

# Harris County, Texas

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# **Legislation Text**

File #: 24-1854, Version: 1

**Department:** Commissioner, Precinct 3

Department Head/Elected Official: Tom S. Ramsey, P.E., Commissioner

**Regular or Supplemental RCA:** Regular RCA **Type of Request:** Interlocal Agreement

Project ID (if applicable):

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable):

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 the Commissioner of Precinct 3 that the County Judge execute an interlocal agreement with the Harris County Hospital District d/b/a Harris Health System funded with \$165,786 in ARPA Local Fiscal Recovery Funds to expand Harris Health Food RX to two community redemption sites in Precinct 3.

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

In 2019, Harris Health System established a Food Rx program that serves adult patients expressing food insecurity who have Type 2 diabetes or other chronic disease. Patients screening positive for food insecurity are referred to a community health worker (CHW) for enrollment in the program. Once enrolled, patients select a variety of healthy foods with a CHW at an onsite or community pantry, receive chronic disease management education, are connected to a Houston Food Bank navigator for benefits enrollment, and are linked to community food resources.

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N/A

### **Alternative Options:**

N/A

### Alignment with Goal(s):

- \_ Justice and Safety
- \_ Economic Opportunity
- Housing
- Public Health

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- $\_\, {\sf Transportation}$
- \_ Flooding
- \_ Environment
- X Governance and Customer Service

# Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken

### Location:

Address (if applicable): Precinct(s): Precinct 3

Fiscal and Personnel Summary						
Service Name						
•	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost		
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expens		
Funding Sources	•	•		•		
Existing Budget						
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$		
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	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Personnel (Fill out section only if re	questing new I	PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service	<u> </u>	-	-	-		
Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-		
Total Personnel	-	-	-	-		

Anticipated Court Date: March 26, 2024

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

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: COVID-19 related item

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Attachments (if applicable):