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MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 14(A)(4)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: September 16, 2015

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution ratifying the action of The County Mayor to receive and expend challenge grant funds in an amount up the $200,000 from the Department of Children and Families; issue a request for application to select not-for-profit service provider sub-grantees and approve sub-grantees selected; execute grant sub-grant agreements; authorize the County Mayor to exercise modification, renewal, termination and other provisions contained herein and to receive and expend State funds awarded; waiving Resolution No. 130-06; and, approve grantees selected and authorize grant agreements for emergency housing for homeless persons in an amount of approximately $700,000, for FY 2015-2016

Resolution No. R-787-15

The accompanying resolution was prepared by the Miami-Dade Homeless Trust and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Bruno A. Barreiro.

R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

RAC/cp

Memorandum

Date: September 16, 2015

To: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From: Carlos A. Gimenez
Mayor

Subject: Resolution Ratifying Challenge Grant Funding Recommendations and Approving New Emergency Housing for Homeless Persons

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Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners (Board) authorize the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to ratify the action of the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to apply for, receive and expend Challenge Grant funds from the Florida Department of Children and Families Office on Homelessness (the State Agency), in an amount not to exceed $200,000.00, for homeless continuum of care programs for the purposes of providing housing and services to eligible homeless persons.

Pursuant to Section 420.622 of the Florida Statutes, the State Agency administers Challenge Grants to lead agencies in the homeless continuum of care. Miami-Dade County, through the Homeless Trust, the lead agency of the County's homeless Continuum of Care, has applied to receive $200,000.00, the maximum grant award available for a lead agency for Fiscal Year (FY) 2015-16. Funding recommendations were submitted to the state following the issuance of a competitive Challenge Grant Request for Applications (RFA).

If awarded, the County will provide sub-grants to non-profit agencies as described below. Challenge Grant funding must be expended on eligible homeless services' and programs by June 30, 2016.

Additionally, it is recommended that the Board authorize the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to adopt the recommendations of the Homeless Trust (Trust) for the award of contracts and grants to select not-for-profit service providers made pursuant to an Amended Challenge Grant RFA to provide additional Emergency Housing for homeless persons. The Emergency Housing will be funded through Food and Beverage Tax revenue in the amount of approximately $700,000.00.

Scope

Funding will be administered by the Trust and services will be provided countywide through non-profit sub-grantees pursuant to program guidelines and applicable regulations.

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source

The Department of Children and Families shall reimburse the Homeless Trust for allowable expenditures incurred pursuant to the terms of the Challenge Grant for a total dollar amount not to exceed $200,000.00.

Funding for Emergency Housing is generated from Food and Beverage Tax revenue, all of which is designated for the provision of homeless housing and services. The total amount for FY 2015-16 shall be approximately $700,000.00.

Track Record/Monitor

Homeless Trust Executive Director Victoria Mallette will be responsible for overseeing the grants to not-for-profit services providers selected through the RFA process, in coordination with Homeless Trust Deputy Director Manny Sarria, Deputy Director and Homeless Trust Contracts Manager Terrell Thomas Ellis, The selected not-for-profit service providers will be monitored through the Trust's existing monitoring processes that consist of: on-site visits; desk audits; the review of monthly, quarterly and annual progress reports; and the analysis of utilization rates.

Background

In July, the State Agency issued the Challenge Grant solicitation for FY 2015-16. The maximum grant award a lead agency may receive is $200,000.00. The State Agency may choose to award a lead agency at a lesser amount.

The Challenge Grant is intended to provide flexible grants supporting local efforts to reduce homelessness, and can be used to fund any of the housing or service needs in the local Continuum of Care (CoC) plan. Following the issuance of the state Challenge Grant solicitation, the Trust issued an RFA to solicit applications from eligible not-for-profit CoC sub-recipients seeking (1) Housing Navigation, (2) identification of system funding gaps, (3) Rapid Re-Housing, and (4) match dollars for US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funded programs serving the homeless.

Additionally, as part of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed on July 31, 2015 between Miami-Dade County, the City of Miami and the Trust, the Trust amended the Challenge Grant RFA to solicit no fewer than 75 new Emergency Housing beds utilizing the Food and Beverage Tax dollars in an amount not to exceed $700,000.00. Emergency Housing includes short-term, (typically 90-days) housing placement, and case management services for individuals and families. The attached table includes RFA Selection Committee Recommendations.

Staff is in support of the options presented by the Selection Committee, and recommends funding in the amount of $696,230.20 from Food and Beverage Tax revenue be awarded to purchase 83 new Emergency Housing beds. Staff also recommends, contingent upon funding from the State, that $200,000.00 be awarded to the top ranked respondents for the Challenge Grant RFA within each category.

The RFA, made available on July 24, 2015, was duly noticed and advertised. Selection Committee Members' backgrounds were reviewed by the Commission Auditor's Office. Selection Committee recommendations were made on August 19, 2015. The application and recommendations pertaining to the $200,000.00 sought after from the State for homeless assistance was submitted prior to the September 1, 2015 deadline. Approval by the Trust's Executive Committee, an advisory body to the Board is scheduled for September 11, 2015.

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Attachment

Russell Benford, Deputy Mayor

MEMORANDUM

(Revised)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: September 16, 2015

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 14(A)(4)

Please note any items checked.

_____ **"3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised**

_____ **6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing**

_____ **4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing**

_____ **Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget**

_____ **Budget required**

_____ **Statement of fiscal impact required**

_____ **Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Mayor's report for public hearing**

__✓__ **No committee review**

_____ **Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's ____, 3/5's ____, unanimous _____) to approve**

_____ **Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required**

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

Agenda Item No. 14(A)(4)
9-16-15

RESOLUTION NO. R-787-15

RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE ACTION OF THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE IN APPLYING FOR CHALLENGE GRANT FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT UP TO $200,000.00 FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES; ISSUING A REQUEST FOR APPLICATION TO SELECT NOT-FOR-PROFIT SERVICE PROVIDER SUB-GRANTEES; APPROVING SUB-GRANTEES SELECTED AND AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF ANY GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED AND EXPENDITURES OF SUCH FUNDS AND EXECUTION OF SUBGRANT AGREEMENTS; AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXERCISE MODIFICATION, RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND OTHER PROVISIONS CONTAINED HEREIN; WAIVING RESOLUTION NO. 130-06; APPROVING FOOD & BEVERAGE TAX GRANTS FOR GRANTEES RECOMMENDED BY THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY HOMELESS TRUST AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO GRANT AGREEMENTS FOR EMERGENCY HOUSING FOR HOMELESS PERSONS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $700,000.00 FOR FY 2015-2016; AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXERCISE MODIFICATIONS, RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND OTHER PROVISIONS CONTAINED HEREIN

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board:

Section 1. Ratifies the action of the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee in applying for funds from the Florida Department of Children and Families Office on Homelessness ("the State Agency") in the amount of $200,000.00, for homeless continuum of care programs for the purposes of providing housing and services to eligible homeless persons; ratifies the action of

the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee in issuing a Request for Applications to select not-for-profit sub-grantee service agencies required by the State Agency and approves selection of the following sub-grantees: Carrfour Supportive Housing, Inc., Citrus Health Network, Inc., New Hope CORPS, Inc., Camillus House, Inc., Camillus Health Concern, Inc., Miami-Dade Community Action and Human Service Department; and, Jewish Community Services of South Florida, Inc. (collectively, "Sub-grantees"); approves the action of the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee in negotiating and executing a grant agreement with the State Agency, in substantially the form attached hereto and incorporated by reference as Exhibit A; waives Board of County Commissioners Resolution No. R-130-06 requiring signature of the parties and approves the action of the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee in negotiating and executing sub-grant agreements, in substantially the form as attached hereto and incorporated by referece as Exhibit B in accordance with applicable regulations and program guidelines, following review by the County Attorney's Office; authorizes the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to exercise any modification, termination, renewal and other provisions of the grant agreement and sub-grant agreements, in accordance with applicable regulations and program guidelines, for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County, Florida; accepts the funding recommendations of the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust with regard to Emergency Housing beds, as set forth in the attached exhibit, for the award of contracts and grants, in an amount of approximately $700,000.00, made pursuant to a Request for Application process to select not-for-profit service providers to provide Emergency Housing for homeless persons for Fiscal Years FY 2015-2016; authorizes the County Mayor or Mayor's designee to execute agreements, with the selected not-for-profit service providers, after approval by the County Attorney's Office; and further authorizes the County

Mayor or County Mayor's designee to exercise amendment, renewal, termination, cancellation and modification clauses of any agreement entered into pursuant to this Resolution.

Section 2. Accepts the funding recommendations of the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust, as set forth in the attached exhibit, for the award of contracts and grants, made pursuant to a Request for Application process to select not-for-profit service providers to provide homeless housing and services for Fiscal Years FY 2015-2016; authorizes the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to execute agreements some of which may exceed $1 million dollars in substantially the form attached hereto and incorporated by reference as Exhibit C, with the selected not-for-profit service providers, after approval by the County Attorney's Office; and further authorizes the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to exercise amendment, renewal, termination, cancellation and modification clauses of any agreement entered into pursuant to this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner **Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Sally A. Heyman** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Jean Monestime, Chairman **aye**
Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Vice Chairman **aye**

Bruno A. Barreiro	**aye**	Daniella Levine Cava	**absent**
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	**aye**	Audrey M. Edmonson	**nay**
Sally A. Heyman	**aye**	Barbara J. Jordan	**aye**
Dennis C. Moss	**aye**	Rebeca Sosa	**aye**
Sen. Javier D. Souto	**aye**	Xavier L. Suarez	**aye**
Juan C. Zapata	**absent**		

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 16th day of September, 2015. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board, or (2) approval by the County Mayor of this Resolution and the filing of this approval with the Clerk of the Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: Christopher Agrippa
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

Shannon D. Summerset-Williams

"Exhibit A"

Contract No. KPZ28 ..... Client ☒ Non-Client ☐
CFDA No. _____

THIS GRANT AGREEMENT* is entered into between the Florida Department of Children and Families, hereinafter referred to as the "Department" and Miami-Dade County, hereinafter referred to as the "Provider". The Department and Provider agree as follows:

*If this document is denoted above as a GRANT AGREEMENT, the term "Contract" as it may appear hereinafter shall be construed to mean "Grant" or "Grant Agreement" as the context may provide. Similarly, the term "Provider" shall be construed to mean "Grantee" and the term "Contract Manager" shall be construed to mean "Grant Manager."

1. ENGAGEMENT, TERM AND CONTRACT DOCUMENT.

1.1 Purpose and Contract Amount.

The Department is engaging the Provider for the purpose of providing services to individuals and families in Miami-Dade County who are homeless or about to become homeless, as further described in Section 2 hereof, payable as provided in Section 3 hereof, in an amount not to exceed $300,000.00.

1.2 Effective and Ending Dates.

This Contract shall be effective on February 1, 2015 or the last date executed by a party, whichever is later. The service performance period under this Contract shall commence on February 1, 2015 or the effective date of this Contract, whichever is later, and shall end at midnight, Eastern time, on June 30, 2015, subject to the survival of terms provisions of Section 7.4 hereof.

☒ This Contract may not be renewed.

☐ This Contract may be renewed in accordance with Section 26 of the PUR 1000 Form and, if renewed, costs for the renewal may not be charged to this Contract.

☐ The renewal price(s) set forth in the bid, proposal, or reply are shown in Exhibit F___, subject to negotiation at renewal per section 287.057(13), Florida Statutes (F.S.). ☐ Not applicable.

1.3 Official Payee and Party Representatives.

a. The name, address, telephone number and e-mail address of the Provider's official payee to whom the payment shall be directed on behalf of the Provider are:
Name: Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust
Address: 111 NW 1st Street
Suite 27-310
City: Miami State:FL Zip Code:33128
Phone: 305-375-1490
ext:
e-mail:

b. The name of the contact person and address, telephone, and e-mail address where the Provider's financial and administrative records are maintained are:
Name: Victoria Mallette
Address: 111 NW 1st Street
Suite 27-310
City: Miami State:FL Zip Code:33128
Phone: 305-375-1490
ext:
e-mail: vmallette@miamidade.gov

c. The name, address, telephone number and e-mail address of the Contract Manager for the Department for this Contract are:
Name:
Address:
City:
Phone:
ext:
e-mail:

d. The name, address, telephone number and e-mail of the Provider's representative responsible for administration of the program under this Contract (and primary point of contact) are:
Name: Victoria Mallette
Address: 111 NW 1st Street
Suite 27-310
City: Miami State:FL Zip Code:33128
Phone: 305-375-1490
ext:
e-mail: vmallette@miamidade.gov

Per section 402.7305(1)(a), F.S., the Department's Co[illegible] is the primary point of contact through which all contracting information flows between the Department and the Provider. Upon change of representatives (names, addresses, telephone numbers or e-mail addresses) by either party, notice shall be provided in writing to the other party.

1.4 Contract Document.

This Contract is composed of Sections 1 through 7 hereof, as well as Exhibits A through F and attachments 1 through 2 and any exhibits referenced in said attachments, together with any documents incorporated by reference, which contain all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties.

1.4.1 The definitions found in the Standard Contract Definitions, located at http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/admin/contracts/docs/StandardContractTerms2014.pdf are incorporated into and made a part of this Contract. Additional definitions may be forth in Exhibit A, Special Provisions.

1.4.2 The PUR 1000 Form (10/06 version) is hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Contract. Sections 1.d., 2-4, 6, 8-13, 23, 27 and 31 of the PUR 1000 Form are not applicable to this Contract. In the event of any conflict between the PUR 1000 Form and any other terms or conditions of this Contract, such other terms or conditions shall take precedence over the PUR 1000 Form.

1.4.3 The terms of Exhibit A, Special Provisions, supplement or modify the terms of Sections 1 through 7 hereof, as provided therein.

1.4.4 In the event of a conflict between the provisions of the documents, the documents shall be interpreted in the following order of precedence:

a. Exhibits A through F;
b. Any documents incorporated into any exhibit by reference;
c. This Standard Contract;
d. Any documents incorporated into this Contract by reference;
e. Attachments 1 through 2.

2. STATEMENT OF WORK.

The Provider shall perform all tasks and provide units of deliverables, including reports, findings, and drafts, as specified in this Contract. Except for advances, if any, provided for in this Contract, these deliverables must be received and accepted by the Contract Manager in writing prior to payment, subject to subsequent audit and review and to the satisfaction of the Department. The Department's determination of acceptable services shall be conclusive. Department receipt of reports and other submissions by the Provider does not constitute acceptance thereof, which occurs only through a separate and express act of the Contract Manager. Unless otherwise provided in the procurement document, if any, or governing law, the Department reserves the right to increase or decrease the volume of services and to add tasks that are incidental or complimentary to the original scope of services. Except where the method of payment is prescribed by law, compensation under Section 3 will be equitably adjusted by the Department to the extent that it prescribes a fixed price (previously called "fixed fee") payment method or does not provide a method of payment for added tasks.

2.1 Scope of Work.

The Scope of Work is described in Exhibit B.

2.2 Task List.

The Provider shall perform all tasks set forth in the Task List, found in Exhibit C, in the manner set forth therein.

2.3 Deliverables.

Deliverables shall be as described in Exhibit D.

2.4 Performance Measures.

2.4.1 **Performance Measures for Acceptance of Deliverables.** The performance measures for acceptance of deliverables are set forth in Exhibit D, Section D-2.

2.4.2 **Minimum Performance Measures.** To avoid contract termination, Provider's performance must meet the minimum performance standards set forth in Exhibit E, Minimum Performance Measures, Section E-1, regardless of any other performance measures in this Contract. By execution of this Contract the Provider hereby acknowledges and agrees that its performance under the Contract must meet these Minimum Performance Measures and that it will be bound by the conditions set forth therein. If the Provider fails to meet these standards, the Department, at its exclusive option, may allow a reasonable period, not to exceed 6 months, for the Provider to correct performance deficiencies. If performance deficiencies are not resolved to the satisfaction of the Department within the prescribed time, and if no extenuating circumstances can be documented by the Provider to the Department's satisfaction, the Department must terminate the Contract. The Department has the sole authority to determine whether there are extenuating or mitigating circumstances. The Provider further acknowledges and agrees that during any period in which the

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Provider fails to meet these standards, regardless of any additional time allowed to correct performance deficiencies, payment for deliverables may be delayed or denied and financial consequences may apply.

3. PAYMENT, INVOICE AND RELATED TERMS.

The Department shall pay for services performed by the Provider during the service performance period of this Contract according to the terms and conditions of this Contract in an amount not to exceed that set forth in Section 1.1 hereof, subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory performance of all terms by the Provider. Except for advances, if any, provided for in this Contract, payment shall be made only upon written acceptance of all services by the Department and shall remain subject to subsequent audit or review to confirm contract compliance. The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under this Contract is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature. Any costs or services paid for under any other contract or from any other source are not eligible for payment under this Contract.

3.1 Method of Payment.

The Provider shall be paid in accordance with Exhibit F Method of Payment and Invoices.

3.2 Invoices.

3.2.1 Generally. The Provider shall submit bills for fees or other compensation for services or expenses in sufficient detail for proper pre-audit and post-audit. Where itemized payment for travel expenses is permitted in this Contract, the Provider shall submit bills for any travel expenses in accordance with section 112.061, F.S., or at such lower rates as may be provided in this Contract.

3.2.2 Final Invoice. The final invoice for payment shall be submitted to the Department no more than 45 days after the Contract ends or is terminated. If the Provider fails to do so, all rights to payment are forfeited and the Department will not honor any requests submitted after the aforesaid time period. Any payment due under the terms of this Contract may be withheld until performance of services and all reports due from the Provider and necessary adjustments thereto, have been approved by the Department.

