



Office of the City Manager

CONSENT CALENDAR

March 21, 2023

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Dee Williams-Ridley, City Manager

Submitted by: Lisa Warhuus, Director, Health, Housing, and Community Services

Subject: Revenue Agreements: California Department of Public Health Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention and CalFresh Grants

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt two Resolutions authorizing the City Manager or her designee to submit grant agreements to the State of California, California Department of Public Health (CDPH), to accept the grants, and execute any resultant revenue agreements and amendments to conduct public health promotion, protection, and prevention services for the following two revenue agreements:

1. **CDPH: Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (CLPPP)**, in the projected total 3-year amount of \$383,455 for FY 2024, FY 2025, and FY 2026.
2. **CDPH: CalFresh Healthy Living Program (CalFresh)**, in the projected amount of \$162,390 each year in FFY 2024, FFY 2025, FFY 2026, for a projected total 3-year amount of \$487,170.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

The City will receive funds in the estimated total combined amount of \$870,625 from the California Department of Public Health for the period FY 2024 through FY 2026 from the two funding sources listed below. Each contract has been entered into the citywide contract management system database:

1. CLPPP: Revenue Fund 312. This contract is anticipated to be a total of \$383,455 for FY 2024, FY 2025, and FY 2026.
2. CalFresh: Revenue Fund 312. This contract is anticipated to be for a total of \$487,170 in FFY 2024, FFY 2025, FFY 2026.

Spending of all referenced grant funds is subject to Council approval of the budget for each fiscal year and the Annual Appropriations Ordinances. Depending on the timing of when grants are officially awarded and the amounts that are determined, the grant

budgets will be adjusted as part of a future amendment to the FY 2023 Annual Appropriations Ordinance.

CURRENT SITUATION AND ITS EFFECTS

As a local health jurisdiction, the City of Berkeley provides a broad range of public health programs and services to the community, with the goals of addressing health inequities, promoting healthy environments and behaviors, protecting residents from disease, and preventing illness, disability, and premature death. In addition to the funding referenced in this report, the City also has continuing multi-year public health grants with the State of California. The total additional anticipated revenue from these state grants is \$870,625 in FY 2024, FY2025, and FY2026.

Each grant serves a specific purpose in the Department's work towards improving the health of our community:

1. CLPPP: Provides services to eliminate childhood lead poisoning by caring for lead-poisoned children and identifying and eliminating sources of lead exposure. Services provided include nursing case management, environmental investigations for known State cases of children with lead poisoning, and outreach and education to health care providers, community groups, and families. CLPPP is not able to support preventative and general community lead assessments, enforcement, or remediation.
2. CalFresh: Provides services that integrate nutrition education and policy, systems, and environmental (PSE) change approaches to support community health goals that address obesity prevention and promote physical activity.

BACKGROUND

The City of Berkeley receives funding from many sources annually to complete activities to improve the health of the community. As a local health jurisdiction, the City is entitled to specific State funding to meet core public health objectives. HHCS' Public Health Division (HHCS/PHD) is committed to providing essential services to the community to prevent the spread of disease and to promote healthy environments.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY AND CLIMATE IMPACTS

There are no identifiable environmental effects, climate impacts, or sustainability opportunities associated with the subject of this report.

RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

These funds support vital services related to our mandates as a public health jurisdiction and local initiatives designed to address health inequities in Berkeley and improve the health of Berkeley residents. This grant supports the Department's mission and provides the City with funding to continue working to protect and improve the health of the community.

ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED

The City could opt not to accept these funds. That action would result in a significant reduction in public health services to the community, and is therefore not recommended.

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Attachments:

1. Resolution: CDPH - Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program
2. Resolution: CDPH - CalFresh Healthy Living Program

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

GRANT AGREEMENT: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
FOR THE CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING PREVENTION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley Health, Housing and Community Services Department, Public Health Division (HHCS/PHD), is committed to detecting, managing, and preventing childhood lead poisoning; and

WHEREAS, HHCS provides a broad range of needed public health program services to the community; and

WHEREAS, HHCS works to promote healthy environments and behaviors, protect residents from disease, and prevent illness, disability, and premature death; and

WHEREAS, HHCS seeks to eliminate health inequities; and

WHEREAS, the HHCS seeks to prevent lead poisoning and identify and aid lead-burdened children in Berkeley; and

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley should seek outside funding wherever possible to fund vital health services.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the City Manager or her designees is hereby authorized to submit a grant agreement to the California Department of Public Health for funding for Fiscal Years 2024, 2025, and 2026 for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program to detect, manage, and prevent childhood lead poisoning; to accept the grant funds; execute any resultant revenue agreements and amendments in line with the grant award, which may be larger or smaller than the projected award of \$383,455; and implement the projects and appropriation of funding for related expenses, subject to securing the grant. Budget Codes (Revenue): 312; (Expenditure) 321. A record signature copy of said agreements and any amendments shall be on file in the office of the City Clerk.

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

GRANT AGREEMENT: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
FOR THE CALFRESH HEALTHY LIVING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley Health, Housing and Community Services Department, Public Health Division, is committed to providing nutrition education and physical activity promotion to underserved communities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley Health, Housing and Community Services Department, Public Health Division (HHCS/PHD), provides a broad range of needed public health program services to the community; and

WHEREAS, the HHCS works to promote healthy environments and behaviors, protect residents from disease, and prevent illness, disability, and premature death; and

WHEREAS, the HHCS seeks to eliminate health inequities; and

WHEREAS, the HHCS provides vital health services.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the City Manager or her designee is hereby authorized to submit a grant agreement to the California Department of Public Health for funding for Federal Fiscal Years 2024, 2025, and 2026 for the CalFresh Healthy Living Program: to provide nutrition education and physical activity promotion to underserved communities; to accept the grant funds; execute any resultant revenue agreements and amendments in line with the grant award, which may be larger or smaller than the projected award of \$487,170; and implement the projects and appropriation of funding for related expenses, subject to securing the grant. Budget Codes (Revenue): 312; (Expenditure): 312. A record signature copy of said agreements and any amendments shall be on file in the office of the City Clerk.

