

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION REQUEST

Please email requests to the Mayor's Legislative Team
at MileHighOrdinance@DenverGov.org by 9 a.m. Friday. Contact the Mayor's Legislative team with questions

Date of Request: 5-11-2026

Please mark one: Bill Request or Resolution Request

Please mark one: The request directly impacts developments, projects, contracts, resolutions, or bills that involve property and impact within .5 miles of the South Platte River from Denver's northern to southern boundary? (Check map [HERE](#))

Yes No

1. Type of Request:

Contract/Grant Agreement Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) Rezoning/Text Amendment

Dedication/Vacation Appropriation/Supplemental DRMC Change

Other:

2. **Title:** (Start with *approves*, *amends*, *dedicates*, etc., include name of company or contractor and indicate the type of request: grant acceptance, contract execution, contract amendment, municipal code change, supplemental request, etc.)

Amends a contract with Advocates for Recovery Colorado by rolling over \$124,962.53 of unspent Y2 funds into the Y3 budget to expand its services to marginalized groups in Denver who are increasingly impacted by opioid misuse and overdose. No change to contract capacity or term, citywide (ENVHL-202370750/ENVHL-202683658-02).

3. **Requesting Agency:** Department of Public Health and Environment

4. Contact Person:

Contact person with knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution (e.g., subject matter expert)	Contact person for council members or mayor-council
Name: Marie Curran	Name: Alex Vidal
Email: marie.curran@denvergov.org	Email: alex.vidal@denvergov.org

5. **General description or background of proposed request. Attach executive summary if more space needed:**
(who, what, why)

Advocates for Recovery Colorado will be rolling funds from Year 1 budget to Year 2 budget. No additional time or additional funds are added to the existing contract. Advocates for Recovery will expand its services to marginalized groups in Denver who are increasingly impacted by opioid misuse and overdose, citywide. The Provider aims to reduce disparities in access to peer recovery support by providing an authentically inclusive community reflective of Denver's diversity. This includes investments in staff training, an equity audit of policies, procedures, and peer coach training materials, launch of a justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion advisory committee, and hiring of a director of inclusion and community outreach and a bilingual/bicultural peer coach to expand access and inclusion to the Denver community.

6. **City Attorney assigned to this request (if applicable):** Mitch Behr

7. **City Council District:** Citywide

8. ****For all contracts, fill out and submit accompanying Key Contract Terms worksheet****

To be completed by Mayor's Legislative Team:

Resolution/Bill Number: _____

Date Entered: _____

Key Contract Terms

Type of Contract: (e.g. Professional Services > \$500K; IGA/Grant Agreement, Sale or Lease of Real Property): Professional Services > \$500K

Vendor/Contractor Name (including any dba's): Advocates for Recovery Colorado

Contract control number (legacy and new):

ENVHL-202683658-02

ENVHL-202475906-01

ENVHL-202370750-00 (Legacy)

Location: 6981 FEDERAL BLVD, DENVER, Colorado, 80221

Is this a new contract? Yes No **Is this an Amendment?** Yes No **If yes, how many?** 02

Contract Term/Duration (for amended contracts, include existing term dates and amended dates):

1-01-2024 – 12-31-2026

Contract Amount (indicate existing amount, amended amount and new contract total): \$910,435.08

<i>Current Contract Amount</i> (A)	<i>Additional Funds</i> (B)	<i>Total Contract Amount</i> (A+B)
\$910,435.08	\$0	\$ 910,435.08

<i>Current Contract Term</i>	<i>Added Time</i>	<i>New Ending Date</i>
1/1/24 – 12/31/26	N/A	12/31/26

Scope of work: Advocates for Recovery Colorado will expand its services to marginalized groups in Denver who are increasingly impacted by opioid misuse and overdose, citywide. The Provider aims to reduce disparities in access to peer recovery support by providing an authentically inclusive community reflective of Denver's diversity. This includes investments in staff training, an equity audit of policies, procedures, and peer coach training materials, launch of a justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion advisory committee, and hiring of a director of inclusion and community outreach and a bilingual/bicultural peer coach to expand access and inclusion to the Denver community.

Was this contractor selected by competitive process? Yes, RFP

If not, why not?

Has this contractor provided these services to the City before? Yes No

Source of funds: Opioid Abatement Funds

Is this contract subject to: W/MBE DBE SBE XO101 ACDBE N/A

WBE/MBE/DBE commitments (construction, design, Airport concession contracts): N/A

Who are the subcontractors to this contract? N/A

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