3.3 Financial Consequences.

If the Provider fails to perform in accordance with this Contract or perform the minimum level of service required by this Contract, the Department will apply financial consequences as provided for in Section 6.1 hereof. The parties agree that the penalties provided for under Section 6.1 hereof constitute financial consequences under sections 287.058(1)(h) and 215.971(1)(c), F.S. The foregoing does not limit additional financial consequences, which may include but are not limited to refusing payment, withholding payments until deficiency is cured, tendering only partial payments, applying payment adjustments for additional financial consequences or for liquidated damages to the extent that this Contract so provides, or termination of this Contract per Section 6.2.3 hereof and requisition of services from an alternate source. Any payment made in reliance on the Provider's evidence of performance, which evidence is subsequently determined to be erroneous, will be immediately due as an overpayment in accordance with Section 3.4 hereof, to the extent of such error.

3.4 Overpayments and Offsets.

The Provider shall return to the Department any overpayments due to unearned funds or funds disallowed that were disbursed to the Provider by the Department and any interest attributable to such funds. Should repayment not be made promptly upon discovery by the Provider or its auditor or upon written notice by the Department, the Provider will be charged interest at the lawful rate of interest on the outstanding balance until returned. Payments made for services subsequently determined by the Department to not be in full compliance with contract requirements shall be deemed overpayments. The Department shall have the right at any time to offset or deduct from any payment due under this or any other contract or agreement any amount due to the Department from the Provider under this or any other contract or agreement.

3.5 MyFloridaMarketPlace Transaction Fee.

This Contract is exempt from the MyFloridaMarketPlace transaction fee.

4. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING PERFORMANCE.

4.1 Compliance with Statutes, Rules and Regulations.

In performing its obligations under this Contract, the Provider shall without exception be aware of and comply with all State and Federal laws, rules and regulations relating to its performance under this Contract as they may be enacted or amended from time-to-time, including but not limited to those described in Exhibit A1, as well as any court or administrative order, judgment, settlement or compliance agreement involving the Department which by its nature affects the services provided under this Contract.

Department shall be to the extent permitted by section 768.28, F.S. or other applicable law, and without waiving the limits of sovereign immunity.

4.4 Insurance.

The Provider shall maintain continuous adequate liability insurance coverage during the existence of this Contract and any renewal(s) and extension(s) thereof. With the exception of a State agency or subdivision as defined by subsection 768.28(2), F.S., by execution of this Contract, the Provider accepts full responsibility for identifying and determining the type(s) and extent of liability insurance necessary to provide reasonable financial protections for the Provider and the clients to be served under this Contract. Upon the execution of this Contract, the Provider shall furnish the Department written verification supporting both the determination and existence of such insurance coverage and shall furnish verification of renewal or replacement thereof prior to the expiration or cancellation. The Department reserves the right to require additional insurance as specified in this Contract.

4.5 Notice of Legal Actions.

The Provider shall notify the Department of potential or actual legal actions taken against the Provider related to services provided through this Contract or that may impact the Provider's ability to deliver the contractual services, or that may adversely impact the Department. The Department's Contract Manager will be notified within 10 days of Provider becoming aware of such actions or potential actions or from the day of the legal filing, whichever comes first.

4.6 Intellectual Property.

It is agreed that all intellectual property, inventions, written or electronically created materials, including manuals, presentations, films, or other copyrightable materials, arising in relation to Provider's performance under this Contract, and the performance of all of its officers, agents and subcontractors in relation to this Contract, are works for hire for the benefit of the Department, fully compensated for by the contract amount, and that neither the Provider nor any of its officers, agents nor subcontractors may claim any interest in any intellectual property rights accruing under or in connection with the performance of this Contract. It is specifically agreed that the Department shall have exclusive rights to all data processing software falling within the terms of section 119.084, F.S., which arises or is developed in the course of or as a result of work or services performed under this Contract, or in any way connected herewith. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, if the Provider is a university and a member of the State University System of Florida, then section 1004.23, F.S., shall apply.

4.6.1 If the Provider uses or delivers to the Department for its use or the use of its employees, agents or contractors, any design, device, or materials covered by letters, patent, or copyright, it is mutually agreed and understood that, except as to those items specifically listed in Exhibit A as having specific limitations, the compensation paid pursuant to this Contract includes all royalties or costs arising from the use of such design, device, or materials in any way involved in the work contemplated by this Contract. For purposes of this provision, the term "use" shall include use by the Provider during the term of this Contract and use by the Department its employees, agents or contractors during the term of this Contract and perpetually thereafter.

4.6.2 All applicable subcontracts shall include a provision that the Federal awarding agency reserves all patent rights with respect to any discovery or invention that arises or is developed in the course of or under the subcontract. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, if the Provider or one of its subcontractors is a university and a member of the State University System of Florida, then section 1004.23, F.S., shall apply, but the Department shall retain a perpetual, fully-paid, nonexclusive license for its use and the use of its contractors of any resulting patented, copyrighted or trademarked work products.

4.7 Transition Activities.

Continuity of service is critical when service under this Contract ends and service commences under a new contract. Accordingly, when service will continue through another provider upon the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract, the Provider shall, without additional compensation, complete all actions necessary to smoothly transition service to the new provider. This includes but is not limited to the transfer of relevant data and files, as well as property funded or provided pursuant to this Contract. The Provider shall be required to support an orderly transition to the next provider no later than the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract and shall support the requirements for transition as specified in a Department-approved Transition Plan, which shall be developed jointly with the new provider in consultation with the Department.

4.8 Real Property.

Any State funds provided for the purchase of or improvements to real property are contingent upon the Provider granting to the State a security interest in the property at least to the amount of the State funds provided for at least five (5) years from the date of purchase or the completion of the improvements or as further required by law. As a condition of receipt of State funding for this purpose, the Provider agrees that, if it disposes of the property before the Department's interest is vacated, the Provider will refund the proportionate share of the State's initial investment, as adjusted by depreciation.

No record may be withheld nor may the Provider attempt to limit the scope of any of the foregoing inspections, reviews, copying, transfers or audits based on any claim that any record is exempt from public inspection or is confidential, proprietary or trade secret in nature; provided, however, that this provision does not limit any exemption to public inspection or copying to any such record.

5.2 Inspections and Corrective Action.

The Provider shall permit all persons who are duly authorized by the Department to inspect and copy any records, papers, documents, facilities, goods and services of the Provider which are relevant to this Contract, and to interview any clients, employees and subcontractor employees of the Provider to assure the Department of the satisfactory performance of the terms and conditions of this Contract. Following such review, the Department will deliver to the Provider a written report of its findings, and may direct the development, by the Provider, of a corrective action plan where appropriate. The Provider hereby agrees to timely correct all deficiencies identified in the Department's written report. This provision will not limit the Department's termination rights under Section 6.2.3 hereof.

5.3 Provider's Confidential and Exempt Information.

5.3.1 By executing this Contract, the Provider acknowledges that, having been provided an opportunity to review all provisions hereof, all provisions of this Contract not specifically identified in writing by the Provider prior to execution hereof as "confidential or exempt" will be posted by the Department on the public website maintained by the Department of Financial Services pursuant to section 215.985, F.S. The Provider agrees that, upon written request of the Department, it shall promptly provide to the Department a written statement of the basis for the exemption applicable to each provision identified by the Provider as "confidential or exempt", including the statutory citation to an exemption created or afforded by statute, and state with particularity the reasons for the conclusion that the provision is exempt or confidential.

5.3.2 Any claim by Provider of trade secret (proprietary) confidentiality for any information contained in Provider's documents (reports, deliverables or workpapers, etc., in paper or electronic form) submitted to the Department in connection with this Contract will be waived, unless the claimed confidential information is submitted in accordance with Section 5.3.2.a. hereof.

a. The Provider must clearly label any portion of the documents, data, or records submitted that it considers exempt from public inspection or disclosure pursuant to Florida's Public Records Law as trade secret. The labeling will include a justification citing specific statutes and facts that authorize exemption of the information from public disclosure. If different exemptions are claimed to be applicable to different portions of the protected information, the Provider shall include information correlating the nature of the claims to the particular protected information.

b. The Department, when required to comply with a public records request including documents submitted by the Provider, may require the Provider to expeditiously submit redacted copies of documents marked as trade secret in accordance with Section 5.3.2.a hereof. Accompanying the submission shall be an updated version of the justification under Section 5.3.2.a. hereof, correlated specifically to redacted information, either confirming that the statutory and factual basis originally asserted remain unchanged or indicating any changes affecting the basis for the asserted exemption from public inspection or disclosure. The redacted copy must exclude or obliterate only those exact portions that are claimed to be trade secret. If the Provider fails to promptly submit a redacted copy, the Department is authorized to produce the records sought without any redaction of proprietary or trade secret information.

The Provider shall be responsible for defending its claim that each and every portion of the redactions of trade secret information are exempt from inspection and copying under Florida's Public Records Law.

5.4 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act.

☐ The Provider certifies that neither it nor its subcontractors will have access to, receive or provide Protected Health Information within the meaning of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (42 U.S.C. s.1320d.) and the regulations promulgated thereunder (45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164) incidental to performance of this Contract.

☒ In compliance with 45 CFR s.164.504(e), the Provider shall comply with the provisions of Attachment 2 to this Contract, governing the safeguarding, use and disclosure of Protected Health Information created, received, maintained, or transmitted by the Provider or its subcontractors incidental to the Provider's performance of this Contract.

5.5 Confidential Client and Other Information. Except as provided in this Contract, the Provider shall not use or disclose but shall protect and maintain the confidentiality of any client information and any other information made confidential by Florida law or Federal laws or regulations that is obtained or accessed by the Provider or its subcontractors incidental to performance under this Contract.

6.2.2 In the event funds for payment pursuant to this Contract become unavailable, the Department may terminate this Contract upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours notice in writing to the Provider. The Department shall be the final authority as to the availability and adequacy of funds.

6.2.3 In the event the Provider fails to fully comply with the terms and conditions of this Contract, the Department may terminate the Contract upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours (excluding Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays) notice in writing to the Provider. Such notice may be issued without providing an opportunity for cure if it specifies the nature of the noncompliance and states that provision for cure would adversely affect the interests of the State or is not permitted by law or regulation. Otherwise, notice of termination will be issued after the Provider's failure to fully cure such noncompliance within the time specified in a written notice of noncompliance issued by the Department specifying the nature of the noncompliance and the actions required to cure such noncompliance. In addition, the Department may employ the default provisions in Rule 60A-1.006(3), F.A.C., but is not required to do so in order to terminate the Contract. The Department's failure to demand performance of any provision of this Contract shall not be deemed a waiver of such performance. The Department's waiver of any one breach of any provision of this Contract shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other breach and neither event shall be construed to be a modification of the terms and conditions of this Contract. The provisions herein do not limit the Department's right to remedies at law or in equity.

6.2.4 Failure to have performed any contractual obligations under any other contract with the Department in a manner satisfactory to the Department will be a sufficient cause for termination. To be terminated under this provision, the Provider must have: (1) previously failed to satisfactorily perform in a contract with the Department, been notified by the Department of the unsatisfactory performance, and failed to timely correct the unsatisfactory performance to the satisfaction of the Department; or (2) had a contract terminated by the Department for cause. Termination shall be upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours notice in writing to the Provider.

In the event of termination under Sections 6.2.1 or 6.2.2 hereof, the Provider will be compensated for any work satisfactorily completed through the date of termination or an earlier date of suspension of work per Section 21 of the PUR 1000.

6.3 Dispute Resolution.

Any dispute concerning performance of this Contract or payment hereunder shall be decided by the Department's Contract Manager, who shall reduce the decision to writing and provide a copy to the Provider. The decision shall be final and conclusive unless within twenty-one (21) calendar days from the date of receipt of the Contract Manager's decision, the Provider delivers to the Contract Manager a petition for alternative dispute resolution. After receipt of a petition for alternative dispute resolution the Department and the Provider shall attempt to amicably resolve the dispute through negotiations. Timely delivery of a petition for alternative dispute resolution and completion of the negotiation process shall be a condition precedent to any legal action by the Provider concerning this Contract. After timely delivery of a petition for alternative dispute resolution, the parties may employ any dispute resolution procedures described in the Attachment I or other attachment, or mutually agree to an alternative binding or nonbinding dispute resolution process, the terms of which shall be reduced to writing and executed by both parties. Completion of such agreed process shall be deemed to satisfy the requirement for completion of the negotiation process. This provision shall not limit the parties' rights of termination under Section 6.2 hereof.

All notices provided under Section 6 shall be in writing on paper, physically sent to the person identified in Section 1.3.d hereof by U.S. Postal Service or any other delivery service that provides verification of delivery, or by hand delivery.

7. OTHER TERMS.

7.1 Governing Law and Venue.

This Contract is executed and entered into in the State of Florida, and shall be construed, performed and enforced in all respects in accordance with Florida law, without regard to Florida provisions for conflict of laws. Courts of competent jurisdiction in Florida shall have exclusive jurisdiction in any action regarding this Contract and venue shall be in Leon County, Florida. Unless otherwise provided in any other provision or amendment hereof, any amendment, extension or renewal (when authorized) may be executed in counterparts as provided in Section 46 of the PUR 1000 Form.

7.2 No Other Terms.

There are no provisions, terms, conditions, or obligations other than those contained herein, and this Contract shall supersede all previous communications, representations, or agreements, either verbal or written between the parties.

7.3 Severability of Terms.

If any term or provision of this Contract is legally determined unlawful or unenforceable, the remainder of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect and such term or provision shall be stricken.

such approval, the Contractor may, at its discretion, sell these commodities or services to additional agencies, upon the terms and conditions contained herein.

By signing this Contract, the parties agree that they have read and agree to the entire Contract, as described in Section 1.4 hereof.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this 44 page Contract to be executed by their undersigned officials as duly authorized.

PROVIDER: Miami-Dade County

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

"Exhibit A"

Contract No. KPZ28 ..... Client ☒ Non-Client ☐
CFDA No. _____

THIS GRANT AGREEMENT* is entered into between the Florida Department of Children and Families, hereinafter referred to as the "Department" and **Miami-Dade County**, hereinafter referred to as the "Provider". The Department and Provider agree as follows:

*If this document is denoted above as a GRANT AGREEMENT, the term "Contract" as it may appear hereinafter shall be construed to mean "Grant" or "Grant Agreement" as the context may provide. Similarly, the term "Provider" shall be construed to mean "Grantee" and the term "Contract Manager" shall be construed to mean "Grant Manager."

1. ENGAGEMENT, TERM AND CONTRACT DOCUMENT.

1.1 Purpose and Contract Amount.

The Department is engaging the Provider for the purpose of **providing services to individuals and families in Miami-Dade County who are homeless or about to become homeless**, as further described in Section 2 hereof, payable as provided in Section 3 hereof, in an amount not to exceed **$300,000.00**.

1.2 Effective and Ending Dates.

This Contract shall be effective on **February 1, 2015** or the last date executed by a party, whichever is later. The service performance period under this Contract shall commence on **February 1, 2015** or the effective date of this Contract, whichever is later, and shall end at midnight, Eastern time, on **June 30, 2015**, subject to the survival of terms provisions of Section 7.4 hereof.

☒ This Contract may not be renewed.

☐ This Contract may be renewed in accordance with Section 26 of the PUR 1000 Form and, if renewed, costs for the renewal may not be charged to this Contract.

☐ The renewal price(s) set forth in the bid, proposal, or reply are shown in Exhibit F__, subject to negotiation at renewal per section 287.057(13), Florida Statutes (F.S.). ☐ Not applicable.

1.3 Official Payee and Party Representatives.

a. The name, address, telephone number and e-mail address of the Provider's official payee to whom the payment shall be directed on behalf of the Provider are:
Name: **Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust**
Address: **111 NW 1st Street**
Suite 27-310
City: **Miami** State:FL Zip Code:**33128**
Phone: **305-375-1490**
ext:
e-mail:

b. The name of the contact person and address, telephone, and e-mail address where the Provider's financial and administrative records are maintained are:
Name: **Victoria Mallette**
Address: **111 NW 1st Street**
Suite 27-310
City: **Miami** State:FL Zip Code:**33128**
Phone: **305-375-1490**
ext:
e-mail: **vmallette@miamidade.gov**

c. The name, address, telephone number and e-mail address of the Contract Manager for the Department for this Contract are:
Name:
Address:
City:
Phone:
ext:
e-mail:

d. The name, address, telephone number and e-mail of the Provider's representative responsible for administration of the program under this Contract (and primary point of contact) are:
Name: **Victoria Mallette**
Address: **111 NW 1st Street**
Suite 27-310
City: **Miami** State:FL Zip Code:**33128**
Phone: **305-375-1490**
ext:
e-mail: **vmallette@miamidade.gov**

Per section 402.7305(1)(a), F.S., the Department's Contract Manager is the primary point of contact through which all contracting information flows between the Department and the Provider. Upon change of representatives (names, addresses, telephone numbers or e-mail addresses) by either party, notice shall be provided in writing to the other party.

1.4 Contract Document.

This Contract is composed of Sections 1 through 7 hereof, as well as Exhibits A through F and attachments 1 through 2 and any exhibits referenced in said attachments, together with any documents incorporated by reference, which contain all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties.

1.4.1 The definitions found in the Standard Contract Definitions, located at http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/admin/contracts/docs/StandardContractTerms2014.pdf are incorporated into and made a part of this Contract. Additional definitions may be forth in Exhibit A, Special Provisions.

1.4.2 The PUR 1000 Form (10/06 version) is hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Contract. Sections 1.d., 2-4, 6, 8-13, 23, 27 and 31 of the PUR 1000 Form are not applicable to this Contract. In the event of any conflict between the PUR 1000 Form and any other terms or conditions of this Contract, such other terms or conditions shall take precedence over the PUR 1000 Form.

1.4.3 The terms of Exhibit A, Special Provisions, supplement or modify the terms of Sections 1 through 7 hereof, as provided therein.

1.4.4 In the event of a conflict between the provisions of the documents, the documents shall be interpreted in the following order of precedence:

a. Exhibits A through F;
b. Any documents incorporated into any exhibit by reference;
c. This Standard Contract;
d. Any documents incorporated into this Contract by reference.
e. Attachments 1 through 2.

