

Legislation Text

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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION authorizing the Director of Finance and Purchasing to execute a contract with Harvesters - The Community Food Network of Kansas City (Jackson County), MO, for the purpose of insuring that food insecurity is minimized in the wake of the full economic impact of the ongoing Coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic under the terms and conditions of Request for Proposals No. 64-22, at an actual cost to the County not to exceed \$1,000,000.00.

RESOLUTION NO. 21016, July 25, 2022

INTRODUCED BY Crystal Williams, County Legislator

WHEREAS, by Resolution 20949, dated May 10, 2022, the Legislature authorized the transfer of \$1,000,000.00 within the 2022 American Rescue Plan Fund and requested the County Administration to solicit competitive proposals from qualified agencies for the purpose of insuring that food insecurity is minimized; and,

WHEREAS, the Director of Finance and Purchasing has solicited proposals on Request for Proposals (RFP) No. 64-22 in response to that Resolution; and,

WHEREAS, a total of ten responses were received and evaluated; and,

WHEREAS, the County Administrator recommends the award of a contract for the furnishing of these services to Harvesters- The Community Food Network, of Kansas City, MO, under the terms and conditions of RFP No. 64-22, for the reason that a single contract with Harvesters would allow for the purchase of the food requested by all respondents and maximize the financial impact of the award while simplifying project administration; <u>and</u>,

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Legislature to consider further funding for programs that address food insecurity issues before the end of the 2022 budget year; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that award be made as recommended by the County Administrator and Director of Finance and Purchasing and that the Director be, and is hereby, authorized to execute for the County a contract with Harvesters- The Community Food Network, in a form to be approved by the County Counselor, and any other documents necessary to the accomplishment of the award; 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:

Chief Deputy County Counselor County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21016 of July 25, 2022, was duly passed on August 1, 2022 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas <u>8</u> Nays <u>0</u>

Abstaining <u>0</u> Absent <u>1</u>

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: 050 1526 56789

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ACCOUNT TITLE: American Rescue Plan Fund Food Insecurity

Outside Agency Funding

NOT TO EXCEED: \$1,000,000.00

Date Chief Administrative Officer