



Background Paper for Proposed Ordinance

COUNCIL MEETING DATE: September 12, 2022

TO: President Heather Graham and Members of City Council

VIA: Marisa Stoller, City Clerk

FROM: Nicholas A. Gradisar, Mayor

SUBJECT: AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000 FROM THE TRAILHEAD INSTITUTE FOR THE PUEBLO FOOD PROJECT, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN THE GRANT AGREEMENT, CREATING PROJECT NO. CI2215, AND BUDGETING AND APPROPRIATING \$20,000 TO PROJECT NO. CI2215

SUMMARY:

Attached is an Ordinance approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$20,000.00 from the Colorado Blueprint to End Hunger, administered by the Trailhead Institute, ("Trailhead") to provide funds for hunger relief work by the Pueblo Food Project through the Food Pantry Assistance Grant Program. This Ordinance creates Project No. CI2215, budgets and appropriates the grant funds to Project No. CI2215, and authorizes the Mayor to sign the Grant Agreement.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION:

City Council previously approved Ordinance No. 9703 on April 27, 2020, approving the initial Trailhead Grant Award, establishing Project No. CI2009, and budgeting and appropriating the initial grant funds to Project No. CI2009. City Council approved Ordinance No. 9733 on July 14, 2020, approving a second Trailhead Grant Award and budgeting and appropriating the grant funds to Project No. CI2009. City Council also approved Ordinance No. 9833 on December 14, 2020 approving another Trailhead Grant Award and budgeting and appropriating the grant funds to Project No. CI2009. City Council also approved Ordinance No. 9936, on May 24, 2021, approving another Trailhead Grant Award, of \$10,450 and budgeting and appropriating funds to Project No. CI2112. City Council also approved Ordinance No. 10063 on December 13, 2021 Trailhead Grant Award for Food Pantry Assistance establishing Project No. CI2122.

BACKGROUND:

The Pueblo Food Project applied for a grant administered by the Colorado Blueprint to End Hunger, to support hunger relief efforts in Pueblo via the Pueblo Food Project community pantry. The grant proposal was accepted and awarded in the amount of \$20,000. These funds are to be used in accordance with the submitted proposal. All activities are geared towards hunger relief.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

There are no matching funds required for this grant. Upon passage of the Ordinance, the City of Pueblo will receive the entire \$20,000.00 on behalf of the Pueblo Food Project. The total grant budget for Project No. CI2215 will become \$20,000.00.

BOARD/COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

Not applicable to this Ordinance.

STAKEHOLDER PROCESS:

Not applicable to this Ordinance.

ALTERNATIVES:

If the proposed Ordinance is not approved, the Pueblo Food Project will not receive the grant funds.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval of the Ordinance.

Attachments:

Proposed Ordinance
Grant Agreement

ORDINANCE NO. _____

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PUEBLO, that:

SECTION 1.

The Grant Agreement for Colorado Food Pantry Assistance purposes dated August 23, 2022 (“Agreement”) between the City of Pueblo, a Municipal Corporation, on behalf of the Pueblo Food Project, and the Trailhead Institute, a copy of which is attached hereto, having been approved as to form by the City Attorney, is hereby approved

SECTION 2.

The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the City of Pueblo, a Colorado Municipal Corporation, and the City Clerk is authorized to affix the seal of the City thereto and attest the same.

SECTION 3.

Project No. CI2215 is hereby created.

SECTION 4.

Funds in the amount of \$20,000.00 shall be accepted pursuant to the Agreement and budgeted and appropriated to Project No. CI2215.

SECTION 5.

The officers and staff of the City are hereby authorized to perform any and all acts consistent with this Ordinance and the attached Agreement to implement the transactions described therein.

SECTION 6.

This Ordinance shall become effective on the date of final action by the Mayor and City Council.

Action by City Council:

Introduced and initial adoption of Ordinance by City Council on _____.

Final adoption of Ordinance by City Council on _____.

President of City Council

Action by the Mayor:

Approved on _____.

Disapproved on _____ based on the following objections:

Mayor

Action by City Council After Disapproval by the Mayor:

Council did not act to override the Mayor's veto.

Ordinance re-adopted on a vote of _____, on _____

Council action on _____ failed to override the Mayor's veto.

President of City Council

ATTEST

City Clerk