2. STATEMENT OF WORK.

The Provider shall perform all tasks and provide units of deliverables, including reports, findings, and drafts, as specified in this Contract. Except for advances, if any, provided for in this Contract, these deliverables must be received and accepted by the Contract Manager in writing prior to payment, subject to subsequent audit and review and to the satisfaction of the Department. The Department's determination of acceptable services shall be conclusive. Department receipt of reports and other submissions by the Provider does not constitute acceptance thereof, which occurs only through a separate and express act of the Contract Manager. Unless otherwise provided in the procurement document, if any, or governing law, the Department reserves the right to increase or decrease the volume of services and to add tasks that are incidental or complimentary to the original scope of services. Except where the method of payment is prescribed by law, compensation under Section 3 will be equitably adjusted by the Department to the extent that it prescribes a fixed price (previously called "fixed fee") payment method or does not provide a method of payment for added tasks.

2.1 Scope of Work.

The Scope of Work is described in Exhibit B.

2.2 Task List.

The Provider shall perform all tasks set forth in the Task List, found in Exhibit C, in the manner set forth therein.

2.3 Deliverables.

Deliverables shall be as described in Exhibit D.

2.4 Performance Measures.

2.4.1 Performance Measures for Acceptance of Deliverables. The performance measures for acceptance of deliverables are set forth in Exhibit D, Section D-2.

2.4.2 Minimum Performance Measures. To avoid contract termination, Provider's performance must meet the minimum performance standards set forth in Exhibit E, Minimum Performance Measures, Section E-1, regardless of any other performance measures in this Contract. By execution of this Contract the Provider hereby acknowledges and agrees that its performance under the Contract must meet these Minimum Performance Measures and that it will be bound by the conditions set forth therein. If the Provider fails to meet these standards, the Department, at its exclusive option, may allow a reasonable period, not to exceed 6 months, for the Provider to correct performance deficiencies. If performance deficiencies are not resolved to the satisfaction of the Department within the prescribed time, and if no extenuating circumstances can be documented by the Provider to the Department's satisfaction, the Department must terminate the Contract. The Department has the sole authority to determine whether there are extenuating or mitigating circumstances. The Provider further acknowledges and agrees that during any period in which the

Provider fails to meet these standards, regardless of any additional time allowed to correct performance deficiencies, payment for deliverables may be delayed or denied and financial consequences may apply.

3. PAYMENT, INVOICE AND RELATED TERMS.

The Department shall pay for services performed by the Provider during the service performance period of this Contract according to the terms and conditions of this Contract in an amount not to exceed that set forth in Section 1.1 hereof, subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory performance of all terms by the Provider. Except for advances, if any, provided for in this Contract, payment shall be made only upon written acceptance of all services by the Department and shall remain subject to subsequent audit or review to confirm contract compliance. The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under this Contract is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature. Any costs or services paid for under any other contract or from any other source are not eligible for payment under this Contract.

3.1 Method of Payment.

The Provider shall be paid in accordance with Exhibit F Method of Payment and Invoices.

3.2 Invoices.

3.2.1 Generally. The Provider shall submit bills for fees or other compensation for services or expenses in sufficient detail for proper pre-audit and post-audit. Where itemized payment for travel expenses is permitted in this Contract, the Provider shall submit bills for any travel expenses in accordance with section 112.061, F.S., or at such lower rates as may be provided in this Contract.

3.2.2 Final Invoice. The final invoice for payment shall be submitted to the Department no more than 45 days after the Contract ends or is terminated. If the Provider fails to do so, all rights to payment are forfeited and the Department will not honor any requests submitted after the aforesaid time period. Any payment due under the terms of this Contract may be withheld until performance of services and all reports due from the Provider and necessary adjustments thereto, have been approved by the Department.

3.3 Financial Consequences.

If the Provider fails to perform in accordance with this Contract or perform the minimum level of service required by this Contract, the Department will apply financial consequences as provided for in Section 6.1 hereof. The parties agree that the penalties provided for under Section 6.1 hereof constitute financial consequences under sections 287.058(1)(h) and 215.971(1)(c), F.S. The foregoing does not limit additional financial consequences, which may include but are not limited to refusing payment, withholding payments until deficiency is cured, tendering only partial payments, applying payment adjustments for additional financial consequences or for liquidated damages to the extent that this Contract so provides, or termination of this Contract per Section 6.2.3 hereof and requisition of services from an alternate source. Any payment made in reliance on the Provider's evidence of performance, which evidence is subsequently determined to be erroneous, will be immediately due as an overpayment in accordance with Section 3.4 hereof, to the extent of such error.

3.4 Overpayments and Offsets.

The Provider shall return to the Department any overpayments due to unearned funds or funds disallowed that were disbursed to the Provider by the Department and any interest attributable to such funds. Should repayment not be made promptly upon discovery by the Provider or its auditor or upon written notice by the Department, the Provider will be charged interest at the lawful rate of interest on the outstanding balance until returned. Payments made for services subsequently determined by the Department to not be in full compliance with contract requirements shall be deemed overpayments. The Department shall have the right at any time to offset or deduct from any payment due under this or any other contract or agreement any amount due to the Department from the Provider under this or any other contract or agreement.

3.5 MyFloridaMarketPlace Transaction Fee.

This Contract is exempt from the MyFloridaMarketPlace transaction fee.

4. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING PERFORMANCE.

4.1 Compliance with Statutes, Rules and Regulations.

In performing its obligations under this Contract, the Provider shall without exception be aware of and comply with all State and Federal laws, rules and regulations relating to its performance under this Contract as they may be enacted or amended from time-to-time, including but not limited to those described in Exhibit A1, as well as any court or administrative order, judgment, settlement or compliance agreement involving the Department which by its nature affects the services provided under this Contract.

4.2 Independent Contractor, Subcontracting and Assignments.

4.2.1 In performing its obligations under this Contract, the Provider shall at all times be acting in the capacity of an independent contractor and not as an officer, employee, or agent of the State of Florida, except where the Provider is a State agency. Neither the Provider nor any of its agents, employees, subcontractors or assignees shall represent to others that it is an agent of or has the authority to bind the Department by virtue of this Contract, unless specifically authorized in writing to do so. This Contract does not create any right in any individual to State retirement, leave benefits or any other benefits of State employees as a result of performing the duties or obligations of this Contract.

4.2.2 The Provider shall take such actions as may be necessary to ensure that it and each subcontractor of the Provider will be deemed to be an independent contractor and will not be considered or permitted to be an officer, employee, or agent of the State of Florida. The Department will not furnish services of support (e.g., office space, office supplies, telephone service, secretarial or clerical support) to the Provider, or its subcontractor or assignee, unless specifically agreed to by the Department in this Contract. All deductions for social security, withholding taxes, income taxes, contributions to unemployment compensation funds and all necessary insurance for the Provider, the Provider's officers, employees, agents, subcontractors, or assignees shall be the sole responsibility of the Provider and its subcontractors. The parties agree that no joint employment is intended and that, regardless of any provision directing the manner of provision of services, the Provider and its subcontractors alone shall be responsible for the supervision, control, hiring and firing, rates of pay and terms and conditions of employment of their own employees.

4.2.3 The Provider shall not assign its responsibilities under this Contract to another party, in whole or part, without prior written approval of the Department, upon the Department's sole determination that such assignment will not adversely affect the public interest. No payment shall be made under this Contract to any factor or other person who has been assigned or transferred the right to receive payment in lieu of or on behalf of the Provider except upon full and faithful performance of the Provider's duties hereunder. Any assignment or transfer occurring without prior approval of the Department shall be null and void. The Provider shall not subcontract for any of the work contemplated under this Contract without prior written approval of the Department, which shall not be unreasonably withheld.

4.2.4 The State of Florida shall at all times be entitled to assign or transfer, in whole or part, its rights, duties, or obligations under this Contract to another governmental agency in the State of Florida or to a provider of the Department's selection, upon giving prior written notice to the Provider. In the event of assignment by either party, this Contract shall remain binding upon the lawful successors in interest of the Provider and the Department.

4.2.5 The Provider is responsible for all work performed and for all commodities produced pursuant to this Contract whether actually furnished by the Provider or by its subcontractors. Any subcontracts shall be evidenced by a written document. The Provider further agrees that the Department shall not be liable to the subcontractor in any way or for any reason relating to this Contract.

4.2.6 The Provider shall include, in all subcontracts (at any tier) the substance of all clauses contained in this Contract that mention or describe subcontract compliance, as well as all clauses applicable to that portion of the Provider's performance being performed by or through the subcontract.

4.3 Provider Indemnity.

Section 19 of PUR 1000 Form shall apply per its terms, except that the phrase "arising from or relating to personal injury and damage to real or personal tangible property" in the first paragraph is replaced with "arising out of or by reason of the execution of this Contract or arising from or relating to any alleged act or omission by the Provider, its agents, employees, partners, or subcontractors in relation to this agreement," and the following additional terms will also apply:

4.3.1 If the Provider removes an infringing product because it is not reasonably able to modify that product or secure the Department the right to continue to use that product, the Provider shall immediately replace that product with a non-infringing product that the Department determines to be of equal or better functionality or be liable for the Department's cost in so doing.

4.3.2 Further, the Provider shall indemnify the Department for all costs and attorneys fees arising from or relating to Provider's claim that a record contains trade secret information that is exempt from disclosure or the scope of the Provider's redaction of the record, as provided for under Section 5.3. hereof, including litigation initiated by the Department.

The Provider's inability to evaluate liability or its evaluation of liability shall not excuse its duty to defend and indemnify after receipt of notice. Only an adjudication or judgment after the highest appeal is exhausted finding the Department negligent shall excuse the Provider of performance under this provision, in which case the Department shall have no obligation to reimburse the Provider for the cost of its defense. If the Provider is an agency or subdivision of the State, its obligation to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the

Department shall be to the extent permitted by section 768.28, F.S. or other applicable law, and without waiving the limits of sovereign immunity.

4.4 Insurance.

The Provider shall maintain continuous adequate liability insurance coverage during the existence of this Contract and any renewal(s) and extension(s) thereof. With the exception of a State agency or subdivision as defined by subsection 768.28(2), F.S., by execution of this Contract, the Provider accepts full responsibility for identifying and determining the type(s) and extent of liability insurance necessary to provide reasonable financial protections for the Provider and the clients to be served under this Contract. Upon the execution of this Contract, the Provider shall furnish the Department written verification supporting both the determination and existence of such insurance coverage and shall furnish verification of renewal or replacement thereof prior to the expiration or cancellation. The Department reserves the right to require additional insurance as specified in this Contract.

4.5 Notice of Legal Actions.

The Provider shall notify the Department of potential or actual legal actions taken against the Provider related to services provided through this Contract or that may impact the Provider's ability to deliver the contractual services, or that may adversely impact the Department. The Department's Contract Manager will be notified within 10 days of Provider becoming aware of such actions or potential actions or from the day of the legal filing, whichever comes first.

4.6 Intellectual Property.

It is agreed that all intellectual property, inventions, written or electronically created materials, including manuals, presentations, films, or other copyrightable materials, arising in relation to Provider's performance under this Contract, and the performance of all of its officers, agents and subcontractors in relation to this Contract, are works for hire for the benefit of the Department, fully compensated for by the contract amount, and that neither the Provider nor any of its officers, agents nor subcontractors may claim any interest in any intellectual property rights accruing under or in connection with the performance of this Contract. It is specifically agreed that the Department shall have exclusive rights to all data processing software falling within the terms of section 119.084, F.S., which arises or is developed in the course of or as a result of work or services performed under this Contract, or in any way connected herewith. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, if the Provider is a university and a member of the State University System of Florida, then section 1004.23, F.S., shall apply.

4.6.1 If the Provider uses or delivers to the Department for its use or the use of its employees, agents or contractors, any design, device, or materials covered by letters, patent, or copyright, it is mutually agreed and understood that, except as to those items specifically listed in Exhibit A as having specific limitations, the compensation paid pursuant to this Contract includes all royalties or costs arising from the use of such design, device, or materials in any way involved in the work contemplated by this Contract. For purposes of this provision, the term "use" shall include use by the Provider during the term of this Contract and use by the Department its employees, agents or contractors during the term of this Contract and perpetually thereafter.

4.6.2 All applicable subcontracts shall include a provision that the Federal awarding agency reserves all patent rights with respect to any discovery or invention that arises or is developed in the course of or under the subcontract. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, if the Provider or one of its subcontractors is a university and a member of the State University System of Florida, then section 1004.23, F.S., shall apply, but the Department shall retain a perpetual, fully-paid, nonexclusive license for its use and the use of its contractors of any resulting patented, copyrighted or trademarked work products.

4.7 Transition Activities.

Continuity of service is critical when service under this Contract ends and service commences under a new contract. Accordingly, when service will continue through another provider upon the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract, the Provider shall, without additional compensation, complete all actions necessary to smoothly transition service to the new provider. This includes but is not limited to the transfer of relevant data and files, as well as property funded or provided pursuant to this Contract. The Provider shall be required to support an orderly transition to the next provider no later than the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract and shall support the requirements for transition as specified in a Department-approved Transition Plan, which shall be developed jointly with the new provider in consultation with the Department.

4.8 Real Property.

Any State funds provided for the purchase of or improvements to real property are contingent upon the Provider granting to the State a security interest in the property at least to the amount of the State funds provided for at least five (5) years from the date of purchase or the completion of the improvements or as further required by law. As a condition of receipt of State funding for this purpose, the Provider agrees that, if it disposes of the property before the Department's interest is vacated, the Provider will refund the proportionate share of the State's initial investment, as adjusted by depreciation.

4.9 Publicity.

Without limitation, the Provider and its employees, agents, and representatives will not, without prior Departmental written consent in each instance, use in advertising, publicity or any other promotional endeavor any State mark, the name of the State's mark, the name of the State or any State agency or affiliate or any officer or employee of the State, or any State program or service, or represent, directly or indirectly, that any product or service provided by the Provider has been approved or endorsed by the State, or refer to the existence of this Contract in press releases, advertising or materials distributed to the Provider's prospective customers.

4.10 Sponsorship.

As required by section 286.25, F.S., if the Provider is a non-governmental organization which sponsors a program financed wholly or in part by State funds, including any funds obtained through this Contract, it shall, in publicizing, advertising, or describing the sponsorship of the program state: "Sponsored by (Provider's name) and the State of Florida, Department of Children and Families". If the sponsorship reference is in written material, the words "State of Florida, Department of Children and Families" shall appear in at least the same size letters or type as the name of the organization.

4.11 Employee Gifts.

The Provider agrees that it will not offer to give or give any gift to any Department employee during the service performance period of this Contract and for a period of two years thereafter. In addition to any other remedies available to the Department, any violation of this provision will result in referral of the Provider's name and description of the violation of this term to the Department of Management Services for the potential inclusion of the Provider's name on the suspended vendors list for an appropriate period. The Provider will ensure that its subcontractors, if any, comply with these provisions.

4.12 Mandatory Reporting Requirements.

The Provider and any subcontractor must comply with and inform its employees of the following mandatory reporting requirements. Each employee of the Provider, and of any subcontractor, providing services in connection with this Contract who has any knowledge of a reportable incident shall report such incident as follows: 1) reportable incidents that may involve an immediate or impending impact on the health or safety of a client shall be immediately reported to the Contract Manager; and 2) other reportable incidents shall be reported to the Department's Office of Inspector General by completing a Notification/Investigation Request (Form CF 1934) and emailing the request to the Office of Inspector General at ig_complaints@dcf.state.fl.us. The Provider and subcontractor may also mail the completed form to the Office of Inspector General, 1317 Winewood Boulevard, Building 5, 2nd Floor, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0700; or via fax at (850) 488-1428. A reportable incident is defined in CFOP 180-4, which can be obtained from the Contract Manager.

5. <u>RECORDS, AUDITS AND DATA SECURITY.</u>

5.1 Records, Retention, Audits, Inspections and Investigations.

5.1.1 The Provider shall establish and maintain books, records and documents (including electronic storage media) sufficient to reflect all income and expenditures of funds provided by the Department under this Contract.

5.1.2 Retention of all client records, financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and any other documents (including electronic storage media) pertinent to this Contract shall be maintained by the Provider during the term of this Contract and retained for a period of six (6) years after completion of the Contract or longer when required by law. In the event an audit is required under this Contract, records shall be retained for a minimum period of six (6) years after the audit report is issued or until resolution of any audit findings or litigation based on the terms of this Contract, at no additional cost to the Department.

5.1.3 Upon demand, at no additional cost to the Department, the Provider will facilitate the duplication and transfer of any records or documents during the term of this Contract and the required retention period in Section 5.1.2 hereof.

5.1.4 These records shall be made available at all reasonable times for inspection, review, copying, or audit by Federal, State, or other personnel duly authorized by the Department.

5.1.5 At all reasonable times for as long as records are maintained, persons duly authorized by the Department and Federal auditors, pursuant to 45 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) s. 92.36(i)(10), shall be allowed full access to and the right to examine any of the Provider's contracts and related records and documents, regardless of the form in which kept.

5.1.6 A financial and compliance audit shall be provided to the Department as specified in this Contract and in Attachment 1.

5.1.7 The Provider shall comply and cooperate immediately with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by The Office of the Inspector General (section 20.055, F.S.).

No record may be withheld nor may the Provider attempt to limit the scope of any of the foregoing inspections, reviews, copying, transfers or audits based on any claim that any record is exempt from public inspection or is confidential, proprietary or trade secret in nature; provided, however, that this provision does not limit any exemption to public inspection or copying to any such record.

5.2 Inspections and Corrective Action.

The Provider shall permit all persons who are duly authorized by the Department to inspect and copy any records, papers, documents, facilities, goods and services of the Provider which are relevant to this Contract, and to interview any clients, employees and subcontractor employees of the Provider to assure the Department of the satisfactory performance of the terms and conditions of this Contract. Following such review, the Department will deliver to the Provider a written report of its findings, and may direct the development, by the Provider, of a corrective action plan where appropriate. The Provider hereby agrees to timely correct all deficiencies identified in the Department's written report. This provision will not limit the Department's termination rights under Section 6.2.3 hereof.

