

BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

1. Title: Accepts 2010-2011 funding for Shelter Plus Care in the amount of \$312,180 to provide 49 units of sponsor based rental assistance for the Durkin project to help chronically homeless individuals with mental illnesses obtain and remain in housing (GC01075).

2. Requesting Agency: Human Services

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

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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

This ordinance will authorize the acceptance of the 2010-2011 funding for Shelter Plus Care to provide 49 units of sponsor based rental assistance for the Durkin project to help chronically homeless individuals with mental illnesses obtain and remain in housing.

This is a 2nd consecutive year funding of \$312,180 that, when combined with the previous year \$301,812 Equals \$614,622 from the same program, same grantor in which a new contract and new funds have been awarded.

b. Duration

The current funding is for December 1, 2010 through November 30, 2011

The program has received at least 5 years of funding to date.

c. Location

Denver Human Services

d. Affected Council District

All Districts.

e. Benefits

The goals of the Shelter Plus Care Program and this contract are to increase residential stability and to increase skills and gain employment. The Outcomes associated with this contract are to ensure that 71% of the homeless participants will stay in housing for 6 months or longer. The second outcome is that 61.5% of homeless participants will move

from transitional housing to permanent housing. The third outcome is that 18% of homeless participants who are exiting the program will be employed.

f. Costs

Match Amount Required? No.

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

No.

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