

Agenda

Safety, Housing, Education & Homelessness Committee

Committee Members: Kniech, Chair; Kashmann, Vice-Chair; Flynn, Gilmore, Sandoval, Sawyer

Committee Staff: Luke Palmisano

Wednesday, August 31, 2022, 10:30 AM
City & County Building, Council Chambers, Room 450

Attendance

Action Items

22-1017 Approves a loan agreement with Elevation Community
Land Trust (ECLT) Morrison Condos, LLC for \$1,800,000
and with the loan conditions met on or before 6-22-2023
to support the planned affordable housing development
located at Morrison Road and South Perry Street in

Council District 3 (HOST-202264231).

Jennifer Balkcom, Housing Development Director

Approves a contract with Impact Charitable for \$2,000,000 and through 6-30-2024 to provide direct cash assistance as part of the Denver Basic Income Project to 140 women, transgendered and non-gender conforming individuals, and families experiencing homelessness, citywide (HOST-202263678).

Jennifer Biess, HOST Director of Data, Policy & Strategy

Consent Items

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- Amends a contract with the Colorado Coalition for the Homeless by adding \$1,654,324 for a new total of \$39,943,696 and six months for a new end date of 12-31-2022 to continue providing facility and personnel support for at least 280 hotel/motel rooms to serve people experiencing homelessness during the COVID-19 pandemic (HOST-202054331-00/ 202264339-04).
- Amends a contract with The Salvation Army by adding six months for a new end date of 12-31-2022 to continue providing 24-hour shelter operations and services support for congregate shelter and non-congregate activated respite and protective action hotel and motel rooms for people experiencing homelessness in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. No change to contract amount. (HOST-202054457-00/ 202263801-03).
- Approves a grant agreement with the Caring for Denver Foundation for \$2,814,120 and through 7-31-2023 for costs associated with the continuation of the Denver Police Department co-responder program in collaboration with the Mental Health Center of Denver (MHCD), doing business as WellPower, and expanding the program by adding 3 additional clinicians who will be placed with the Denver Fire Department and Denver Park Rangers, citywide (POLIC-202264537).

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Amends a contract with Mental Health Center of Denver (MHCD), doing business as WellPower, by adding \$2,172,109 for a new contract total of \$3,923,189 and 14 months for a new end date of 10-31-2023 to continue providing 24/7 coverage for the Denver Police Department Co-responder program in areas of highest need, and expanding the program by adding 3 additional clinicians who will be placed with the Denver Fire Department and Denver Park Rangers, as funded by a grant from Caring for Denver (POLIC-202262299-00/202264537).

Approves a grant agreement with the Colorado
Department of Public Safety, Division of Criminal Justice,
for \$13,571,797.90 and through 6-30-2023 for funding of
the fiscal year 2022-2023 Community Corrections
Program (SAFTY-202263708).