5.3 Provider's Confidential and Exempt Information.

5.3.1 By executing this Contract, the Provider acknowledges that, having been provided an opportunity to review all provisions hereof, all provisions of this Contract not specifically identified in writing by the Provider prior to execution hereof as "confidential or exempt" will be posted by the Department on the public website maintained by the Department of Financial Services pursuant to section 215.985, F.S. The Provider agrees that, upon written request of the Department, it shall promptly provide to the Department a written statement of the basis for the exemption applicable to each provision identified by the Provider as "confidential or exempt", including the statutory citation to an exemption created or afforded by statute, and state with particularity the reasons for the conclusion that the provision is exempt or confidential.

5.3.2 Any claim by Provider of trade secret (proprietary) confidentiality for any information contained in Provider's documents (reports, deliverables or workpapers, etc., in paper or electronic form) submitted to the Department in connection with this Contract will be waived, unless the claimed confidential information is submitted in accordance with Section 5.3.2.a. hereof.

a. The Provider must clearly label any portion of the documents, data, or records submitted that it considers exempt from public inspection or disclosure pursuant to Florida's Public Records Law as trade secret. The labeling will include a justification citing specific statutes and facts that authorize exemption of the information from public disclosure. If different exemptions are claimed to be applicable to different portions of the protected information, the Provider shall include information correlating the nature of the claims to the particular protected information.

b. The Department, when required to comply with a public records request including documents submitted by the Provider, may require the Provider to expeditiously submit redacted copies of documents marked as trade secret in accordance with Section 5.3.2.a hereof. Accompanying the submission shall be an updated version of the justification under Section 5.3.2.a. hereof, correlated specifically to redacted information, either confirming that the statutory and factual basis originally asserted remain unchanged or indicating any changes affecting the basis for the asserted exemption from public inspection or disclosure. The redacted copy must exclude or obliterate only those exact portions that are claimed to be trade secret. If the Provider fails to promptly submit a redacted copy, the Department is authorized to produce the records sought without any redaction of proprietary or trade secret information.

The Provider shall be responsible for defending its claim that each and every portion of the redactions of trade secret information are exempt from inspection and copying under Florida's Public Records Law.

5.4 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act.

☐ The Provider certifies that neither it nor its subcontractors will have access to, receive or provide Protected Health Information within the meaning of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (42 U.S.C. s.1320d.) and the regulations promulgated thereunder (45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164) incidental to performance of this Contract.

☒ In compliance with 45 CFR s.164.504(e), the Provider shall comply with the provisions of Attachment 2 to this Contract, governing the safeguarding, use and disclosure of Protected Health Information created, received, maintained, or transmitted by the Provider or its subcontractors incidental to the Provider's performance of this Contract.

5.5 Confidential Client and Other Information. Except as provided in this Contract, the Provider shall not use or disclose but shall protect and maintain the confidentiality of any client information and any other information made confidential by Florida law or Federal laws or regulations that is obtained or accessed by the Provider or its subcontractors incidental to performance under this Contract.

5.6 Data Security. The Provider shall comply with the following data security requirements whenever the Provider or its subcontractors have access to Department data systems or maintain any client or other confidential information in electronic form:

5.6.1 An appropriately skilled individual shall be identified by the Provider to function as its Data Security Officer. The Data Security Officer shall act as the liaison to the Department's security staff and will maintain an appropriate level of data security for the information the Provider is collecting or using in the performance of this Contract. An appropriate level of security includes approving and tracking all Provider employees that request or have access to any Departmental data system or information. The Data Security Officer will ensure that user access to the data system or information has been removed from all terminated Provider employees.

5.6.2 The Provider shall provide the latest Departmental security awareness training to its staff who have access to departmental information.

5.6.3 All Provider employees who have access to Departmental information shall comply with, and be provided a copy of CFOP 50-2, and shall sign the DCF Security Agreement form CF 0114 annually. A copy of CF 0114 may be obtained from the Contract Manager.

5.6.4 The Provider shall make every effort to protect and avoid unauthorized release of any personal or confidential information by ensuring both data and mobile storage devices are encrypted as prescribed in CFOP 50-2. If encryption of these devices is not possible, then the Provider shall assure that unencrypted personal and confidential Departmental data will not be stored on unencrypted storage devices.

5.6.5 The Provider agrees to notify the Contract Manager as soon as possible, but no later than five (5) business days following the determination of any breach or potential breach of personal and confidential Departmental data.

5.6.6 The Provider shall at its own cost provide notice to affected parties no later than 45 days following the determination of any potential breach of personal or confidential Departmental data as provided in section 817.5681, F.S. The Provider shall also at its own cost implement measures deemed appropriate by the Department to avoid or mitigate potential injury to any person due to a breach or potential breach of personal and confidential Departmental data.

The Provider shall cause each of its subcontractors having access to Department data systems or maintaining any client or other confidential information in electronic form to comply with the provisions of this Section 5.6 and the term "Provider" shall be deemed to mean the subcontractor for such purposes.

6. PENALTIES, TERMINATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION.

6.1 Financial Penalties for Failure to Take Corrective Action.

6.1.1 In accordance with the provisions of section 402.73(1), F.S., and Rule 65-29.001, F.A.C., corrective action plans may be required for noncompliance, nonperformance, or unacceptable performance under this Contract. Penalties may be imposed for failures to implement or to make acceptable progress on such corrective action plans.

6.1.2 The increments of penalty imposition that shall apply, unless the Department determines that extenuating circumstances exist, shall be based upon the severity of the noncompliance, nonperformance, or unacceptable performance that generated the need for corrective action plan. The penalty, if imposed, shall not exceed ten percent (10%) of the total contract payments during the period in which the corrective action plan has not been implemented or in which acceptable progress toward implementation has not been made. Noncompliance that is determined to have a direct effect on client health and safety shall result in the imposition of a ten percent (10%) penalty of the total contract payments during the period in which the corrective action plan has not been implemented or in which acceptable progress toward implementation has not been made.

6.1.3 Noncompliance involving the provision of service not having a direct effect on client health and safety shall result in the imposition of a five percent (5%) penalty. Noncompliance as a result of unacceptable performance of administrative tasks shall result in the imposition of a two percent (2%) penalty.

6.1.4 The deadline for payment shall be as stated in the Order imposing the financial penalties. In the event of nonpayment the Department may deduct the amount of the penalty from invoices submitted by the Provider.

6.2 Termination.

6.2.1 In accordance with Section 22 of PUR 1000 Form, this Contract may be terminated by the Department without cause upon no less than thirty (30) calendar days notice in writing to the Provider unless a sooner time is mutually agreed upon in writing.

6.2.2 In the event funds for payment pursuant to this Contract become unavailable, the Department may terminate this Contract upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours notice in writing to the Provider. The Department shall be the final authority as to the availability and adequacy of funds.

6.2.3 In the event the Provider fails to fully comply with the terms and conditions of this Contract, the Department may terminate the Contract upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours (excluding Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays) notice in writing to the Provider. Such notice may be issued without providing an opportunity for cure if it specifies the nature of the noncompliance and states that provision for cure would adversely affect the interests of the State or is not permitted by law or regulation. Otherwise, notice of termination will be issued after the Provider's failure to fully cure such noncompliance within the time specified in a written notice of noncompliance issued by the Department specifying the nature of the noncompliance and the actions required to cure such noncompliance. In addition, the Department may employ the default provisions in Rule 60A-1.006(3), F.A.C., but is not required to do so in order to terminate the Contract. The Department's failure to demand performance of any provision of this Contract shall not be deemed a waiver of such performance. The Department's waiver of any one breach of any provision of this Contract shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other breach and neither event shall be construed to be a modification of the terms and conditions of this Contract. The provisions herein do not limit the Department's right to remedies at law or in equity.

6.2.4 Failure to have performed any contractual obligations under any other contract with the Department in a manner satisfactory to the Department will be a sufficient cause for termination. To be terminated under this provision, the Provider must have: (1) previously failed to satisfactorily perform in a contract with the Department, been notified by the Department of the unsatisfactory performance, and failed to timely correct the unsatisfactory performance to the satisfaction of the Department; or (2) had a contract terminated by the Department for cause. Termination shall be upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours notice in writing to the Provider.

In the event of termination under Sections 6.2.1 or 6.2.2 hereof, the Provider will be compensated for any work satisfactorily completed through the date of termination or an earlier date of suspension of work per Section 21 of the PUR 1000.

6.3 Dispute Resolution.

Any dispute concerning performance of this Contract or payment hereunder shall be decided by the Department's Contract Manager, who shall reduce the decision to writing and provide a copy to the Provider. The decision shall be final and conclusive unless within twenty-one (21) calendar days from the date of receipt of the Contract Manager's decision, the Provider delivers to the Contract Manager a petition for alternative dispute resolution. After receipt of a petition for alternative dispute resolution the Department and the Provider shall attempt to amicably resolve the dispute through negotiations. Timely delivery of a petition for alternative dispute resolution and completion of the negotiation process shall be a condition precedent to any legal action by the Provider concerning this Contract. After timely delivery of a petition for alternative dispute resolution, the parties may employ any dispute resolution procedures described in the Attachment I or other attachment, or mutually agree to an alternative binding or nonbinding dispute resolution process, the terms of which shall be reduced to writing and executed by both parties. Completion of such agreed process shall be deemed to satisfy the requirement for completion of the negotiation process. This provision shall not limit the parties' rights of termination under Section 6.2 hereof.

All notices provided under Section 6 shall be in writing on paper, physically sent to the person identified in Section 1.3.d hereof by U.S. Postal Service or any other delivery service that provides verification of delivery, or by hand delivery.

7. OTHER TERMS.

7.1 Governing Law and Venue.

This Contract is executed and entered into in the State of Florida, and shall be construed, performed and enforced in all respects in accordance with Florida law, without regard to Florida provisions for conflict of laws. Courts of competent jurisdiction in Florida shall have exclusive jurisdiction in any action regarding this Contract and venue shall be in Leon County, Florida. Unless otherwise provided in any other provision or amendment hereof, any amendment, extension or renewal (when authorized) may be executed in counterparts as provided in Section 46 of the PUR 1000 Form.

7.2 No Other Terms.

There are no provisions, terms, conditions, or obligations other than those contained herein, and this Contract shall supersede all previous communications, representations, or agreements, either verbal or written between the parties.

7.3 Severability of Terms.

If any term or provision of this Contract is legally determined unlawful or unenforceable, the remainder of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect and such term or provision shall be stricken.

7.4 Survival of Terms.

The parties agree that, unless a provision of this Contract, its attachments or incorporated documents expressly states otherwise as to itself or a named provision, all provisions of this Contract concerning obligations of the Provider and remedies available to the Department are intended to survive the "ending date" or an earlier termination of this Contract. The Provider's performance pursuant to such surviving provisions shall be without further payment, as the contract payments received during the term of this Contract are consideration for such performance.

7.5 Modifications.

Modifications of provisions of this Contract shall be valid only when they have been reduced to writing and duly signed by both parties. The rate of payment and the total dollar amount may be adjusted retroactively to reflect price level increases and changes in the rate of payment when these have been established through the appropriations process and subsequently identified in the Department's operating budget.

7.6 Most Favored Party Status.

The Provider represents and warrants that the prices and terms for its services under this Contract are no less favorable to the Department than those for similar services under any existing contract with any other party. The Provider further agrees that, within 90 days of Provider entering into a contract or contract amendment or offering to any other party services similar to those under this Contract under prices or terms more favorable than those provided in this Contract, the Provider will report such prices and terms to the Department, which prices or terms shall be effective as an amendment to this Contract upon the Department's written acceptance thereof. Should the Department discover such other prices or terms, the same shall be effective as an amendment to this Contract retroactively to the earlier of the effective date of this Contract (for other contracts in effect as of that date) or the date they were first contracted or offered to the other party (for subsequent contracts, amendments or offers) and any payment in excess of such pricing shall be deemed overpayments. Provider shall submit an affidavit no later than July 31st of each year during the term of this Contract attesting that the Provider is in compliance with this provision, as required by section 216.0113, F.S.

7.7 Anticompetitive Agreements.

The Provider will not offer, enter into nor enforce any formal or informal agreement with any person, firm or entity under which the parties agree to refrain from competing for any future service contract or limit in any manner the ability of either party to obtain employment by or provide services to the Department or a provider of services to the Department.

7.8 Communications.

Except where otherwise provided in this Contract, communications between the parties regarding this Contract may be by any commercially reasonable means. Where this Contract calls for communication in writing, such communication includes email, and attachments thereto are deemed received when the email is received.

7.9 Accreditation.

The Department is committed to ensuring provision of the highest quality services to the persons we serve. Accordingly, the Department has expectations that where accreditation is generally accepted nationwide as a clear indicator of quality service, the majority of the Department's providers will either be accredited, have a plan to meet national accreditation standards, or will initiate a plan within a reasonable period of time.

7.10 Transitioning Young Adults.

The Provider understands the Department's interest in assisting young adults aging out of the dependency system. The Department encourages Provider participation with the local Community-Based Care Lead Agency Independent Living Program to offer gainful employment to youth in foster care and young adults transitioning from the foster care system.

7.11 DEO and Workforce Florida.

The Provider understands that the Department, the Department of Economic Opportunity, and Workforce Florida, Inc., have jointly implemented an initiative to empower recipients in the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families Program to enter and remain in gainful employment. The Department encourages Provider participation with the Department of Economic Opportunity and Workforce Florida.

7.12 Purchases by Other Agencies.

The Department of Management Services may approve this Contract as an alternate contract source pursuant to Rule 60A-1.047, Florida Administrative Code, if requested by another agency. Other State agencies may purchase from the resulting contract, provided that the Department of Management Services has determined that the contract's use is cost-effective and in the best interest of the State. Upon

such approval, the Contractor may, at its discretion, sell these commodities or services to additional agencies, upon the terms and conditions contained herein.

By signing this Contract, the parties agree that they have read and agree to the entire Contract, as described in Section 1.4 hereof.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this 44 page Contract to be executed by their undersigned officials as duly authorized.

PROVIDER: Miami-Dade County | **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

EXHIBIT "B"

Provider_____
2015-2016 Department of Children and Families Homeless Prevention Grant Program
Grant Number: _____

GRANT CONTRACT

This Grant Contract (the "Contract" or "Grant Agreement") is made and entered into as of this day of_____, 20__, by and between Miami-Dade County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida (the "County"), having its principal office at 111 N.W. 1st Street, 27th Floor, Miami, Florida 33128 and _____**/FEIN#:** _____, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, having its principal office at _____ ("Provider"), states conditions and covenants for the rendering of human and social services ("Services") for the County.

WHEREAS, the Provider provides or will develop social services of value to the County and has demonstrated an ability or desire to provide these services; and

WHEREAS, the County is the recipient of funds from the Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF) Challenge Grant, to provide match funding for the provision of homeless housing and supportive services for persons in Miami-Dade County.

WHEREAS, the provider shall adhere to all terms and conditions imposed on the County as outlined in the State of Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF) Challenge Grant agreement, as may have been amended and may be further amended, which is herein attached as Attachment A-1; and

WHEREAS, the County is desirous of assisting the Provider in providing those services and the Provider is desirous of providing such services;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto agree the recitals above are hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein and the partners hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

The following words and expressions used in this Grant Agreement shall be construed as follows, except when it is clear from the context that another meaning is intended:

a) The words "Agreement" "Contract" or "Contract Documents" shall mean collectively these terms and conditions, the Scope of Services **Attachment A** and the Budget Documents **Attachment B** and all other attachments hereto, as well as all amendments or budget revisions issued hereto.

b) The words "Contract Manager" shall mean Miami-Dade County's Director of the Homeless Trust ("County") or the Director's designee, or the duly authorized representative designated to manage the Contract.

c) The word "Days" shall mean Calendar Days, unless otherwise specifically noted.

d) The word "Deliverables" shall mean all documentation and any items of any nature

submitted by the Provider to the County for review and approval pursuant to the terms of this Contract.

e) The words "directed", "required", "permitted", "ordered", "designated", "selected", "prescribed" or words of like import to mean respectively, the direction, requirement, permission, order, designation, selection or prescription of the County's Contract Manager; and similarly the words "approved", acceptable", "satisfactory", "equal", "necessary", or words of like import to mean respectively, approved by, or acceptable or satisfactory to, equal or necessary in the sole discretion of the County's Contract Manager.

f) The words "Effective Term" shall mean the date on which this Contract is effective, including start date and end date.

g) The words "Extra Work" or "Change Order" or "Additional Work" shall mean resulting in additions or deletions or modifications to the amount, type or value of the Work and Services as required in this Contract, as directed and/or approved by the County.

h) "HIPAA" means Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

i) The words "Scope of Services" shall mean the document appended hereto as **Attachment A**, which details the work to be performed by the Provider.

j) The word "subcontractor" or "sub consultant" shall mean any person, entity, firm or corporation, other than the employees of the Provider, who furnishes labor and/or materials, in connection with the Work, whether directly or indirectly, on behalf and/or under the direction of the Provider and whether or not in privities of contract with the Provider.

k) The words "Work", "Services" "Program", or "Project" shall mean all matters and things required to be done by the Provider in accordance with the provisions of this Contract.

ARTICLE 2. <u>AMOUNT PAYABLE</u>. Subject to available funds, the maximum amount payable for services rendered under this contract shall not exceed:

DEPARTMENTOF CHILDREN AND FAMILES CHALLENGE GRANT PROGRAM	**$_____.00**

Provider_____
2015-2016 Department of Children and Families Homeless Prevention Grant Program
Grant Number: _____

Both parties agree that should available County funding be reduced, the amount payable under this Contract may be proportionately reduced at the sole discretion and option of the County. Availability of funds shall be determined at the sole discretion of the County.

All services undertaken by the Provider before the County's execution of this Contract shall be at the Provider's risk and expense.

It is the responsibility of the Provider to maintain sufficient financial resources to meet the expenses incurred during the period between the provision of services and payment by the County.

The County, at its sole discretion, may allow Provider an advance of **N/A** once the Provider has submitted an appropriate request and submitted an invoice in the form required by the County.

This Agreement is contingent upon ratification by the Board of the Miami-Dade County Commissioners (BCC).

ARTICLE 3. SCOPE OF SERVICES

The Provider shall render services in accordance with the Scope of Services incorporated herein and attached hereto as **Attachment A.**

The Provider shall implement the Scope of Services as described in **Attachment A** in a manner deemed satisfactory to the County. Any modification or amendment to the Scope of Services shall not be effective until approved by the County and Provider in writing.

