



GRANT AGREEMENT FOR COVID-19 HOMELESS SERVICES

City Council
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Overview

- March 2020
- COVID-19 Homeless Services with Catholic Charities under existing agreements
- Non-Congregate Shelter (NCS)
- Safe Social Distancing Program (SSDP)
- Continuing these services in FY 2020/2021

Non-Congregate Shelter

- Meet social distancing requirements at Sam Jones Hall
- Mid-March: 45 rooms secured at Sandman Hotel for “at risk” sheltered individuals
- Mid-April: 26 rooms secured at Sandman Hotel for “at risk” unsheltered individuals
- Range of services provides

Safe Social Distancing Program

- May: Create social distancing within existing encampments and protect community at-large
- Finley Community Center parking lot
- 68 tents
- Range of services provided

COVID-19 Homeless Services

- NCS
 - March to June
 - Services Budget - \$317,888
 - Outcomes
- SSDP
 - May to June
 - Services Budget - \$238,929
 - Outcomes
- Total - \$556,817

Grant Agreement

- New Agreement
- Continued operation of NCS and SSDP
- Monthly basis, up to 6 months
- Sonoma County Health Officer orders; City deems necessary
- Amendments – City Manager/CAO approval
- FEMA reimbursement
- Total Appropriation - \$1,528,860

NCS	\$102,302
SSDP	<u>\$152,508</u>
Total - July 1 to 31	\$254,810

Recommendation

- It is recommended by the Housing and Community Services Department that Council, by resolution, approve a Grant Agreement with Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Santa Rosa for the provision of COVID-19 related homeless services, including the existing Non-Congregate Shelter Program and the Safe Social Distancing Program through July 31, 2020 in amount not-to-exceed \$254,810, and delegating authority to the City Manager or his designee to amend the Agreement to extend the term for these or other similar COVID-19 related homeless services for up to six months with a total aggregate not-to-exceed amount of \$1,528,860 where such amendments are in a form approved by the City Attorney's Office.