

Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council Item ID 52833 Agenda Number 29.

Meeting Date: 12/17/2015 Department: Neighborhood and Community Development

Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of Amendment No. 2 to the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Service Agreement with the Austin Housing Finance Corporation to increase funding for the HOME grant fund program in the amount of \$1,391,143.52, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$19,868,116.52.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding is available through a beginning balance of \$1,391,143.52 in the Neighborhood Housing and Community Development Office's HOME grant fund.

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

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Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	September 10, 2015 – Approved the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Neighborhood Housing and Community Development Operating Budget (Ordinance No. 20150910-BUDG001). September 10, 2015 – Council approved the negotiation and execution of a one-year service agreement, in the amount of \$17,125,572, with the Austin Housing Finance Corporation to manage and operate various housing programs for the City during Fiscal Year 2015-2016(Ordinance No. 20150910-003). October 1, 2015 - Council approved the negotiation and execution of Amendment No. 1 to the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Service Agreement with the Austin Housing Finance Corporation by increasing funding for the Housing Trust Fund in the amount of \$1,351,401, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$18,476,973 (Ordinance No. 20151001-012).
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Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:	
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Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This action amends the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Service Agreement with the Austin Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) in the amount of \$1,391,143.52. This funding is derived from carry-forward funds and will be made available to the HOME grant fund.

Established in 1979 as a public, non-profit corporation pursuant to Chapter 394 of the Texas Local Government Code, the AHFC administers numerous affordable housing programs for the City using federal and local funds. U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) grant funds provided by the City constitute the majority of AHFC's grant funds.