RESOLUTION NO. 2021-118

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF POMONA, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF \$1,460,000 IN MEASURE H, COORDINATED ENTRY SYSTEM (CES) FOR INDIVIDUALS AND YOUTH FUNDS FOR OPERATION OF CITY OF POMONA YEAR-ROUND SHELTER CRISIS BEDS PROGRAM, AND AMENDING FY 2021-22 OPERATING BUDGET TO DECREASE STATE HEAP REVENUE ESTIMATES BY \$103,913 AND DECREASE APPROPRIATIONS BY \$25,244, AND AMENDING THE AGREEMENT WITH VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA LOS ANGELES BY AWARDING \$1,381,786 TO OPERATE THE CRISIS HOUSING PROGRAM AT THE HOPE FOR HOME HOMELESS SERVICES CENTER AS SITE OPERATOR

WHEREAS, on January 9, 2017, the City Council adopted a Resolution authorizing the implementation of the City of Pomona's 2016 Strategic Plan on Homelessness - "A Way Home: Community Solutions for Pomona's Homeless" that included the development of a year-round emergency shelter; and,

WHEREAS, on July 17, 2017 the City Council awarded a contract to Volunteers of America, Los Angeles (VOALA) to be the operator of the Year-Round Emergency Shelter and also approved VOALA as a sole source subrecipient of future funds identified to operate the Year-Round Emergency Shelter; and,

WHEREAS, funding for this Program is made available by LAHSA through Los Angeles County Measure H Funds in the amount of \$1,460,000 for the term of July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022; and,

WHEREAS, the City has certified that Volunteers of America Los Angeles (VOALA) is a qualified and experienced housing and social service organization which enhances services to homeless populations, and as the Hope for Home Services Center Site Operator, VOALA should receive \$1,381,786 of the funds awarded by LAHSA to operate the Crisis Housing Program at the Hope for Home Services Center.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Pomona as follows:

SECTION 1. Authorize the acceptance of \$1,460,000 in County of Los Angeles Measure H Special Funds for Operation of a Crisis Housing Program at the Hope for Home Services Center, receiving \$1,303,573 in County Measure H funds to 139-1791-XXXXX-65408 for program operation and \$156,427 to 139-1702-XXXXX-65408 for administrative costs. Of the \$156,427, \$78,214 will be awarded to Volunteers of America Los Angeles (VOALA) for grant administration and the balance will be utilized by the City of Pomona for grant administration. Since this grant fund has historically been awarded \$1,460,000 on an annual renewal basis, the revenue estimates and appropriations for this program was approved as part of the City's FY 2021-22 budget process needing the following adjustments to match the \$1,460,000 award:

.Revenue Account #	Change to 2021-22 Revenue Estimates	Expenditure Account #	Requested 2021-22 Appropriation (\$)
139-1702-40903-65408	-\$103,913	139-1702-51012-65408	\$ 2,868
		139-1702-52285-65408	-\$28,112
Total	-\$103,913	Total	-\$25,244

SECTION 2. Authorizes an award of \$1,381,786 in Measure H funding to VOALA as the Hope for Home Services Center Site Operator, to be used for operational and administrative costs for the Crisis Housing Program per the Program Agreement with LAHSA.

SECTION 3. Authorizes the City Manager to execute all agreements and any other documentation requested for acceptance of the award, distribution of the funding and operation of the Hope for Home Crisis Housing Program, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.

CITY OF POMONA:

Rosalia A. Butler, MMC, City Clerk	Tim Sandoval, Mayor
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Sonia Carvalho, City Attorney	_
STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES CITY OF POMONA	
	CLERK of the City of Pomona do hereby certify that Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of 2021, by the following vote:
AYES: NOES:	

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ABSTAIN:

ATTEST:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal	of the	City
of Pomona, California, this 20 th day of September 2021.		-

Rosalia A. Butler, MMC, City Clerk