The Provider shall carry out the activities specified in **Attachment A, the "Scope of Services,"** in Miami-Dade County, and adhere to minimum standards of housing and services as set forth in **Attachment A-2, "Standards of Care"** and incorporated here by reference. The provider shall also adhere to all terms and conditions imposed on the County as outlined in the State of Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF) contractual agreement, whose term is _____ through June 30, 2016 (**Attachment A-1**) and its attachments, incorporated herein by reference ("The DCF County Contract). The Provider shall also comply and be bound by all provisions, terms, conditions, amendments, addendum, changes or revisions applicable to the Provider pursuant to the County's contract with the Department of Children and Families (DCF), including such provisions, terms, conditions, amendments, addendum, changes or revisions made subsequent to the execution of the Agreement between the County and the Provider. In the event the Provider is unsure whether a provision in the DCF County Contract applies to the Provider, the Provider shall notify the County and the County shall in its sole discretion determine the provision's applicability to the Provider.

ARTICLE 4. BUDGET SUMMARY

The Provider agrees that all expenditures or costs shall be made in accordance with the Budget for the provision of services in accordance with Attachment A, the "Scope of Services".

The Budget is attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Attachment B**. The Provider shall also be responsible for providing matching funds in the amount of $_____.

The parties agree that the Provider will provide prevention and rapid-rehousing tenant-based rent assistance and other financial assistance and supportive services.

The parties agree that the Provider may, with the County's prior written approval; revise the schedule of payments or the line item budget, and such revision shall not require an amendment to this Contract.

Pursuant to Board of Miami-Dade County Commissioners Resolution 630-13, the Provider will submit a detailed project budget, and sources and uses statement as Attachment B-1, which shall be sufficiently detailed to show (i) the total project cost, (ii) the amount of funds to be used for administrative and overhead costs, (iii) whether the County funds will be 'gap' funds meaning that they would be the last remaining funds needed to ensure funding for the total project cost, (iv) any profit to be made by the Provider, and (v) the amount of funds devoted toward the provision of the desired services or activities.

The County Mayor or Mayor's designee may make unannounced, on-site visits during normal working hours to the Provider's headquarters and any location or site where the services contracted for under this Agreement are performed.

ARTICLE 5. EFFECTIVE TERM

Both parties agree that the Effective Term of this Contract shall commence on _____ and terminate at the close of business on **June 30, 2016**. Contingent on the existence of sufficient funding, performance and the approval of the County, this Contract may be extended at the County's sole discretion.

ARTICLE 6. INDEMNIFICATION BY PROVIDER

A. **Government Entity.** Government entity shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance of this Contract by the government entity or its employees, agents, servants, partners, principals or subcontractors. Government entity shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable, including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorney's fees which may issue thereon. Provided, however, this

indemnification shall only be to the extent and within the limitations of Section 768.28, Fla. Stat.

B. **All Other Providers.** Provider shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance of this Contract by the Provider or its employees, agents, servants, partners principals or subcontractors. Provider shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable, including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorney's fees which may issue thereon. Provider expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection required by this Contract or otherwise provided by Provider shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify, keep and save harmless and defend the County or its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities as herein provided.

C. **Term of Indemnification.** The provisions of Article 6 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Contract.

ARTICLE 7. <u>INSURANCE</u>

If the total dollar value of all County contracts with the Provider exceeds $25,000 then the following insurance coverage is required:

A. **Government Entity.** If the Provider is the State of Florida or an agency or political subdivision of the State as defined by section 768.28, Florida Statutes, the Provider shall furnish the County, upon request, written verification of liability protection in accordance with section 768.28, Florida Statutes. Nothing herein shall be construed to extend any party's liability beyond that provided in section 768.28, Florida Statutes. The provider shall also furnish the County, upon request, written verification of Workers Compensation protection in accordance with Florida Statutes, Chapter 440.

B. **All Other Providers.**

1. Minimum Insurance Requirements: Certificates of Insurance. The Provider shall submit to Miami-Dade County, c/o Miami Dade County Homeless Trust (COUNTY), 111 N.W. 1st Street, 27th Floor, Miami, Florida 33128-1994, original Certificate(s) of Insurance indicating that insurance coverage has been obtained which meets the requirements as outlined below:

A. All insurance certificates must list the County as "Certificate Holder" in the following manner:

Miami-Dade County
111 N.W. 1st Street, Suite 2340
Miami, Florida 33128

B. Worker's Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Provider as required by Florida Statutes, Chapter 440.

C. Commercial General Liability Insurance in an amount not less than $300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Miami-Dade County must be shown as an additional insured with respect to this coverage.

D. Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles used in connection with the Work provided under this Contract, in an amount not less than $300,000* combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.

*NOTE: For Providers supplying vans or mini-buses with seating capacities of fifteen (15) passengers or more, the limit of liability required for Auto Liability is $500,000.

E. Professional Liability Insurance in the name of the Provider, when applicable, in an amount not less than $250,000.

F. All insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:

1. The company must be rated no less than "B" as to management, and no less than "Class V" as to financial strength, according to the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, or its equivalent, subject to the approval of the County's Risk Management Division.

OR

2. The company must hold a valid Florida Certificate of Authority as shown in the latest "List of All Insurance Companies Authorized or Approved to Do Business in Florida," issued by the State of Florida Department of Insurance, and must be a member of the Florida Guaranty Fund.

G. Certificates will indicate that no modification or change in insurance shall be made without thirty (30) days advance written notice to the Certificate Holder.

H. Compliance with the foregoing requirements shall not relieve the Provider of its liability and obligations under this Section or under any other section of this Contract.

I. The County reserves the right to inspect the Provider's original insurance policies at any time during the term of this Contract.

J. Applicability of this Article to Providers whose combined total award for all services funded under this Contract exceeds a $25,000 threshold. In the event that the Provider whose original total combined award in less than $25,000, but receives additional funding during the contract period which makes the total combined award exceed $25,000, then the requirements in this Article shall apply.

K. **Failure to Provide Certificates of Insurance.** The Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that the insurance certificates required in conjunction with this Section remain in force for the duration of the effective term of this Contract. If insurance certificates are scheduled to expire during the effective term, the Provider shall be responsible for submitting new or renewed insurance certificates to the County prior to expiration.

In the event that expired certificates are not replaced with new or renewed certificates which cover the effective term, the County may suspend the Contract until such time as the new or renewed certificates are received by the County in the manner prescribed herein; provided, however, that this suspended period does not exceed thirty (30) calendar days. Thereafter, the County may, at its sole discretion, terminate this Contract.

ARTICLE 8. PROOF OF LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION AND BACKGROUND SCREENING

A. Licensure. If the Provider is required by the State of Florida or Miami-Dade County or any federal, state or local law or regulation to be licensed or certified to provide the services or operate the facilities outlined in the Scope of Services (Attachment A), the Provider shall furnish to the County a copy of all required current licenses or certificates. Examples of services or operations requiring such licensure or certification include but are not limited to childcare, day care, nursing homes, and boarding homes.

If the Provider fails to furnish the County with the licenses or certificates required under this Section, the County shall not disburse any funds until it is provided with such licenses or certificates. Failure to provide the licenses or certificates within sixty (60) days of execution of this Agreement may result in termination of this Agreement at the County's discretion.

B. Background Screening. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations, ordinances and resolutions regarding background screening of employees, volunteers and subcontractors. Provider's failure to comply with any applicable laws, regulations, ordinances and resolutions regarding background screening of

employees, volunteers and subcontractors is grounds for a material breach and termination of this contract at the sole discretion of the County.

The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable laws (including but not limited to Chapters 39, 402, 409, 394, 408, 393, 397, 984, 985 and 435, Florida Statutes, as may be amended form time to time), regulations, ordinances and resolutions, regarding background screening of those who may work or volunteer with vulnerable persons, as defined by section 435.02, Florida Statutes, as may be amended from time to time.

In the event criminal background screening is required by law, the State of Florida and/or the County, the Provider will permit only employees and subcontractors with a satisfactory national criminal background check through an appropriate screening agency (i.e., the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice, Florida Department of Law Enforcement or Federal Bureau of Investigation) to work or volunteer in direct contact with vulnerable persons.

The Provider agrees to ensure that employees, volunteers and subcontracted personnel who work with vulnerable persons satisfactorily complete and pass Level 2 background screening before working or volunteering with vulnerable persons. Provider shall furnish the County with proof that employees, volunteers and subcontracted personnel, who work with vulnerable persons, satisfactorily passed Level 2 background screening, pursuant to Chapter 435, Florida Statutes, as may be amended from time to time.

If the Provider fails to furnish to the County proof that an employee, volunteer or subcontractor's Level 2 background screening was satisfactorily passed and completed prior to that employee or subcontractor working or volunteering with a vulnerable person or vulnerable persons, the County shall not disburse any further funds and this Contract may be subject to termination at the sole discretion of the County.

ARTICLE 9. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. The Provider agrees to abide by and be governed by Miami-Dade County Ordinance No. 72-82 (Conflict of Interest Ordinance codified at Section 2-11.1 et al. of the Code of Miami-Dade County), as amended, which is incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein, in connection with its contract obligations hereunder.

B. No person under the employ of the County, who exercises any function or responsibilities in connection with this Contract, has at the time this Contract is entered into, or shall have during the term of this Contract, any personal financial interest, direct or indirect, in this Contract.

C. **Nepotism.** Notwithstanding the aforementioned provision, no relative of any officer, board of director, manager, or supervisor employed by the Provider shall be employed by the Provider unless the employment preceded the execution of this Contract by one (1) year. No family member of any employee may be employed by the Provider if the family member is to be employed in a direct supervisory or administrative relationship either supervisory or subordinate to the employee. The assignment of family members in the same organizational unit shall be discouraged. A conflict of interest in employment arises whenever an individual would otherwise have the responsibility to make, or participate actively in making decisions or recommendations relating to the employment status of another individual if the two individuals (herein sometimes called "related individuals") have one of the following relationships:

1. By blood or adoption: Parent, child, sibling, first cousin, uncle, aunt, nephew, or niece;
2. By marriage: Current or former spouse, brother- or sister-in-law, father- or mother-in-law, son- or daughter-in-law, step-parent, or step-child; or
3. Other relationship: A current or former relationship, occurring outside the work setting that would make it difficult for the individual with the responsibility to make a decision or recommendation to be objective, or that would create the appearance that such individual could not be objective. Examples include, but are not limited to, personal relationships and significant business relationships.

For purposes of this section, decisions or recommendations related to employment status include decisions related to hiring, salary, working conditions, working responsibilities, evaluation, promotion, and termination.

An individual, however, is not deemed to make or actively participate in making decisions or recommendations if that individual's participation is limited to routine approvals and the individual plays no role involving the exercise of any discretion in the decision-making processes. If any question arises whether an individual's participation is greater than is permitted by this paragraph, the matter shall be immediately referred to the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics and Public Trust.

This section applies to both full-time and part-time employees and voting members of the Provider's Board of Directors.

D. No person, including but not limited to any officer, board of directors, manager, or supervisor employed by the Provider, who is in the position of authority, and who exercises any function or responsibilities in connection with this Contract, has at the time this Contract is entered into, or shall have during the term of this Contract, received any of the services, or direct or instruct any employee under their supervision to provide such services as described in the Contract. Notwithstanding the before mentioned provision, any officer, board of directors, manager or supervisor employed by the Provider, who is eligible to receive any of the services described herein may utilize such services if he or she can demonstrate that he or she does not have direct supervisory responsibility over the Provider's employee(s) or service program. Staff members, or their immediate family members (spouse, children, siblings, mother or father) of

Homeless Trust funded programs, who are eligible for and wish to receive services from a Homeless Trust funded program must receive the approval of the Executive Director of their employer (i.e. the Provider) prior to applying for and receiving those services. This approval must be in writing and accompany any referral for such services. Any Provider knowingly accepting a referral of an employee of a Homeless Trust funded program, and providing services without the written approval of the Executive Director of the Provider, will be subject to the recoupment/disallowance by the County of any funds paid for services to this individual and/or their immediate family member. When the services are to be provided at the same agency the employee works for, this information must be disclosed in writing to the director of the Homeless Trust, which shall be reviewed for eligibility determination and a sign off must come from the County. This provision does not apply to staff members seeking emergency shelter, medical or legal services. Providers must complete a Client Services Authorization Form **(Attachment P)** for staff members seeking services.

ARTICLE 10. CIVIL RIGHTS

The Provider agrees to abide by Chapter 11A of the Code of Miami-Dade County ("County Code"), as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, sex, familial status, marital status, sexual orientation, pregnancy, age, ancestry, national origin or handicap; Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment and public accommodation; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, 42 U.S.C. §6101, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment because of age; the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. §794, as amended, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability; the Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq., which prohibits discrimination in employment and public accommodations because of disability; the Federal Transit Act, 49 U.S.C. §1612, as amended; and the Fair Housing Act, 42 U.S.C. §3601 et seq. It is expressly understood that the Provider must submit an affidavit attesting that it is not in violation of the Acts. If the Provider or any owner, subsidiary, or other firm affiliated with or related to the Provider is found by the responsible enforcement agency, the Courts or the County to be in violation of these acts, the County will conduct no further business with the Provider.

Any contract entered into based upon a false affidavit shall be voidable by the County. If the Provider violates any of the Acts during the term of any contract the Provider has with the County, such contract shall be voidable by the County, even if the Provider was not in violation at the time it submitted its affidavit.

The Provider agrees that it is in compliance with the Domestic Violence Leave, codified as § 11A-60 et seq. of the Miami-Dade County Code, which requires an employer, who in the regular course of business has fifty (50) or more employees working in Miami-Dade County for each working day during each of twenty (20) or more calendar work weeks to provide domestic violence leave to its employees.

Failure to comply with this local law may be grounds for voiding or terminating this Contract or for commencement of debarment proceedings against Provider.

ARTICLE 11. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT;

Any person or entity that performs or assists Miami-Dade County with a function or activity involving the use or disclosure of "individually identifiable health information (IIHI)" and/or "Protected Health Information (PHI)" shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996 and the Miami-Dade County Privacy Standards Administrative Order. HIPAA mandates for privacy, security and electronic transfer standards, include but are not limited to:

1. Use of information only for performing services required by the contract or as required by law;
2. Use of appropriate safeguards to prevent non-permitted disclosures;
3. Reporting to Miami-Dade County of any non-permitted use or disclosure;
4. Assurances that any agents and subcontractors agree to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Provider and reasonable assurances that IIHI/PHI will be held confidential;
5. Making Protected Health Information (PHI) available to the customer;
6. Making PHI available to the client for review;
7. Making PHI available to Miami-Dade County for an accounting of disclosures; and
8. Making internal practices, books, and records related to PHI available to Miami-Dade County for compliance audits.

PHI shall maintain its protected status regardless of the form and method of transmission (paper records and/or electronic transfer of data). The Provider must give its clients written notice of its privacy information practices, including specifically, a description of the types of uses and disclosures that would be made with protected health information. Provider must post, and distribute upon request to service recipients, a copy of the County's Notice of Privacy Practices.

ARTICLE 12. NOTICE REQUIREMENTS

Notice under this Contract shall be sufficient if made in writing, delivered personally or sent via U.S. mail, electronic mail, facsimile, or certified mail with return receipt requested and postage prepaid, to the parties at the following addresses (or to such other party and at such other address as a party may specify by notice to others) and as further specified within this Contract. If notice is sent via electronic mail or facsimile, confirmation of the correspondence being sent will be maintained in the sender's files.

If to the COUNTY:

Miami-Dade County
Homeless Trust 111 N.W. 1st Street, 27th Floor
Miami, Florida 33128
Attention: Victoria L. Mallette, Executive Director
Electronic mail: VMallette@miamidade.gov

If to the PROVIDER:

Authorized Signatory
Title
Agency Name

Provider_____
2015-2016 Department of Children and Families Homeless Prevention Grant Program
Grant Number: _____

Address
City, State, Zip Code
Electronic mail: _____

Either party may at any time designate a different address and/or contact person by giving written notice as provided above to the other party. Such notices shall be deemed given upon receipt by the addressee.

ARTICLE 13. AUTONOMY

Both parties agree that this Contract recognizes the autonomy of the contracting parties and implies no affiliation between the contracting parties. It is expressly understood and intended that the Provider is only a recipient of funding support and is not an agent or instrumentality of the County. Furthermore, the Provider's agents and employees are not agents or employees of the County.

ARTICLE 14. SURVIVAL

The parties acknowledge that any of the obligations in this Contract, including but not limited to Provider's obligation to indemnify the County, will survive the term, termination, and cancellation hereof. Accordingly, the respective obligations of the Provider under this Contract, which by nature would continue beyond the termination, cancellation or expiration thereof, shall survive termination, cancellation or expiration hereof.

ARTICLE 15. BREACH OF CONTRACT: COUNTY REMEDIES

A. **Breach.** A breach by the Provider shall have occurred under this Contract if: (1) the Provider fails to provide the services outlined in the Scope of Services (**Attachment A**) within the effective term of this Contract; (2) the Provider ineffectively or improperly uses the County funds allocated under this Contract; (3) the Provider does not furnish the Certificates of Insurance required by this Contract or as determined by the County's Risk Management Division; (4) if applicable, the Provider does not furnish upon request by the County proof of licensure/certification or proof of background screening required by this Contract; (5) the Provider fails to submit, or submits incorrect or incomplete, proof of expenditures to support disbursement requests or advance funding disbursements or fails to submit or submits incomplete or incorrect detailed reports of expenditures or final expenditure reports; (6) the Provider does not submit or submits incomplete or incorrect required reports; (7) the Provider refuses to allow the County access to records or refuses to allow the County to monitor, evaluate and review the Provider's program; (8) the Provider discriminates under any of the laws outlined in Article 10 of this Contract; (9) the Provider, attempts to meet its obligations under this Contract through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement; (10) the Provider fails to correct deficiencies found during a monitoring, evaluation, or review within the specified time as described and defined in its Performance Improvement Plan (PIP); (11) the Provider fails to issue prompt payments to small business subcontractors or follow dispute resolution procedures regarding a disputed payment; (12) the Provider fails to submit the Certificate of Corporate Status, Board of Directors requirement, or proof of tax status; or (13)

the Provider fails to fulfill in a timely and proper manner any and all of its obligations, covenants, agreements, and stipulations in this Contract; (14) the Provider fails to meet any of the terms and conditions of the Miami-Dade County Affidavits (**Attachment C)** and the State Affidavits (**Attachment D)** ☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable** or (15) the Provider fails to fulfill in a timely and proper manner any or all of its obligations, covenants, agreements and stipulations in this Contract. Waiver of breach of any provisions of this Contract shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of this Contract.

