

# Harris County, Texas

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## Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: 24-2149 **Version**: 1 **Name**:

Type: Financial Authorization Status: Passed

File created: 4/9/2024 In control: Commissioners Court

On agenda: 4/23/2024 Final action: 4/23/2024

**Title:** Request for approval of a personal services exemption from the competitive bid requirements and a

renewal option with Federal Hall Policy Advisors, LLC in the amount of \$174,194 for grant liaison services and assistance securing grant funds for Precinct 4 for the period of May 16, 2024 - May 15,

2025, Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: N/A - Personal Services Agreement.

Sponsors:

Indexes:

**Code sections:** 

Attachments: 1. 24-2149 Personal Services Exemption- Federal Hall Policy Advisors, LLC

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
4/00/0004				

4/23/2024 1 Commissioners Court

**Department:** Purchasing

Department Head/Elected Official: DeWight Dopslauf

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

**Project ID** (if applicable): N/A

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): Federal Hall Policy Advisors, LLC

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

Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: N/A - Personal Services Agreement

#### Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of a personal services exemption from the competitive bid requirements and a renewal option with Federal Hall Policy Advisors, LLC in the amount of \$174,194 for grant liaison services and assistance securing grant funds for Precinct 4 for the period of May 16, 2024 - May 15, 2025, Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: N/A - Personal Services Agreement.

#### **Background and Discussion:**

Federal Hall helps the county as a Grant Liaison, in doing so it helps the county acquire federal grand funding which is vital to keeping programs through out Precinct 4 funded. This also helps reduce the overall workload for the county and helps increase ease of funding.

#### **Expected Impact:**

Without these services it would be more difficult to acquire grant funding for Precinct 4

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### **Alternative Options:**

N/A

### Alignment with Goal(s):

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

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

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
05/16/2023	285	Contract Approval and Initial Term

### **Location:**

Address (if applicable): Precinct(s): Precinct 4

Fiscal and Personnel Summa	ry			
Service Name				
	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expen
Funding Sources			•	
Existing Budget				
1000 - General Fund	\$	\$	\$174,194.00	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$	\$	\$	\$
Additional Budget Request ( <i>Requ</i>	ires Fiscal Re	view Request Form)	•	•
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Request	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Funding Request	\$	\$	\$174,194.00	\$
Personnel (Fill out section only if red	questing new	PCNs)	•	•
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	-

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Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-	1		
Total Personnel	-	-	-	-			

Anticipated Court Date: 04/23/2024

Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date): N/A

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

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Attachments (if applicable): Letter