

Harris County, Texas

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Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: 22-4501 Version: 1 Name:

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Title: Request by Public Health Services for approval of the order to Abate a public Nuisance at multiple

locations in Precinct(s) 1, 2, 3, and 4 under The American Rescue Plan Act - Neighborhood Nuisance

Abatement Program.

Sponsors:

Indexes:

Code sections:

Attachments: 1. 0802 PHS COVID Order to Abate

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
0/2/2022	4	Commissioners Court		

8/2/2022 1 Commissioners Court

Department: Public Health Services

Department Head/Elected Official: Barbie L. Robinson, MPP, JD, CHC – Executive Director

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA **Type of Request:** Financial Authorization

Project ID (if applicable): N/A

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): N/A
MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): N/A

Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: N/A - Goal not applicable to request

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request by Public Health Services for approval of the order to Abate a public Nuisance at multiple locations in Precinct(s) 1, 2, 3, and 4 under The American Rescue Plan Act - Neighborhood Nuisance Abatement Program.

Background and Discussion:

As part of the Clean Streets Safe Neighborhoods initiative, the Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) focus area of the Harris County ARPA portfolio identified proactive neighborhood nuisance abatement as a "quick win" for reducing violent crime and increasing quality of life in vulnerable communities. The Neighborhood Nuisance Abatement program is focused on the abatement of unsafe structures in Harris County neighborhoods that pose a health and safety risk to area residents including children.

Expected Impact:

The abatement of the public nuisance will remove public safety and health risks within the community. These abatements are prioritized based on crime and environmental data.

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Alternative Options:

If Commissioners Court chooses not to approve this order, the nuisance(s) will not be abated.

Alignment with Goal(s):

- X Justice and Safety
- _ Economic Opportunity
- _ Housing
- X Public Health
- _ Transportation
- _ Flooding
- _ Environment
- _ Governance and Customer Service

Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
02/08/2022	132	Funding for program approved

Location:

Address (if applicable): Precinct(s): Countywide

Fiscal and Personnel Summary					
Service Name Neighborhood Nu	ice Name Neighborhood Nuisance and Abatement Program				
	SFY 22	FY 23	Next 3 FYs		
Incremental Expenditures (do <mark>NOT</mark> w	rite values in the	ousands or millions)	•		
Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$		
Non-Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$		
Total Incremental Expenditures	\$	\$	\$		
Funding Sources (do NOT write value	es in thousands o	r millions)	•		
Existing Budget					
2651 - American Rescue Plan 2021	\$218,785	\$954,280	\$1,746,060		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Total Current Budget	\$218,785	\$954,280	\$1,746,060		
Additional Budget Requested					
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Total Additional Budget Requested	\$	\$	\$		
Total Funding Sources	\$218,785	\$954,280	\$1,746,060		

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Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-	
Total Personnel	-	-	-	

Anticipated Court Date: August 02, 2022

Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date): August 02, 2022

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: COVID-19 related item

Contact(s) name, title, department: Scott Jeansonne, Director of Environmental Public Health, Public Health

Services

Attachments (if applicable): Order to Abate a Public Nuisance