In the event that the County determines certain Contract goals (as defined in the Scope of Services) are not being met then the County, in its sole discretion may place the Provider on a Performance Improvement Plan (PIP). The following is a delineation of some instances where a PIP may be required:

a. **HMIS**- Based on Provider's past performance on prior contracts in the area of Homeless Management Information System compliance it is subject to a PIP during this contract term. The Provider is required to submit a Monthly Progress Report and an HMIS-generated Monthly Progress Report for each month of the contract. Compliance will be determined when it is deemed that the two (2) reports are in substantial conformity with each other for a period of two consecutive months. (Substantial conformity as meaning a minimum of 95% accuracy on all elements). At the time of compliance, the Provider shall only be required to submit the HMIS-generated Monthly Progress Report.

   ☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable**

b. **Utilization** – Based on Provider's past performance on prior contracts in the area of utilization compliance, this contract is subject to a PIP. During this contract term, the Provider must submit all invoices in a timely manner. The Provider shall invoice at a rate of 95% of targeted expenditures for the invoicing period. If the Provider fails to comply, all rights to payments will be forfeited if the County so chooses. Failure to submit accurate invoices for appropriately documented and eligible expenditures at a rate of 95% of targeted expenditures by the end of the third quarter of this contract term may result in the termination of this contract by the County.

   ☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable**

c. **Program Performance** – Based on Provider's past performance on prior contracts in the area of program goals and outcome objectives, this Contract is subject to a PIP. During this Contract term, the Provider must achieve those goals specified in the Contract. Performance against these annual goals shall be evaluated on a quarterly basis, and if by the end of the third quarter of the contract period substantial compliance (meeting the targeted goals) is not achieved, it may result in the termination of this contract with the County.

   ☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable**

The above is subject to the review and approval of the County

B. **County Remedies.** If the Provider breaches this Contract, the County may pursue any or all of the following remedies:

1. The County may terminate this Contract by giving written notice to the Provider of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof. In the event of termination, the County may: (a) request the return of finished or unfinished documents, data studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models, photographs, reports prepared and secured by the Provider with County funds under this Contract; (b) seek reimbursement of County funds allocated to the Provider under this Contract; (c) terminate or cancel any other contracts entered into between the County and the Provider. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such termination, including attorney's fees;

2. The County may suspend payment in whole or in part under this Contract by providing written notice to the Provider of such suspension and specifying the effective date thereof. If payments are suspended, the County shall specify in writing the actions that must be taken by the Provider as condition precedent to resumption of payments and shall specify a reasonable date for compliance. The County may also suspend any payments in whole or in part under any other contracts entered into between the County and the Provider. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such suspension, including attorney's fees;

3. The County may seek enforcement of this Contract including but not limited to filing an action in a court of appropriate jurisdiction. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such enforcement, including attorney's fees;

4. The County may debar the Provider from future County contracting;

5. If, for any reason, the Provider should attempt to meet its obligations under this Contract through fraud, misrepresentation or material misstatement, the County shall, whenever practicable terminate this Contract by giving written notice to the Provider of such termination and specifying the effective date. The County may terminate or cancel any other contracts which such individual or entity has with the County. Such individual or entity shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such termination or cancellation, including attorney's fees. Any individual or entity who attempts to meet its contractual obligations with the County through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement may be debarred from county contracting for up to five (5) years;

6. Any other remedy available at law or equity.

C. **Authorization to Terminate Contract.** The Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to terminate this Contract on behalf of the County.

D. Failures or waivers to insist on strict performance of any covenant, condition, or provision of this Contract by the County shall not be deemed a waiver of any rights or remedies,

nor shall it relieve the Provider from performing any subsequent obligations strictly in accordance with the term of this Contract. No waiver shall be effective unless in writing and signed by the parties. Such waiver shall be limited to provisions of this Contract specifically referred to therein and shall not be deemed a waiver of any other provision. No waiver shall constitute a continuing waiver unless the writing states otherwise.

E. **Damages Sustained.** Notwithstanding the above, the Provider shall not be relieved of liability to the County for damages sustained by the County by virtue of any breach of the Contract, and the County may withhold any payments to the Provider until such time as the exact amount of damages due the County is determined. The County may also pursue any remedies available at law or equity to compensate for any damages sustained by the breach. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such action, including attorney's fees.

ARTICLE 16. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

The County may terminate this Contract, in whole or part, when both parties agree that the continuation of the activities would not produce beneficial results commensurate with further expenditure of the funds. Both parties shall agree upon the termination conditions, including the effective date and in the case of partial termination, the portion to be terminated. However, if the County determines in the case of partial termination that the reduced or modified portion of the grant will not accomplish the purposes for which the grant was made it may terminate the grant in its entirety.

The County may also, in its sole discretion, terminate the contract.

The Provider understands and acknowledges that if the County determines in its sole discretion that termination of the Contract is necessary for the healthy, safety, or welfare of the County then it may due so upon twenty-four (24) hours notice to the Provider.

ARTICLE 17. PAYMENT PROCEDURES

The County agrees to pay the Provider for services rendered under this Contract based on the payment schedule, timely provision by the Provider of required reports and of supporting documentation of expenses and activities as described in this Contract, and the line item budget (**Attachment B**). Payment shall be made in accordance with procedures outlined below and if applicable, the Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance 94-40).

1. **How payment will be made.** Payment requests shall be made to the County on a **monthly** basis (**up to two (2) months maximum**) and shall be signed by the Executive Director and the Financial Officer of the Provider, unless otherwise approved in writing, on the form incorporated herein as **Attachment E "Primary Care Invoice for Services"**. The payment request for the previous month is due by the **5th** of the month following the month for which payment is invoiced.

2. Any reimbursement may be withheld pending the receipt and approval by the County of all reports and documents required herein.
3. Maximum monthly reimbursements are limited to ___**N/A**____.
4. As applicable, during the period of __**N/A**__ through __**N/A**__, the Provider will submit a record of those individuals served utilizing Social Security Administration repayments as specified in the Scope of Services. The Provider will utilize these funds to serve those clients as specified and authorized in the Scope of Services
5. __**N/A**__ Providers with cumulative utilization rates **greater** than ninety percent (90%) during the first nine (9) months of this Contract may exceed this maximum number of billable bed days during the last quarter of the Contract term, up to the total Contract award amount, with the prior approval of the Executive Director of the Homeless Trust.
6. __**N/A**__ Providers with cumulative utilization rates **lower** than ninety percent (90%) may be subject to a reduction in funding and beds, if deemed necessary by the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust. Beds and funding may be reprogrammed as necessary and needed within the Continuum of Care. The Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust will conduct a review of the utilization of beds within the first six (6) months of the contract period.
7. Within thirty (30) days of the termination or expiration of this Contract, a final report of expenditures shall be submitted to the County. If after the receipt of such final report, the County determined that the Provider has been paid funds not in compliance with the Contract, and to which it is not entitled, the Provider will be required to return such funds to the County or submit documentation demonstrating that the expenditure was in compliance with this Contract. The County shall have the sole and absolute discretion to determine if the Provider is entitled to such funds and the County's decision in this matter shall be final and binding.

B. **Monies Owed to the County:** The County reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reduce payments to the Provider in order to recapture any monies owed to the County. In accordance with County Administrative Order No. 3-29, the Provider that is in arrears to the County is prohibited from obtaining new County contracts or extensions of contracts until such time as the arrearage has been paid in full or the County has agreed in writing to an approved payment plan.

This is a cost-based Contract in which the Provider shall be paid through reimbursement payment based on the budget approved under this Contract and when documentation of completed and satisfactory service delivery is provided. Thus, it is imperative that the Provider maintain appropriate supporting documentation for all expenditures from the beginning of the Contract term (i.e., receipts, bank statements, cancelled checks, employee timesheet, etc.).

The Provider shall submit to the Contract Manager, the Monthly Reimbursement form provided by the County on a monthly basis. Monthly reimbursement requests (both retroactive and

current) and accompanying supporting documentation must be received by the County no later than the 15th of the month following the month for which reimbursement is requested.

C. **No Payment of Subcontractors.** In no event shall County funds be advanced or paid by the County directly to any subcontractor hereunder. Payment to approved subcontractors shall be made by the Provider following requirements and limitations as detailed in Article 21 of this Contract.

D. **Processing the Request for Payment.** After the County staff reviews the payment request, the County will submit a payment request to the County's Finance Department. The County's Finance Department will issue payment via Automated Clearing House (ACH) or mail the check directly to the Provider at the address listed in Article 12 of this Contract, unless otherwise directed by the Provider in writing. The parties agree that the processing of a payment request from date of submission by the Provider shall take a maximum of thirty (30) days from receipt of a complete and accurate payment request, pursuant to the County's Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance 94-40), Section 2-8.1.4 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Administrative Order No. 3-19, and the Florida Prompt Payment Act, if supporting documentation/invoices are properly documented as determined by the County in its sole discretion. It is the responsibility of the Provider to maintain sufficient financial resources to meet the expenses incurred during the period between the provision of services and payment by the County.

E. **Reporting Requirements.** Failure to submit to the County the reports listed below in a manner deemed correct and acceptable by the County by the 15th day after the end of the month in which the service was delivered, or failure to submit to the County supporting documentation of Contract expenditures or activities within fourteen (14) days of any County request, shall be considered a breach of this Contract and may result in withholding payment, non-payment, or termination of this Contract.

	Applicable as indicated
1. Monthly Report of Disbursement-Invoice (**Attachment E**)	☒
2. Monthly and Final Performance Report Form (**Attachment G**)	☒
3. Outcome Performance Measurements Monthly Report (**Attachment H**)	☒
4. Client Contribution Report (**Attachment I**)	☐
5. Client Attendance Roster (**Attachment J**)	☐
6. Quarterly Vacancy / Permanent Housing Placement Report(**Attachment K**)	☐

Performance Reports. The Provider agrees to participate in the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) selected and established by the County. Participation will include, but is not limited to, input of client data upon intake, daily updates of bed availability information, as well as updates of client files upon client contact, and maintaining current data for statistical purposes. The Provider understands that they are responsible for any ongoing cost to access the HMIS system. The Provider shall furnish the County with Monthly, Quarterly, and Annual Performance Reports in accordance with the activities and goals detailed in the Scope of Services. The reports shall explain the Provider's progress for the quarter.

The data should be quantified when appropriate. The final progress report shall be due no later than thirty (30) days after the expiration or termination of this Contract. Continuation of this Contract and funding is contingent upon meeting established performance goals. Progress reports, produced through the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) invoices for services and client attendance rosters signed by the Executive Director of the agency shall by submitted by the Provider, as required.

F. **Final Report/Recapture of Funds.** Upon the expiration or termination of this Contract, the Provider shall submit the final Annual Performance Report and Annual Actual Expenditure Report (**Attachment L**) to the County no later than thirty (30) days after the expiration or termination of this Contract. If after receipt of such final reports, the County determines that the Provider has been paid funds not in accordance with the Contract, and to which it is not entitled, the Provider shall return such funds to the County, or the County may reduce, by the amount of such funds, from any subsequent payment to which the Provider is entitled, or the Provider may submit appropriate documentation within seven (7) days of notice from the County. The County shall have the sole discretion in determining if the Provider is entitled to such funds and the County's decision on this matter shall be final and binding. Additionally, any unexpended or unallocated funds shall be recaptured by the County.

Additionally, the Provider agrees to assign any proceeds to the County from any contract, including this Contract, between the County, its agencies or instrumentalities and the Provider or any firm, corporation, partnership or joint venture in which the Provider has a controlling financial interest in order to secure repayment of any reimbursements for services provided under this or any other contract for which the County discovers was not reimbursable through its inspection, review and/or audit pursuant to this Contract.

ARTICLE 18. PROHIBITED USE OF FUNDS

A. **Adverse Actions or Proceeding.** The Provider shall not utilize County funds to retain legal counsel for any action or proceeding against the County or any of its agents, instrumentalities, employees, or officials. The Provider shall not utilize County funds to provide legal representation, advice, or counsel to any client in any action or proceeding against the County or any of its agents, instrumentalities, employees, or officials.

B. **Religious Purposes.** County funds shall not be used for religious purposes.

C. **Commingling Funds.** The Provider shall not commingle funds provided under this Contract with funds received from any other funding sources. The Provider shall establish a separate account exclusively for receipt of the funds received pursuant to this Contract.

D. **Double Payments.** Provider costs claimed under this Contract may not also be claimed under another contract or grant from the County or any other agency. Any claim for double payment by Provider shall be considered a material breach of this Contract.

ARTICLE 19. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS, RECORDS, REPORTS, AUDITS, MONITORING AND REVIEW

A. **Certificate of Corporate Status.** The Provider must submit to the Contract Manager, within thirty (30) days from the date of execution of this Contract, a certificate of corporate status in the name of the Provider, which certifies the following: that the Provider is organized under the laws of the State of Florida; that all fees and penalties have been paid; that the Providers most recent annual report has been filed; that its status is active; and that the Provider has not filed Articles of Dissolution.

B. **Board of Director Requirements.** The Provider shall ensure that the Provider's Board of Directors is apprised of the programmatic, fiscal, and administrative obligations under this Contract funded through County Funds by passage of a formal resolution authorizing execution of this Contract with the County. A copy of this corporate resolution must be submitted to the County prior to contract execution. A current list of the Provider's Board of Directors and officers must be included with the submission. The Provider acknowledges and understands that all contract documents shall be signed by either the Provider's President or Vice President. The Provider's resolution shall at a minimum: list the name(s) of the Board's President, Vice President and, only in the event that the President or Vice President is not available to execute the contract documents, any other persons authorized to execute this Contract on behalf of the Provider; affirmatively state that a quorum was present at the time of adoption of the resolution; and reference the service categories and dollar amounts in the award, as may be amended.

C. **Proof of Tax Status.** The Provider is required to submit to the County the following documentation: (a) W-9 Form (**Attachment M**); (b) The I.R.S. tax exempt status determination letter; (c) the most recent I.R.S. form 990; (d) the annual submission of I.R.S. form 990 within (6) months after the Provider's fiscal year end; (e) IRS form 941 - Quarterly Federal Tax Return Reports within thirty-five (35) days after the quarter ends and if the form 941 reflects a tax liability, proof of payment must be submitted within forty-five (45) days after the quarter ends.

D. **Conflicts of Interest.** Section 2-11.1(d) of Miami-Dade County Code as amended, requires any County employee or any member of the employee's immediate family who has a controlling financial interest, direct or indirect, with Miami-Dade County or any person or agency acting for Miami-Dade County competing or applying for any such contract as it pertains to this solicitation, to first request a conflict of interest opinion from the County's Ethic Commission prior to their or their immediate family member's entering into any contract or transacting any business through a firm, corporation, partnership or business entity in which the employee or any member of the employee's immediate family has a controlling financial interest, direct or indirect, with Miami-Dade County or any person or agency acting for Miami-Dade County. Further, any such contract, agreement or business engagement entered in violation of this subsection, as amended, shall render this Contract voidable.

E. **Accounting Records.** The Provider shall keep accounting records which conform to generally accepted accounting principles. All such records will be retained by the Provider for no less than three (3) years beyond the term of this Contract, and shall be made available for review upon request from County authorized personnel.

F. **Financial Audit.** If the Provider has or is required to have an annual certified public accountant's opinion and related financial statements, the Provider agrees to provide these documents to the County no later than one hundred eighty (180) days following the end of the Provider's fiscal year, for each year during which this Contract remains in force or until all funds received pursuant to this Contract have been so audited, whichever is later.

G. **Access to Records: Audit.** The County reserves the right to require the Provider to submit to an audit by an auditor of the County's choosing or approval. The Provider shall provide access to all of its records which relate to this Contract at its place of business during regular business hours. The Provider agrees to provide such assistance as may be necessary to facilitate their review or audit by the County to ensure compliance with applicable accounting and financial standards.

H. **Quarterly Reviews of Expenditures and Records.** The County Commission Auditor may perform quarterly reviews of Provider's expenditures and records. Subsequent payments to the Provider shall be subject to a satisfactory review of Provider's records and expenditures by the County Commission Auditor, including but not limited to, review of supporting documentation for expenditures and the existence of sufficient documentation to support eligible expenditures. The Provider agrees to reimburse the County for ineligible expenditures as determined by the County Commission Auditor.

I. **Quality Assurance / Recordkeeping.** The Provider shall maintain, and shall require that the Provider's subcontractors and suppliers maintain, complete and accurate program and fiscal records to substantiate compliance with the requirements set forth in the **Attachment A**, Scope of Services, of this Contract. The Provider and its subcontractors and suppliers, shall retain such records, and all other documents relevant to the Services furnished under this Contract for a period of ☒ three (3) years or ☐ _____ years (for State contracts) from the expiration date of this Contract.

The Provider agrees to participate in evaluation studies, quality management activities, Corrective Action Plan activities, and analyses carried out by or on behalf of the County to evaluate the effectiveness of client service(s) or the appropriateness and quality of care/service delivery. Accordingly, the Provider shall allow authorized County staff involved in such efforts to examine and review the Provider's premises and records.

