



City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 26-1006, **Agenda Item #:** 59.

2/5/2026

Posting Language

Approve an ordinance amending the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Austin Public Health Department Operating Budget (Ordinance No. 20250813-005) to accept and appropriate up to \$210,000 in additional grant funds from the Texas Department of State Health Services Sexually Transmitted Disease/Human Immunodeficiency Virus Disease Intervention Specialists (STD/HIV-DIS) Contract. Funding: \$210,000 is available from the Texas Department of State Health Services. A City funding match is not required.

Lead Department

Austin Public Health.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$210,000 is available from Texas Department of State Health Services. A City funding match is not required. A fiscal note is attached.

Prior Council Action:

August 13, 2025 - Council approved Ordinance No. 20250813-005 which approved Operating Budget for Austin Public health.

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Additional Backup Information:

The Austin Public Health Department received notice of grant awards totaling \$210,000 available for the grant funding period from March 1, 2026, through November 30, 2026. This grant passes funding through Texas Department of State Health Services from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

The General Fund will not be required to contribute additional funds beyond those currently budgeted to this grant. When the grant funds expire, the Austin Public Health Department's need for continuing funding will be evaluated.