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The Honorable Phil Mendelson  
Chairman  
Council of the District of Columbia  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004

Subject: Human Care Provider Agreement with United Planning Organization, Inc.  
RM-14-HCPA-036-BY4-CPS (formerly known as APHC-2013-H-0003)

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

Enclosed for consideration and approval by the Council of the District of Columbia is a proposed emergency act, the "Purchase Orders to Human Care Provider Agreement No. RM-14-HCPA-036-BY4-CPS Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Act of 2014", along with an emergency declaration resolution, to approve Purchase Orders PO461288, PO461288-V2, PO461288-V3, PO461288-V4, PO485889, PO485889-V2, PO485889-V3 and PO485889-V4 totaling \$2,005,914.81 to Human Care Provider Agreement RM-14-HCPA-036-BY4-CPS (formerly APHC-2013-H-0003) between the Department of Behavioral Health and United Planning Organization, Inc., for Level I Narcotic/Opioid Outpatient Substance Abuse Treatment services to eligible District residents.

Along with the emergency legislation, I am forwarding a contract summary and certifications of legal sufficiency, funding availability and tax compliance. The Human Care Purchase Order expenditures in excess of one million dollars allowed United Planning Organization to provide continuity of services to meet public health and welfare requirements for Level I Narcotic/Opioid Outpatient Substance Abuse Treatment Services to those who are eligible for care under the Choice in Drug Treatment Act of 2000, effective July 8, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-146, D.C. Official Code §7-3001, et seq.)

As always, I am available to discuss any questions. In order to facilitate a response to any questions you may have your staff contact Samuel J. Feinberg, Agency Chief Contracting Officer, at (202) 671-3188. I look forward to favorable consideration of the emergency legislation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Vincent C. Gray".  
Vincent C. Gray

Enclosures

  
Chairman Phil Mendelson  
at the request of the Mayor

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8 A PROPOSED RESOLUTION  
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11 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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14 To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to approve Purchase Orders  
15 PO461288, PO461288-V2, PO461288-V3, PO461288-V4, PO485889, PO485889-V2,  
16 PO485889-V3 and PO485889-V4 to Human Care Provider Agreement No. RM-14-  
17 HCPA-036-BY4-CPS (formerly known as APHC-2013-H-0003) between the Department  
18 of Behavioral Health and United Planning Organization, Inc. for Level I Narcotic/Opioid  
19 Outpatient Substance Abuse Treatment Services for Adults to eligible District residents  
20 and to authorize payment for the services received under the Agreement.  
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23 RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this  
24 resolution may be cited as the “Purchase Orders to Human Care Provider Agreement No. RM-  
25 14-HCPA-036-BY4-CPS (formerly APHC-2013-H-0003) Approval and Payment Authorization  
26 Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2014”.

27 Sec. 2. (a) There exists an immediate need to approve the Purchase Orders PO461288,  
28 PO461288-V2, PO461288-V3, PO461288-V4, PO485889, PO485889-V2, PO485889-V3 and  
29 PO485889-V4 totaling \$2,005,914.81 to Human Care Provider Agreement RM-14-HCPA-036-  
30 BY4-CPS (formerly APHC-2013-H-0003) between the Department of Behavioral Health and  
31 United Planning Organization, Inc., for Level I Narcotic/Opioid Outpatient Substance Abuse  
32 Treatment Services to eligible District residents.

33 (b) Due to higher than anticipated utilization and to maintain continuity of care, the cost  
34 of the Human Care Provider Agreement RM-14-HCPA-036-BY4-CPS (formerly APHC-2013-

35 H-0003 for the period from May 2, 2013 through May 1, 2014 was \$2,005,914.81, thereby  
36 necessitating Council approval.

37 (c) Approval of the Human Care Provider Agreement is required to allow Level I  
38 Narcotic/Opioid Outpatient Substance Abuse Treatment Services for Adults to continue  
39 uninterrupted and to avoid disruption in care from transferring clients to other substance use  
40 disorder treatment providers.

41 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances  
42 enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the  
43 “Purchase Orders to Human Care Provider Agreement RM-14-HCPA-036-BY4-CPS (formerly  
44 APHC-2013-H-0003) Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Act of 2014” be adopted  
45 after a single reading.

46 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.