J. **Confidentiality Requirements.** The Provider shall establish and implement policies and procedures which ensure compliance with the following security standards and any and all applicable State and Federal statutes and regulations for the protection of confidential client records and electronic exchange of confidential information. The policies and procedures must ensure that:

(1) There is a controlled and secure area for storing and maintaining active confidential information and files, including but not limited to medical records;

(2) Confidential records are not removed from the Provider's premises, unless otherwise authorized by law or upon written consent from the County;

(3) Access to confidential information is restricted to authorized personnel of the Provider, the County, the United States Department of Health and Human Services, the United States Comptroller General, and/or the United States Office of the Inspector General;

(4) Records are not left unattended in areas accessible to unauthorized individuals;

(5) Access to electronic data is controlled;

(6) Written authorization, signed by the client, is obtained for release of copies of client records and/or information. Original documents must remain on file at the originating Provider site;

(7) An orientation is provided to new staff persons, employees, and volunteers. All employees and volunteers must sign a confidentiality pledge, acknowledging their awareness and understanding of confidentiality laws, regulations, and policies;

(8) Procedures are developed and implemented that address client chart and medical record identification, filing methods, storage, retrieval, organization and maintenance, access and security, confidentiality, retention, release of information, copying, and faxing.

K. **Monitoring: Management Evaluation and Performance Review.** The Provider agrees to permit County authorized personnel to monitor, review and evaluate the program/work which is the subject of this Contract. The County shall monitor fiscal, administrative, and programmatic compliance with all the terms and conditions of the Contract. The Provider shall permit the County to conduct site visits, client assessment surveys, and other techniques deemed reasonably necessary to fulfill the monitoring function. A report of the County's findings will be delivered to the Provider and the Provider will rectify all deficiencies cited within the period of time specified in the report. If such deficiencies are not corrected within the specified time the County may suspend payments or terminate this Contract. The County may conduct one or more formal management evaluation and performance reviews of the Provider. Continuation of this Contract and funding are dependent upon the County being satisfied with the results of the evaluations.

L. **Client Records.** The Provider shall maintain a separate individual client chart for each client/family served, where appropriate. This client chart shall include all pertinent information regarding case activity. At a minimum, the client chart shall contain referral and intake information, treatment plans, and case notes documenting the dates services were provided and the type of service provided. These client charts shall be subject to the audit and inspection requirements under Article 19, Sections F, G and H of this Contract.

M. **Disaster Plan/Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).** The Provider shall develop and maintain an Agency Disaster Plan/COOP. At a minimum, the Plan will describe how the Provider establishes and maintains an effective response to emergencies and disasters, and must comply with any Florida Statutes related to Emergency Management that are applicable to the Provider. The Disaster Plan/COOP must be submitted to the County no later than April 1st of the contract term and is also subject to review and approval of the County in its sole discretion. The Provider will review the Plan annually, revise it as needed, and maintain a written copy on file at the Provider's site.

N. Continuum of Care (CoC) Coordinated Intake and Assessment Process

The Provider shall participate in the Continuum of Care's (CoC) Coordinated Intake and Assessment process, to include, but not limited to: participation in the CoC's defined process to make and receive referrals for housing and/or services (including the use of the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) for such, if required in the Standards of Care); use of any forms required (e.g. Release of Information, Homeless Verification Form, Chronic Homeless Verification Form, etc.); compliance with established Standards of Care (and any revisions thereof) relating to eligibility criteria and timely processing of referrals; and cooperation with established prioritizations for placement.

O. Public Records

Pursuant to Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, if the Provider meets the definition of "Contractor" as defined in Section 119.0701(1)(a), the Provider shall:

(a) Keep and maintain public records that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the public agency in order to perform the service;
(b) Provide the public with access to public records on the same terms and conditions that the public agency would provide the records and at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law;
(c) Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law; and
(d) Meet all requirements for retaining public records and transfer to the County, at no County cost, all public records created, received, maintained and or directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are in possession of the Provider upon termination of this Agreement. Upon termination of this Agreement, the Provider shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records

disclosure requirements. All records stored electronically must be provided to the County in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the County.

For purposes of this Article, the term "public records"' shall mean all documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business of the County.

Provider's failure to comply with the public records disclosure requirement set forth in Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes shall be a breach of this Agreement.

In the event the Provider does not comply with the public records disclosure requirement set forth in Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, the County may, at the County's sole discretion, avail itself of the remedies set forth under this Agreement and available at law.

ARTICLE 20. Office of Miami-Dade County Inspector General

Miami-Dade County has established the Office of the Office of Inspector General which is empowered to perform random audits on all County contracts throughout the duration of each contract. The Miami-Dade County Inspector General is authorized and empowered to review past, present and proposed County and Public Health Trust programs, contracts, transactions, accounts, records and programs. In addition, the Inspector General has the power to subpoena witnesses, administer oaths, require the production of records and monitor existing projects and programs. Monitoring of an existing project or program may include a report concerning whether the project is on time, within budget and in compliance with plans, specifications and applicable law.

The Inspector general is empowered to analyze the necessity of and reasonableness of proposed charge orders to the Contract. The Inspector General is empowered to retain the services of independent private sector inspectors general (IPSIG) to audit, investigate, monitor, oversee, inspect and review operations, activities, performance and procurement process including but not limited to project design, bid specifications, proposal submittals, activities of the Provider, its officers, agents and employees, lobbyists, County staff and elected officials to ensure compliance with contract specifications and to detect fraud and corruption.

Upon ten (10) days prior written notice to the Provider from the Inspector General or IPSIG retained by the Inspector General, the Provider shall make all requested records and documents available to the Inspector General or IPSIG for inspection and copying. The Inspector General

and IPSIG shall have the right to inspect and copy all documents and records in the Provider's possession, custody or control which, in the Inspector General or IPSIG's sole judgment, pertain to performance of the contract, including, but not limited to original estimate files, worksheets, proposals and agreements from and with successful and unsuccessful subcontractors and suppliers, all project-related correspondence, memoranda, instructions, financial documents, construction documents, proposal and contract documents, back-charge documents, all documents and records which involve cash, trade or volume discounts, insurance proceeds, rebates, or dividends received, payroll and personnel records, and supporting documentation for the aforesaid documents and records.

The provisions in this section shall apply to the Provider, its officers, agents, employees, subcontractors and suppliers. The Provider shall incorporate the provisions in this section in all subcontractors and all other agreements executed by the Provider in connection with the performance of the contract.

Nothing in this contract shall impair any independent right of the County to conduct audit or investigative activities. The provisions of this section are neither intended nor shall they be construed to impose any liability on the County by the Provider or third parties.

ARTICLE 21. SUBCONTRACTORS and ASSIGNMENTS

A. **Subcontracts.** The parties agree that no assignment or subcontract will be made or let in connection with this Contract without the prior written approval of the County in its sole discretion, which shall not be unreasonably withheld, and that all subcontractors or assignees shall be governed by all of the terms and conditions of this Contract.

1) If the Provider will cause any part of this Contract to be performed by a Subcontractor, the provisions of this Contract will apply to such Subcontractor and its officers, agents and employees in all respects as if it and they were employees of the Provider; and the Provider will not be in any manner thereby discharged from its obligations and liabilities hereunder, but will be liable hereunder for all acts and negligence of the Subcontractor, its officers, agents, and employees, as if they were employees of the Provider. The services performed by the Subcontractor will be subject to the provisions hereof as if performed directly by the Provider.

2) The Provider, before making any subcontract for any portion of the services, will state in writing to the County the name of the proposed Subcontractor, the portion of the Services which the Subcontractor is to

perform, the place of business of such Subcontractor, and such other information as the County may require. The County will have the right to require the Provider not to award any subcontract to a person, firm, or corporation disapproved by the County in its sole discretion.

3) Before entering into any subcontract hereunder, the Provider will inform the Subcontractor fully and completely of all provisions and requirements of this Contract relating either directly or indirectly to the Services to be performed. Such Services performed by such Subcontractor will strictly comply with the requirements of this Contract.

4) In order to qualify as a Subcontractor satisfactory to the County in its sole discretion, in addition to the other requirements herein provided, the Subcontractor must be prepared to prove to the satisfaction of the County that it has the necessary facilities, skill and experience, and ample financial resources to perform the Services in a satisfactory manner. To be considered skilled and experienced, the Subcontractor must show to the satisfaction of the County in its sole discretion that it has satisfactorily performed services of the same general type which is required to be performed under this Contract.

5) The County shall have the right to withdraw its consent to a subcontract if it appears to the County that the subcontract will delay, prevent, or otherwise impair the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Contract. All Subcontractors are required to protect the confidentiality of the County's and County's proprietary and confidential information. Provider shall furnish to the County copies of all subcontracts between Provider and Subcontractors and suppliers hereunder. Within each such subcontract, there shall be a clause for the benefit of the County permitting the County to request completion of performance by the Subcontractor of its obligations under the subcontract, in the event the County finds the Contractor in breach of its obligations; and the option to pay the Subcontractor directly for the performance by such subcontractor. The foregoing shall neither convey nor imply any obligation or liability on the part of the County to any subcontractor hereunder as more fully described herein.

B. **Prompt Payments to Subcontractors.** The Provider shall issue prompt payments to subcontractors that are small businesses (annual gross sales of $750,000 or less with its principal place of business in Miami-Dade County) and shall have a dispute resolution procedure in place to address disputed payments. Pursuant to the County's Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance 94-40), Section 2-8.1.4 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Administrative Order No. 3-19, and the Florida Prompt Payment Act, payments must be made within thirty (30) days of receipt of a proper invoice. Failure to issue prompt payments to small business subcontractors or adhere to dispute resolution procedures may be grounds for

suspension or termination of this Contract or debarment.

ARTICLE 22. LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Provider agrees to comply, subject to applicable professional standards, with the provisions of any and all applicable Federal, State and the County's orders, statutes, ordinances, rules and regulations that may pertain to the Services required under this Contract, including but not limited to:

a) Miami-Dade County Florida, Department of Business Development Participation Provisions, as applicable to this Contract.

b) Miami-Dade County Code, Chapter 11A, including but not limited to Articles III and IV. All Providers and subcontractors performing work in connection with this Contract shall provide equal opportunity for employment and services without regard to race, creed, religion, color, sex, familial status, marital status, sexual orientation, pregnancy, age, ancestry, national origin or handicap. The aforesaid provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Provider agrees to post in a conspicuous place available for employees and applicants for employment, such notices as may be required by the Dade County Equal Opportunity Board or other authority having jurisdiction over the work setting forth the provisions of the nondiscrimination law.

c) Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance, Section 2-11.1 et seq. of the Code of Miami-Dade County, as amended.

d) Miami-Dade County Code Section 10-38, Debarment of contractors from County work.

e) Miami-Dade County Ordinance 99-5, codified at 11A-60 et seq. Code of Miami-Dade County pertaining to complying with the County's Domestic Leave Ordinance.

f) Miami-Dade County Ordinance 99-152 codified at Section 21-255 et seq. prohibiting the presentation, maintenance, or prosecution of false or fraudulent claims against Miami-Dade County.

g) Miami-Dade County Resolution 478-12. The Provider will not use products or foods containing "pink slime," as defined in Resolution 478-12 of the Board of Miami-Dade County Commissioners, in food that is provided or served pursuant to this agreement."

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, Provider shall not be required pursuant to this Contract to take any action or abstain from taking any action if such action or abstention would, in the good faith determination of the Provider, constitute a violation of any law or regulation to which Provider is subject, including but not limited to laws and regulations requiring that Provider conduct its operations in a safe and sound manner.

ARTICLE 23. MISCELLANEOUS

A. **Publicity.** It is understood and agreed between the parties hereto that this Provider is funded by Miami-Dade County. Further, by the acceptance of these funds, the Provider agrees that events funded by this Contract shall recognize and adequately reference the County as a funding source. The Provider shall ensure that all publicity, public relations, advertisements and signs recognizes and references the County (by inserting the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust Logo on all materials) for the support of all contracted activities. This is to include, but is not limited to, all posted signs, pamphlets, wall plaques, cornerstones, dedications, notices, flyers, brochures, news releases, media packages, promotions, and stationery. The use of the official Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust logo is permissible for the publicity purposes stated herein. Provider shall submit sample or mock up of such publicity or materials to the County for review and approval. The Provider shall ensure that all media representatives, when inquiring about the activities funded by this Contract, are informed that the County is its funding source.

B. **Governing Law and Venue.** This Contract is made in the State of Florida and shall be governed according to the laws of the State of Florida. Venue for this Contract shall be Miami-Dade County, Florida.

C. **Modifications.** Any alterations, variations, modifications, extensions, or waivers of provisions of this Contract including, but not limited to, amount payable and effective term shall only be valid when they have been reduced to writing, duly approved and signed by both parties and attached to the original of this Contract.

The County and Provider mutually agree that modification of the Scope of Services, schedule of payments, billing and cash payment procedures, set forth herein and other such revisions may be made as a written amendment to this Contract executed by both parties.

The Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to make modifications to this Contract as described herein on behalf of the County.

The Office of the Inspector General shall have the power to analyze the need for, and the reasonableness of proposed modifications to this Contract.

D. **Counterparts.** This Contract is executed in three (3) counterparts, and each counterpart shall constitute an original of this Contract.

E. **Headings, Use of Singular and Gender.** Paragraph headings are for convenience only and are not intended to expand or restrict the scope or substance of the

provisions of this Contract. Wherever used herein, the singular shall include the plural and plural shall include the singular, and pronouns shall be read as masculine, feminine, or neuter as the context requires.

F. **Review of this Contract.** Each party hereto represents and warrants that they have consulted with their own attorney concerning each of the terms contained in this Contract. No inference, assumption, or presumption shall be drawn from the fact that one party or its attorney prepared this Contract. It shall be conclusively presumed that each party participated in the preparation and drafting of this Contract.

G. **The County's Consultant**. The Provider understands that in order to facilitate the implementation of this Contract, the County may from time to time designate in writing a development consultant to work with the Provider. The County's consultant shall be considered the County's designee with respect to all portions of this Contract with the exception of those provisions relating to payment of the Provider for services rendered. The County shall provide written notification to the Provider of the name, address, and employees of the County's consultant.

H. **Contracts with Municipalities or Counties Outside Miami-Dade County to Provide Homeless Housing in Miami-Dade County.** The Provider desiring to transact business or enter into a Contract with the County for the provision of homeless housing and/or services swears, verifies, affirms and agrees that (1) it has not entered into any current contract, arrangement of any kind, or understanding with any municipality outside of Miami-Dade County or any County (collectively "locality") to provide housing and services for homeless persons in Miami-Dade County who are transported to Miami-Dade County by or at the behest of such locality and (2) during the term of this Contract, it will not enter into any such contract, arrangement of any kind, or understanding; provided, however, upon the written request of the Provider prior to entering into such contract, understanding that the County may, in its sole and absolute discretion, find and determine within sixty (60) days of such request that a proposed contract should not be prohibited hereby, as the best interests of the homeless programs undertaken by and on behalf of Miami-Dade County would not be negatively affected by such contract, arrangement, or undertaking.

I. **Incident Reports**. The Provider must report to the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust information related to **any** critical incidents occurring during the administration of its programs. The Provider is to utilize the "Incident Report" form attached as **Attachment N**. In addition to reporting this incident to the appropriate authorities, the Provider must within twenty-four (24) hours of any incident, submit in writing a detailed account of the incident. This incident report should be addressed to the County. This incident report should be addressed to Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust, 111 NW First Street, 27th Floor, Suite 310, Miami, Florida 33128; telephone (305) 375-1490 and facsimile (305) 375-2722.

J. **Totality of Contract / Severability of Provisions.** This Contract and Attachments, with it recitals on the first page of the Contract and with its attachments as referenced below contain all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties:

K. **Property.** This section applies to equipment with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per unit and all real property.

a. Any real property under the Provider's control that was acquired/improved in whole or in part with funds from the Homeless Trust and any equipment purchased for $5,000 or more shall be disposed of, at the expiration or termination of this contract, in accordance with instruction from the Homeless Trust. Real Property is defined as land, including land improvements, structures, and appurtenances thereto, including movable machinery and equipment. Equipment means tangible, nonexpendable, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per unit.

b. All equipment with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per units and all real property purchased in whole or in part with funds from this and previous contracts with the Homeless Trust, or transferred to the Provider t after being purchased in whole or in part with funds from the Homeless Trust shall be listed in the property records of the Provider and shall include a legal description, size, date of acquisition, value at time of purchase, owner's name if different from the Provider, information on the transfer or disposition of the property, and map indicating whether property is in parcels, lots or blocks and showing adjacent streets and roads. Notwithstanding documentation required for reimbursement purposes, a copy of the purchase receipt for any asset described above purchased with Homeless Trust funds must also be included in the Provider's monthly reimbursement package submitted to the Homeless Trust in the month in which the item was purchased along with the "Provider Asset Inventory" (**Attachment O**).

c. All equipment with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per unit and all real property shall be inventoried annually by the Provider and an inventory report shall be submitted to the Homeless Trust. This report shall include the elements listed in the paragraph listed above.

L. This Agreement has no intended or unintended third party beneficiaries.

Attachment A: Scope of Services

Provider_____

2015-2016 Department of Children and Families Homeless Prevention Grant Program

Grant Number: _____

Attachment A-1:	Florida Department of Children and Families Contract Agreement and Attachments
Attachment B:	Budget/Match Requirements
Attachment C:	Miami Dade County Affidavits
Attachment D:	State Affidavits
Attachment E:	Monthly Report of Disbursement-Invoice/Expenditure Report
Attachment F:	2014-2015 Monthly Status Report
Attachment G:	Monthly and Final Performance Report Form
Attachment H:	Performance Data Report
Attachment I:	Client Contribution Report **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment J:	Client Attendance Roster **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment K:	Vacancy/Permanent Housing Placement Report (Quarterly) **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment L:	Annual Performance Report & Annual Actual Expenditure Report (Not Applicable)
Attachment M:	W-9 Form
Attachment N:	Incident Report
Attachment O:	Provider Asset Inventory Report
Attachment P:	Client Services Certification Form

No other agreement, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Contract shall be deemed to exist or bind any of the parties hereto. If any provision of this Contract is held invalid or void, the remainder of this Contract shall not be affected thereby if such remainder would then continue to conform to the terms and requirements of applicable law and ordinance.

SIGNATURES APPEAR ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

Provider_____
2015-2016 Department of Children and Families Homeless Prevention Grant Program
Grant Number: _____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract, along with all of its Attachments, effective as of the contract date herein above set forth.

