

GENERAL

Ordinance Fact Sheet

140488

Ordinance Number

Brief Title

Public Health Emergency Planning and Preparedness

Approval Deadline**Reason****Details****Reason for Legislation**

This ordinance is to accept a contract with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services to provide public health emergency planning and technical assistance to partner agencies for preparedness in the event of a public health emergency in Kansas City and State Region A.

Discussion

The Kansas City Health Department was selected after Sept 11, 2001 to be the recipient of a regional public health emergency and preparedness grant to provide resources to Kansas City and the surrounding area. These funds are dedicated to staff response planners to develop a plan to respond to any public health emergency, to work with and coordinate with local emergency management to provide a public health component as a first responder agency. These plans become part of the City response to emergencies. The staff also provide technical assistance to other counties in the metropolitan area to improve their capacity and response.

Is it good for the children?

Many of the Health Departments programs are specifically designed for the betterment of health in all citizens. This Program specifically targets the health in both adults and children.

How will this contribute to a sustainable Kansas City?

Many public health programs are funded based on the need of the community and the impact upon individual citizens and high risk groups. Promoting economic vitality, social equity and environmental quality in addressing public health initiatives is oftentimes dependent upon federal, state and local funding; however, the goal of these programs is to promote and protect all citizens of Kansas City on a continuing, ongoing and sustainable basis.

Positions/Recommendations**Sponsor**

Health Department

**Programs,
Departments,
or Groups
Affected**

Health Department

**Applicants /
Proponents****Applicant**Health Department
City DepartmentHealth Department
Other**Opponents**

Groups or Individuals

None Known
Basis of opposition**Staff
Recommendation**☒ For☐ Against

Reason Against

**Board or
Commission
Recommendation**

By

☐ For ☐ Against ☐ No action taken☐ For, with revisions or conditions
(see details column for conditions)**Council
Committee
Actions**☐ Do pass☐ Do pass (as amended)☐ Committee Sub.☐ Without Recommendation☐ Hold☐ Do not pass

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Details**Policy/Program Impact****Policy or Program**

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Change	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Operational Impact Assessment	

Finances	
Cost & Revenue Projections -- Including Indirect Costs	
Financial Impact	
Fund Source (s) and Appropriation Account Codes	19__ Budget, Page ____ Unbudgeted, Appropriation ____ Fund 00-000-00-0000-A0000

(Use this space for further discussion, if necessary)

Applicable Dates:

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Reference Numbers