# 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: March 13, 2025**

**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 Colorado Nonprofit Development Center, doing business as Harm Reduction Action Center, to add $239,376.00 for a new total of $728,752.00 for syringe access services at 112 E 8th Avenue in Council District 10 and available to all residents, citywide. No change to contract term (ENVHL-202473486-00/ENVHL-202577957-01).

**3. Requesting Agency: Public Health & Environment (DDPHE)**

**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: Robert George, Cathleen Beaver | Name: Alex Vidal |
| Email: Robert.George2@denvergov.org; Cathleen.Beaver@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)

The contract supports the provision of life-saving harm reduction services, and supports efforts to improve health outcomes for people who use drugs (PWUD) in the City and County of Denver. Colorado Nonprofit Development Center dba Harm Reduction Action Center will purchase a building to continue providing these critical services for PWUD. DDPHE seeks to amend the existing contract with Colorado Nonprofit Development Center, doing business as Harm Reduction Action Center to continue the operation of its registered syringe access program in Denver. The contract covers personnel, supplies, operating expenses, and building purchase.

**6. City Attorney assigned to this request (if applicable):** Breena Meng

**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:*

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# Key Contract Terms

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

**Vendor/Contractor Name (including any dba's):** Colorado Nonprofit Development Center dba Harm Reduction Action Center

**Contract control number (legacy and new):** 202577957-01 (Original Contract Number: 202473486-00**)**

**Location:** 112 E. 8th Avenue, Denver, CO 80203

**Is this a new contract?** ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No** **Is this an Amendment?** ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No** **If yes, how many? _01____**

**Contract Term/Duration (for amended contracts, include existing term dates and amended dates):**
01/01/2024-09/30/2026

**Contract Amount (indicate existing amount, amended amount and new contract total):**

| ***Current Contract Amount (A)*** | ***Additional Funds (B)*** | ***Total Contract Amount (A+B)*** |
|---|---|---|
| $489,376.00 | $239,376.00 | $728,752.00 |

| ***Current Contract Term*** | ***Added Time*** | ***New Ending Date*** |
|---|---|---|
| 01/01/2024-09/30/2026 | No Change | No Change |

**Scope of work:**

Colorado Nonprofit Development Center dba Harm Reduction Action Center will provide the following services free of charge: sterile injection-related supplies, sterile pipes, naloxone kits, fentanyl/xylazine testing strips, education on safer practices and wound care; sharps disposal and education on safe disposal practices; overdose prevention education and naloxone distribution; HIV/STIs/HCV testing; referrals to social support and healthcare services such as case management, healthcare enrollment, mental health treatment, substance use treatment, food banks, behavioral health services, primary care, health education classes, HCV/HIV/STI treatment, hepatitis A and B vaccinations, pre-exposure prophylaxis, and wound care. The contractor will host tours of their space for medical/students, first responders, policy makers, law enforcement, and the general public to promote education and increased understanding of the needs of people who use drugs, which allows for stigma reduction. The contractor will participate in contract monitoring activities, developing key performance indicators, submitting process data to monitor performance, and participate in oversight activities. Colorado Nonprofit Development Center dba Harm Reduction Action Center will purchase a building to continue providing services for people who use drugs (PWUD).

Additional services may include education on legal rights under CRS 25-1-520 and 18-18- 428(1)(b) that encourages disclosure of possession of hypodermic syringes to first responders prior to a search; conducting syringe clean-up actions in and around neighbors where the facility is located; and participating in larger city-wide clean-up efforts.

**Was this contractor selected by competitive process?** Yes **If not, why not?** N/A

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

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**Source of funds:** City General Funds

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

**WBE/MBE/DBE commitments (construction, design, Airport concession contracts):** Not required at time of bid.

**Who are the subcontractors to this contract?** none

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