



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street
Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

File #: 23-0280, **Version:** 1

PROPOSED CONTRACT AMENDMENT

Department(s): Justice Advisory Council

Vendor: Vision of Restoration, Maywood, Illinois

Request: Authorization for the Justice Advisory Council to increase contract

Good(s) or Service(s): Community Outreach Liaison Services

Original Contract Period: 1/1/2022 - 12/31/2022, with two (2), one (1) year renewal options

Proposed Amendment Type: Increase

Proposed Contract Period: N/A

Total Current Contract Amount Authority: \$198,045.00

Original Approval (Board or Justice Advisory Council): Board, 1/13/2022, \$198,045.00

Increase Requested: \$198,045.00

Previous Board Increase(s): N/A

Previous Justice Advisory Council Increase(s): N/A

Previous Board Renewals: N/A

Previous Justice Advisory Council Renewals: N/A

Previous Board Extension(s): N/A

Previous Justice Advisory Council Extension(s): N/A

Potential Fiscal Impact: FY 2023 \$198,045.00

Accounts: 11287.1205.39004.521313

Contract Number(s): 1205-2201B

Concurrences:

N/A

Summary: Vision of Restoration serves as fiscal agent to Alumni Association, who provide services to advance the Community Safety and Justice Initiative. These services are delivered in targeted Safety and Justice Challenge

communities including, Austin, Roseland, West Garfield Park, Englewood, North Lawndale and the South Suburban community area (primarily Robbins, Harvey, Ford Heights, and Dolton). Additional communities may be added based on the initiative's targeted areas. Services include: community engagement and outreach by hosting presentations, events, formal dialogue sessions, criminal justice reform education, awareness and support for community members and county stakeholders. Community Liaisons work to increase the participation of individuals directly impacted by the criminal justice system and uplift the voices of community in Cook County criminal justice reform efforts. The Liaisons help inform county stakeholders by engaging in policy and programs work that strives ensure more equitable policy, practices, and outcomes for marginalized residents of Cook County. The JAC is exercising the first of two renewal options. The requested increase will provide funding for these services for fiscal year 2023.