



Legislation Text

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**Contract Request Template (Contracts; IGAs; Leases)**

**Date Submitted:** 6-15-20

**Requesting Agency:** Department of Housing Stability  
**Division:**

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**Item Title & Description:**

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**A resolution approving a proposed Second Amendatory Agreement between the City and County of Denver and Northeast Denver Housing Center, Inc. to increase compensation and revise the program guidelines for the Temporary Rental and Utility Assistance (TRUA) Program.**

Amends a contract with Northeast Denver Housing Center, Inc. by adding \$300,000 for a new total of \$2,300,000 and revising program guidelines to remove the requirements for residents to pay a portion of the amount due; to live in the current residence for at least 60 days; and to create a sustainability plan for multiple months of assistance, for the administration of the Temporary Rental and Utility Assistance (TRUA) Program. No change to the contract duration (201846925-02; HOST202055063-02). The last regularly scheduled Council meeting within the 30-day review period is on 7-20-20. The Committee approved filing this item at its meeting on 6-24-20.

**Affected Council District(s) or citywide?** Citywide

**Contract Control Number:** 201846925-02; HOST202055063-02

**Vendor/Contractor Name (including any "DBA"):** Northeast Denver Housing Center Inc.

**Type and Scope of services to be performed:**

This amendment creates a \$2,300,000 contract between the Department of Housing Stability (HOST) and Northeast Denver Housing Center Inc. (NDHC) to administer the Temporary Rental and Utility Assistance (TRUA) Program. This contract adds \$300,000 to the existing contract amount of \$2,000,000 for a total amount of \$2,300,000. This amendment also revises program guidelines to remove the requirements for residents to pay a portion of the amount due; to live in the current residence for at least 60 days; and to create a sustainability plan for multiple months of assistance. NDHC will provide housing rental assistance and utility assistance to eligible households in the City and County of Denver. The program is designed to mitigate displacement by assisting low- and moderate-income residents experiencing a housing crisis maintain stability. TRUA may provide up to six months of rental assistance and/or up to two payments of utility assistance in a 24-month period to Denver households earning up to 80% of the area median income.

This \$2,300,000 contract is expected to serve approximately 1,000 unduplicated households by December 31, 2020.

**Location (if applicable):**

**WBE/MBE/DBE goals that were applied, if applicable (construction, design, Airport concession contracts):**

**Are WBE/MBE/DBE goals met (if applicable)?**

**Is the contract new/a renewal/extension or amendment?**

**Was this contractor selected by competitive process or sole source?**

**For New contracts**

**Term of initial contract:**

**Options for Renewal:**

**How many renewals (i.e. up to 2 renewals)?**

**Term of any renewals (i.e. 1 year each):**

**Cost of initial contract term:**

**Cost of any renewals:**

**Total contract value council is approving if all renewals exercised:**

**For Amendments/Renewals Extensions:**

**Is this a change to cost/pricing; length of term; terms unrelated to time or price (List all that apply)?**

***If length changing***

**What was the length of the term of the original contract?**

**What is the length of the extension/renewal?**

**What is the revised total term of the contract?**

***If cost changing***

**What was the original value of the entire contract prior to this proposed change?**

\$2,000,000

**What is the value of the proposed change?**

\$300,000

**What is the new/revised total value including change?**

\$2,300,000

***If terms changing***

**Describe the change and the reason for it (i.e. compliance with state law, different way of doing business etc.)**