



## Recommendation for Action

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**File #:** 21-2828, **Agenda Item #:** 61.

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### **Posting Language**

Authorize negotiation and execution of Amendment No. 7 to an agreement with VinCare Services of Austin to provide affordable housing and comprehensive support services to women-led families, to add one 12-month extension option beginning October 1, 2021 in an amount not to exceed \$101,146, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$700,869.

### **Lead Department**

Austin Public Health.

### **Fiscal Note**

Funding in the amount of \$101,146 is available in the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Austin Public Health Department Operating Budget.

### **Prior Council Action:**

November 20, 2014 - Council authorized award, negotiation, and execution of a 37-month agreement with VinCare in the amount of \$273,000, with three 12-month extension options each for a total amount of \$91,000, for a total agreement amount not to exceed \$546,000, on a 6-0 vote with Council Member Tovo recusing herself from contracts associated with Theater Action Project/Creative Action.

### **For More Information:**

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### **Additional Backup Information:**

This item will authorize Austin Public Health to negotiate and execute Amendment No. 7 to an agreement with VinCare Services of Austin (VinCare) to provide deeply affordable housing and comprehensive support services to women-led families, to add one 12-month extension option beginning October 1, 2021 in an amount not to exceed \$101,146, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$700,869.

Amendment No. 6 exercised the third extension option in the amount of \$101,146 for the program period of October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$599,723.

Amendment No. 5 exercised the second extension option in the amount of \$101,146 for the program period of October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$498,577.

Amendment No. 4 exercised the first extension option in the amount of \$101,146 for the program period of October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019 for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$397,431.

Amendment No. 3 added \$2,467 to the agreement, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$296,285.

Amendment No. 2 added \$4,438 to the agreement, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$293,818.

Amendment No. 1 added \$16,380 to the agreement, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$289,380.

VinCare provides deeply affordable housing and comprehensive support services to women-led families who would otherwise be homeless through its Saint Louise House. Through apartment-style housing and comprehensive case management, Saint Louise House will ensure that the basic needs of food, clothing, health, and shelter are met for all program participants.

**Strategic Outcome(s):**

Economic Opportunity and Affordability, Health and Environment.