

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

a. Scope of Work

Current: The City and County of Denver (City) currently has allocated up to \$460,000 of its formula Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) funding for a rebate program targeting small businesses in Denver that have made energy-efficiency improvements to their facilities. Mile High Business Alliance (MHBA) assists the Denver Department of Environmental Health (DEH) with processing these rebates and issuing rebate payments to businesses. Amendment: DEH proposes to amend the contract to add \$500,000 of its Better Buildings Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) funding to continue the existing rebate program as part of the larger Denver Energy Challenge managed by DEH.

b. Duration

Current (11/15/2010 through 7/31/2012), requesting to extend through 5/30/2013.

c. Location

Citywide

d. Affected Council District

all

e. Benefits

Provides stimulus for the local economy in the form of financial incentives to Denver's businesses for energy saving efforts (which in turn provides even more financial savings to

business owners by reducing their utility bills) and also provides demand for jobs for local energy efficiency contractors.

f. Costs

Current: \$460,000 (Fees for Contractor = \$11,220, Rebates Distributed to Denver businesses = \$448,780)

Amend: Add \$500,000 (Fees for Contractor = \$19,231, Rebates Distributed to Denver businesses = \$480,769)

6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain.

No

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Date: <SubmitDate>