

Board of Commissioners Resolution

15 West Kellogg Blvd. Saint Paul, MN 55102 651-266-9200

B2025-107

Sponsor: Public Health Meeting Date: 6/3/2025

Title: 2025 Single Source Agreements for Block Nurse Programs File Number: 2025-083

Background and Rationale:

The Block Nurse Programs provides local solutions to help persons 65 and older live safely and actively in their own communities by providing programs and educating communities about the importance of using local resources to create friendly communities for persons 65 and older. These services often avert or delay the need for higher cost and more comprehensive care. Services may include in-home nursing services, volunteer/service coordination, blood pressure checks, flu shots, home safety checks, caregiver education, as well as other community events such as health fairs. Services are available to residents within the various geographic boundaries as defined by each community program and may be billable by those programs based on a sliding fee scale.

Recommendation:

The Ramsey County Board of Commissioners resolved to:

- Approve the Agreement with Living At Home Network, 1376 Hoyt Avenue West, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55108, for funds to be used for local services to persons 65 and older and neighborhood program administration for the period June 3, 2025 through December 31, 2025, with the option to renew for up to four one-year periods, in accordance with the annual rates established in the agreement of up to \$180,000.
- 2. Approve the Agreement with Roseville Area Schools ISD 623, 1251 County Road B-2 West, Roseville, Minnesota 55113, for funds to be used for local services to persons 65 and older and neighborhood program administration for the period June 3, 2025 through December 31, 2025, with the option to renew for up to four one-year periods, in accordance with the annual rates established in the agreement of up to \$11,250.
- 3. Authorize the Chair and Chief Clerk to execute the agreements.
- Authorize the County Manager to approve amendments to agreements in accordance with the county's procurement policies and procedures, provided the amounts are within the limits of available funding.

A motion to approve was made by Commissioner Xiong, seconded by Commissioner Miller. Motion passed.

Aye: - 6: Jebens-Singh, McGuire, McMurtrey, Miller, Ortega, and Xiong

Absent: - 1: Moran

Jason Yang, Interim Chief Clerk - County

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