



Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Type:** Donation      **Status:** Passed

**File created:** 2/19/2024      **In control:** Commissioners Court

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**Title:** Request for approval to accept three (3) lactation PODS donated by the Houston Bar Association (HBA) totaling approximately \$99,000.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:**

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 0770\_ProposedGiftToHarrisCounty - PODS

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
2/27/2024	1	Commissioners Court		
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**Department:** District Courts

**Department Head/Elected Official:** Richard Woods

**Regular or Supplemental RCA:** Regular RCA

**Type of Request:** Donation

**Project ID (if applicable):**

**Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable):**

**MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable):**

**MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable):**

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

**Request Summary (Agenda Caption):**

Request for approval to accept three (3) lactation PODS donated by the Houston Bar Association (HBA) totaling approximately \$99,000.

**Background and Discussion:**

The PODS will provide a welcoming and comfortable space for all individuals who may require lactation or wellness facilities, whether they are employees, jurors, or members of the public visiting the courthouses. The need for such spaces has been recognized as crucial to maintaining and promoting the wellness of mothers who are breastfeeding. The PODS would be installed at the Criminal Justice Center located at 1201 Franklin, the Civil Courthouse located at 201 Caroline, and the Jury Assembly located at 1201 Congress.

**Expected Impact:**

The POD will provide a comfortable, private and secure space for mothers who are breastfeeding.

**Alternative Options:**

Temporary areas could possibly be designated for lactation space.

**Alignment with Goal(s):**

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

**Prior Court Action (if any):**

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken

**Location:**

Address (if applicable):

Precinct(s): Countywide

<b>Fiscal and Personnel Summary</b>				
Service Name	HBA donated lactation PODS			
	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expense
<b>Funding Sources</b>				
<b>Existing Budget</b>			FY24 portion	FY25 portion
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Current Budget</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Additional Budget Request (Requires Fiscal Review Request Form)</b>				
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Additional Budget Request</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Funding Request</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)</b>				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	-

Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Personnel</b>	-	-	-	-

**Anticipated Court Date:** February 27, 2024

**Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date):** **March 2024**

**Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note:** Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

**Contact(s) name, title, department:** Richard Woods, Court Administrator, District Courts

**Attachments** (if applicable): County Auditor's Form 770 "Proposed Gift to Harris County, TX"