



Jackson County Missouri

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Legislation Text

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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION awarding a twelve-month agreement for the operation of an Expungement Clinic for use by the Prosecuting Attorney's Office to the University of Missouri Kansas City (UMKC) of Kansas City, MO, for community outreach efforts, at an actual cost to the County not to exceed \$40,000.00, as a sole source purchase.

RESOLUTION NO. 19998, October 8, 2018

INTRODUCED BY Alfred Jordan, County Legislator

WHEREAS, Missouri law provides for the expungement of certain convictions, and the range of convictions allowed to be expunged has been broadened by a revised statute that took effect on January 1, 2018; and,

WHEREAS, in response to these expungement revisions enacted by the Missouri General Assembly, the Prosecuting Attorney's Office recommends an agreement with the University of Missouri Kansas City (UMKC) to operate an expungement clinic; and,

WHEREAS, the Prosecuting Attorney is increasing community outreach through the federal SMART Prosecution grant; and,

WHEREAS, outreach efforts to be performed include engagement in neighborhoods of high violent crime and an increase in community buy-in in the criminal justice system; and,

WHEREAS, UMKC will coordinate with the Prosecuting Attorney, Circuit Court Administrator, the Presiding Judge of the 16th Circuit Court, and local defendants and defense counsel; and,

WHEREAS, award as a sole source is appropriate as UMKC is one of the only four law schools in the State of Missouri, and the only local school, that is capable of providing these services; and,

WHEREAS, the award of a contract for these services at a cost of \$40,000.00, is in the best interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Jackson County; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute an agreement with the University of Missouri - Kansas City, Missouri, for the operation of an Expungement Clinic, in a form to be approved by the County Counselor; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Finance and Purchasing be and hereby is authorized to make all payments, including final payment on the agreement.

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Chief Deputy County Counselor

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 19998 of October 8, 2018, was duly passed on October 15, 2018 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 8

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 0

Excused 1

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: 010 4110 56790
ACCOUNT TITLE: Grant Fund
SMART Prosecution
Other Contractual Services
NOT TO EXCEED: \$40,000.00

Date

Chief Administrative Officer