# LEGISLATIVE FACT SHEET

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| Legislation Number: | **220845** |
| Approval Deadline: | |

LEGISLATION IN BRIEF:

Accepting and approving a one-year $439,912.00 grant award from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development under the Shelter Plus Care program for homeless services in the Kansas City area and approving a $449,488.00 contract with SAVE Inc. for housing assistance services for persons living with HIV in the Kansas City area; and designating requisitioning authority.

What is the reason for this legislation?

To accept grant award in the amount of $439,912.00 from Housing and Urban Development, Shelter Plus Care (S+C). to provide rental assistance to persons living with HIV. Grant period is from August 1, 2022 to July 31, 2023. Award agreement includes a match from the City's Health Levy of $68,064.00, and the project sponsor match of $41,914.00. Total S+C budget for Fiscal Year 2023 is $549,890.00.

Authorize the Director of Health to subcontract with project sponsor SAVE Inc. in the amount of $473.081.00 (HUD and Health Levy Funds) to provide for tenant based rental assistance for persons living with HIV in the Kansas City Region.

Discussion (including relationship to other Council actions)

The S+C Program seeks to address homelessness for individuals with disabilities and chronic illness such as HIV. Housing instability and homelessness can be severe barriers to successful health outcomes and engagement in HIV Medical Care. With safe, decent, and affordable housing, people with HIV are better able to access medical care and supportive services, get on HIV treatment, take their HIV medication consistently, and see their health care provider regularly. In the last grant period the Kansas City Health Department and the project sponsor provided S+C tenant based rental assistance to 56 households and 62 individuals.

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Sponsor(s)

Programs, Departments, or Groups Affected

Housing, Health, HIV Services, persons living with HIV

Sub-Program in Budget (page #)

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| Applicants/ Proponents | City Department |
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| | Other |
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| Staff Recommendation | For |
| Board or Commission Recommendation | |
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**Future Impacts**

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| Cost of Legislation current Fiscal Year | |
| Costs in Future Fiscal Years? | No |
| Annual Revenue Increase/Decrease | |
| **Applicable Dates:** | |
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| **Date Prepared:** | 6/1/22 |
| **Reviewed by:** | |
| **Date Reviewed** | |

**Reference Numbers**