



Jackson County Missouri

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Legislation Text

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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION authorizing the County Executive to execute a cooperative agreement with Legal Aid of Western Missouri of Kansas City, MO, at a cost to the county not to exceed \$100,000.00.

RESOLUTION #17219, March 22, 2010

INTRODUCED BY James D. Tindall, County Legislator

WHEREAS, the Jackson County Housing Resources Commission has a need to provide low-cost or no-cost legal services to Jackson County residents to assist in the prevention of homelessness due to evictions and foreclosures; and,

WHEREAS, Section 1030.1, Jackson County Code, 1984, eliminates the requirement for competitive bidding when items or services can be obtained from only one source and requires notification of and approval by the Legislature on such sole source purchases exceeding \$25,000.00; and,

WHEREAS, Legal Aid of Western Missouri is a not-for-profit organization providing essential legal services to low income citizens, is uniquely qualified to provide low-cost or no-cost legal services, and has a proven track record in preventing homelessness due to evictions and foreclosures; and,

WHEREAS, the Director of Finance and Purchasing recommends a cooperative agreement with Legal Aid of Western Missouri of Kansas City, MO, to provide low-cost or no-cost legal services in

furtherance of homelessness prevention due to evictions and foreclosures as recommended by the Jackson County Housing Resources Commission, in the amount of \$100,000.00; and,

WHEREAS, the Director further recommends that he not take competitive bids with regard to said cooperative agreement for the reason that Legal Aid of Western Missouri of Kansas City, MO, is uniquely qualified as a sole source provider of the necessary services; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that award be made as recommended by the Director of Finance and Purchasing and that the County Executive be and is hereby authorized to execute a cooperative agreement with Legal Aid of Western Missouri, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00 and in a form to be approved by the County Counselor; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of Finance and Purchasing is authorized to make all payments including final payment on the contract.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Deputy/Assistant County Counselor

Acting County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution #17219 of March 22, 2010, was duly passed on March 22, 2010 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____ 8
Nays _____ 0

Abstaining _____ 0

Absent
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Date _____ Mary Jo
Spino, Clerk of Legislature

There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized.

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 043 7001 56789

ACCOUNT TITLE: Homeless Assistance Fund
Housing Resource Commission
Outside Agency Funding

NOT TO EXCEED: \$100,000.00

Date _____ Director of
Finance and Purchasing