_____

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

Attest: _____
Authorized Person OR
Notary Public

Print Name: _____
Title: _____

Corporate Seal OR Notary Seal/Stamp:

_____

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

Attest: HARVEY RUVIN, Clerk
Board of County Commissioners

By: _____
Print Name: _____

"Exhibit C"

Emergency Housing for Individuals and Families Program
Grant Number: PC-1516-EH-_____

GRANT CONTRACT

This Grant Contract (the "Contract" or "Grant Agreement") is made and entered into as of this ____ day of_____, 20___, by and between Miami-Dade County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida (the "County"), having its principal office at 111 N.W. 1st Street, 27th Floor, Miami, Florida 33128 and **The Sundari Foundation, Inc./FEIN#: 81-0652266**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, having its principal office at **217 NW 15th Street, Miami, Florida 33136** ("Provider"), states conditions and covenants for the rendering of human and social services ("Services") for the County.

WHEREAS, the Provider provides or will develop social services of value to the County and has demonstrated an ability or desire to provide these services; and

WHEREAS, the County is desirous of assisting the Provider in providing those services and the Provider is desirous of providing such services; and

WHEREAS, the County has appropriated grant funds for the proposed services;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

The following words and expressions used in this Grant Agreement shall be construed as follows, except when it is clear from the context that another meaning is intended:

a) The words "Agreement" "Contract" or "Contract Documents" shall mean collectively these terms and conditions, the Scope of Services (**Attachment A)** and the Budget Documents (**Attachment B)** and all other attachments hereto, as well as all amendments or budget revisions issued hereto.

b) The words "Contract Manager" shall mean Miami-Dade County's Director of the Homeless Trust ("County") or the Director's designee, or the duly authorized representative designated to manage the Contract.

c) The word "Days" shall mean Calendar Days, unless otherwise specifically noted.

d) The word "Deliverables" shall mean all documentation and any items of any nature submitted by the Provider to the County for review and approval pursuant to the terms of this Contract.

e) The words "directed", "required", "permitted", "ordered", "designated", "selected", "prescribed" or words of like import to mean respectively, the direction, requirement, permission, order, designation, selection or prescription of the County's Contract Manager; and similarly the words "approved", acceptable", "satisfactory", "equal", "necessary", or words of like import to mean respectively, approved by, or acceptable or satisfactory to, equal or necessary in the

sole discretion of the County's Contract Manager.

f) The words "Effective Term" shall mean the date on which this Contract is effective, including start date and end date.

g) The words "Extra Work" or "Change Order" or "Additional Work" shall mean resulting in additions or deletions or modifications to the amount, type or value of the Work and Services as required in this Contract, as directed and/or approved by the County.

h) "HIPAA" means Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

i) The words "Scope of Services" shall mean the document appended hereto as **Attachment A**, which details the work to be performed by the Provider.

j) The word "subcontractor" or "sub consultant" shall mean any person, entity, firm or corporation, other than the employees of the Provider, who furnishes labor and/or materials, in connection with the Work, whether directly or indirectly, on behalf and/or under the direction of the Provider and whether or not in privities of contract with the Provider.

k) The words "Work", "Services" "Program", or "Project" shall mean all matters and things required to be done by the Provider in accordance with the provisions of this Contract.

ARTICLE 2. AMOUNT PAYABLE. Subject to available funds, the maximum amount payable for services rendered under this contract shall not exceed:

2015-2016 Emergency Housing For Individual and Families Program (Number of Beds)(___) Emergency Housing Beds for Homeless Individuals and Families	**$_____**

Both parties agree that should available County funding be reduced, the amount payable under this Contract may be proportionately reduced at the sole discretion and option of the County. Availability of funding shall be determined in the County's sole discretion.

All services undertaken by the Provider before the County's execution of this Contract shall be at the Provider's risk and expense.

It is the responsibility of the Provider to maintain sufficient financial resources to meet the expenses incurred during the period between the provision of services and payment by the County.

The County, at its sole discretion, may allow Provider an advance of **N/A** once the Provider has submitted an appropriate request and submitted an invoice in the form required by the County.

ARTICLE 3. SCOPE OF SERVICES

The Provider shall render services in accordance with the Scope of Services incorporated herein and attached hereto as **Attachment A.**

The Provider shall implement the Scope of Services as described in **Attachment A** in a manner deemed satisfactory to the County. Any modification or amendment to the Scope of Services shall not be effective until approved by the County and Provider in writing.

ARTICLE 4. BUDGET SUMMARY

The Provider agrees that all expenditures or costs shall be made in accordance with the Budget for the provision of services in accordance with Attachment A, the "Scope of Services". The Budget is attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Attachment B**.

The parties agree that the Provider may, with the County's prior written approval; revise the schedule of payments or the line item budget, and such revision shall not require an amendment to this Contract.

Pursuant to Board of Miami-Dade County Commissioners Resolution 630-13, the Provider will submit a detailed project budget, and sources and uses statement as Attachment B-1, which shall be sufficiently detailed to show (i) the total project cost, (ii) the amount of funds to be used for administrative and overhead costs, (iii) whether the County funds will be 'gap' funds meaning that they would be the last remaining funds needed to ensure funding for the total project cost, (iv) any profit to be made by the Provider, and (v) the amount of funds devoted toward the provision of the desired services or activities.

The County Mayor or Mayor's designee may make unannounced, on-site visits during normal working hours to the Provider's headquarters and any location or site where the services contracted for under this Agreement are performed.

ARTICLE 5. EFFECTIVE TERM

Both parties agree that the Effective Term of this Contract shall commence on **October 1, 2015** and terminate at the close of business on **September 30, 2016**. Contingent on the existence of sufficient funding, performance and the approval of the County, this Contract may be extended at the County's sole discretion.

ARTICLE 6. INDEMNIFICATION BY PROVIDER

A. **Government Entity.** Government entity shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance of this Contract by the government entity or its employees, agents, servants, partners, principals or subcontractors.

Government entity shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable, including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorney's fees which may issue thereon. Provided, however, this indemnification shall only be to the extent and within the limitations of Section 768.28, Fla. Stat.

B. **All Other Providers.** Provider shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance of this Contract by the Provider or its employees, agents, servants, partners principals or subcontractors. Provider shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable, including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorney's fees which may issue thereon. Provider expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection required by this Contract or otherwise provided by Provider shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify, keep and save harmless and defend the County or its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities as herein provided.

C. **Term of Indemnification.** The provisions of Article 6 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Contract.

ARTICLE 7. <u>INSURANCE</u>

If the total dollar value of all County contracts with the Provider exceeds $25,000 then the following insurance coverage is required:

A. **Government Entity.** If the Provider is the State of Florida or an agency or political subdivision of the State as defined by section 768.28, Florida Statutes, the Provider shall furnish the County, upon request, written verification of liability protection in accordance with section 768.28, Florida Statutes. Nothing herein shall be construed to extend any party's liability beyond that provided in section 768.28, Florida Statutes. The provider shall also furnish the County, upon request, written verification of Workers Compensation protection in accordance with Florida Statutes, Chapter 440.

B. **All Other Providers.**

1. Minimum Insurance Requirements: Certificates of Insurance. The Provider shall submit to Miami-Dade County, c/o Miami Dade County Homeless Trust (COUNTY), 111 N.W. 1st Street, 27th Floor, Miami, Florida 33128-1994, original Certificate(s) of Insurance indicating that insurance coverage has been obtained which meets the requirements as outlined below:

A. All insurance certificates must list the County as "Certificate Holder" in the following manner:

Miami-Dade County
111 N.W. 1st Street, Suite 2340
Miami, Florida 33128

B. Worker's Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Provider as required by Florida Statutes, Chapter 440.

C. Commercial General Liability Insurance in an amount not less than $300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Miami-Dade County must be shown as an additional insured with respect to this coverage.

D. Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles used in connection with the Work provided under this Contract, in an amount not less than $300,000* combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.

*NOTE: For Providers supplying vans or mini-buses with seating capacities of fifteen (15) passengers or more, the limit of liability required for Auto Liability is $500,000.

E. Professional Liability Insurance in the name of the Provider, when applicable, in an amount not less than $250,000.

F. All insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:

1. The company must be rated no less than "B" as to management, and no less than "Class V" as to financial strength, according to the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, or its equivalent, subject to the approval of the County's Risk Management Division.

OR

2. The company must hold a valid Florida Certificate of Authority as shown in the latest "List of All Insurance Companies Authorized or Approved to Do Business in Florida," issued by the State of Florida Department of Insurance, and must be a member of the Florida Guaranty Fund.

G. Certificates will indicate that no modification or change in insurance shall be made without thirty (30) days advance written notice to the Certificate Holder.

H. Compliance with the foregoing requirements shall not relieve the Provider of its liability and obligations under this Section or under any other section of this Contract.

I. The County reserves the right to inspect the Provider's original insurance policies at any time during the term of this Contract.

J. Applicability of this Article to Providers whose combined total award for all services funded under this Contract exceeds a $25,000 threshold. In the event that the Provider whose original total combined award in less than $25,000, but receives additional funding during the contract period which makes the total combined award exceed $25,000, then the requirements in this Article shall apply.

K. **Failure to Provide Certificates of Insurance.** The Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that the insurance certificates required in conjunction with this Section remain in force for the duration of the effective term of this Contract. If insurance certificates are scheduled to expire during the effective term, the Provider shall be responsible for submitting new or renewed insurance certificates to the County prior to expiration.

In the event that expired certificates are not replaced with new or renewed certificates which cover the effective term, the County may suspend the Contract until such time as the new or renewed certificates are received by the County in the manner prescribed herein; provided, however, that this suspended period does not exceed thirty (30) calendar days. Thereafter, the County may, at its sole discretion, terminate this Contract.

ARTICLE 8. PROOF OF LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION AND BACKGROUND SCREENING

A. Licensure. If the Provider is required by the State of Florida or Miami-Dade County or any federal, state or local law or regulation to be licensed or certified to provide the services or operate the facilities outlined in the Scope of Services (Attachment A), the Provider shall furnish to the County a copy of all required current licenses or certificates. Examples of services or operations requiring such licensure or certification include but are not limited to childcare, day care, nursing homes, and boarding homes.

If the Provider fails to furnish the County with the licenses or certificates required under this Section, the County shall not disburse any funds until it is provided with such licenses or certificates. Failure to provide the licenses or certificates within sixty (60) days of execution of this Agreement may result in termination of this Agreement at the County's discretion.

B. Background Screening. The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations, ordinances and resolutions regarding background screening of employees, volunteers and subcontractors. Provider's failure to comply with any applicable laws, regulations, ordinances and resolutions regarding background screening of employees, volunteers and subcontractors is grounds for a material breach and termination of this contract at the sole discretion of the County.

The Provider agrees to comply with all applicable laws (including but not limited to Chapters 39, 402, 409, 394, 408, 393, 397, 984, 985 and 435, Florida Statutes, as may be amended form time to time), regulations, ordinances and resolutions, regarding background screening of those who may

work or volunteer with vulnerable persons, as defined by section 435.02, Florida Statutes, as may be amended from time to time.

In the event criminal background screening is required by law, the State of Florida and/or the County, the Provider will permit only employees and subcontractors with a satisfactory national criminal background check through an appropriate screening agency (i.e., the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice, Florida Department of Law Enforcement or Federal Bureau of Investigation) to work or volunteer in direct contact with vulnerable persons.

The Provider agrees to ensure that employees, volunteers and subcontracted personnel who work with vulnerable persons satisfactorily complete and pass Level 2 background screening before working or volunteering with vulnerable persons. Provider shall furnish the County with proof that employees, volunteers and subcontracted personnel, who work with vulnerable persons, satisfactorily passed Level 2 background screening, pursuant to Chapter 435, Florida Statutes, as may be amended from time to time.

If the Provider fails to furnish to the County proof that an employee, volunteer or subcontractor's Level 2 background screening was satisfactorily passed and completed prior to that employee or subcontractor working or volunteering with a vulnerable person or vulnerable persons, the County shall not disburse any further funds and this Contract may be subject to termination at the sole discretion of the County.

ARTICLE 9. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. The Provider agrees to abide by and be governed by Miami-Dade County Ordinance No. 72-82 (Conflict of Interest Ordinance codified at Section 2-11.1 et al. of the Code of Miami-Dade County), as amended, which is incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein, in connection with its contract obligations hereunder.

B. No person under the employ of the County, who exercises any function or responsibilities in connection with this Contract, has at the time this Contract is entered into, or shall have during the term of this Contract, any personal financial interest, direct or indirect, in this Contract.

C. Nepotism. Notwithstanding the aforementioned provision, no relative of any officer, board of director, manager, or supervisor employed by the Provider shall be employed by the Provider unless the employment preceded the execution of this Contract by one (1) year. No family member of any employee may be employed by the Provider if the family member is to be employed in a direct supervisory or administrative relationship either supervisory or subordinate to the employee. The assignment of family members in the same organizational unit shall be discouraged. A conflict of interest in employment arises whenever an individual would otherwise have the responsibility to make, or participate actively in making decisions or recommendations relating to the employment status of another individual if the two individuals (herein sometimes called "related individuals") have one of the following relationships:

1. By blood or adoption: Parent, child, sibling, first cousin, uncle, aunt, nephew, or niece;
2. By marriage: Current or former spouse, brother- or sister-in-law, father- or mother-in-law, son- or daughter-in-law, step-parent, or step-child; or
3. Other relationship: A current or former relationship, occurring outside the work setting that would make it difficult for the individual with the responsibility to make a decision or recommendation to be objective, or that would create the appearance that such individual could not be objective. Examples include, but are not limited to, personal relationships and significant business relationships.

For purposes of this section, decisions or recommendations related to employment status include decisions related to hiring, salary, working conditions, working responsibilities, evaluation, promotion, and termination.

An individual, however, is not deemed to make or actively participate in making decisions or recommendations if that individual's participation is limited to routine approvals and the individual plays no role involving the exercise of any discretion in the decision-making processes. If any question arises whether an individual's participation is greater than is permitted by this paragraph, the matter shall be immediately referred to the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics and Public Trust.

This section applies to both full-time and part-time employees and voting members of the Provider's Board of Directors.

D. No person, including but not limited to any officer, board of directors, manager, or supervisor employed by the Provider, who is in the position of authority, and who exercises any function or responsibilities in connection with this Contract, has at the time this Contract is entered into, or shall have during the term of this Contract, received any of the services, or direct or instruct any employee under their supervision to provide such services as described in the Contract. Notwithstanding the before mentioned provision, any officer, board of directors, manager or supervisor employed by the Provider, who is eligible to receive any of the services described herein may utilize such services if he or she can demonstrate that he or she does not have direct supervisory responsibility over the Provider's employee(s) or service program. Staff members, or their immediate family members (spouse, children, siblings, mother or father) of Homeless Trust funded programs, who are eligible for and wish to receive services from a Homeless Trust funded program must receive the approval of the Executive Director of their employer (i.e. the Provider) prior to applying for and receiving those services. This approval must be in writing and accompany any referral for such services. Any Provider knowingly accepting a referral of an employee of a Homeless Trust funded program, and providing services without the written approval of the Executive Director of the Provider, will be subject to the recoupment/disallowance by the County of any funds paid for services to this individual and/or their immediate family member. When the services are to be provided at the same agency the employee works for, this information must be disclosed in writing to the director of the Homeless Trust, which shall be reviewed for eligibility determination and a sign off must come from the County. This provision does not apply to staff members seeking emergency shelter, medical or legal services. Providers must complete a Client Services Authorization Form **(Attachment P)** for staff members seeking services.

ARTICLE 10. CIVIL RIGHTS

The Provider agrees to abide by Chapter 11A of the Code of Miami-Dade County ("County Code"), as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, sex, familial status, marital status, sexual orientation, pregnancy, age, ancestry, national origin or handicap; Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment and public accommodation; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, 42 U.S.C. §6101, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment because of age; the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. §794, as amended, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability; the Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq., which prohibits discrimination in employment and public accommodations because of disability; the Federal Transit Act, 49 U.S.C. §1612, as amended; and the Fair Housing Act, 42 U.S.C. §3601 et seq. It is expressly understood that the Provider must submit an affidavit attesting that it is not in violation of the Acts. If the Provider or any owner, subsidiary, or other firm affiliated with or related to the Provider is found by the responsible enforcement agency, the Courts or the County to be in violation of these acts, the County will conduct no further business with the Provider.

Any contract entered into based upon a false affidavit shall be voidable by the County. If the Provider violates any of the Acts during the term of any contract the Provider has with the County, such contract shall be voidable by the County, even if the Provider was not in violation at the time it submitted its affidavit.

The Provider agrees that it is in compliance with the Domestic Violence Leave, codified as § 11A-60 et seq. of the Miami-Dade County Code, which requires an employer, who in the regular course of business has fifty (50) or more employees working in Miami-Dade County for each working day during each of twenty (20) or more calendar work weeks to provide domestic violence leave to its employees.

Failure to comply with this local law may be grounds for voiding or terminating this Contract or for commencement of debarment proceedings against Provider.

ARTICLE 11. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT;

Any person or entity that performs or assists Miami-Dade County with a function or activity involving the use or disclosure of "individually identifiable health information (IIHI)" and/or "Protected Health Information (PHI)" shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996 and the Miami-Dade County Privacy Standards Administrative Order. HIPAA mandates for privacy, security and electronic transfer standards, include but are not limited to:

1. Use of information only for performing services required by the contract or as required by law;
2. Use of appropriate safeguards to prevent non-permitted disclosures;
3. Reporting to Miami-Dade County of any non-permitted use or disclosure;
4. Assurances that any agents and subcontractors agree to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Provider and reasonable assurances that IIHI/PHI will be held confidential;
5. Making Protected Health Information (PHI) available to the customer;
6. Making PHI available to the client for review;

7. Making PHI available to Miami-Dade County for an accounting of disclosures; and
8. Making internal practices, books, and records related to PHI available to Miami-Dade County for compliance audits.

PHI shall maintain its protected status regardless of the form and method of transmission (paper records and/or electronic transfer of data). The Provider must give its clients written notice of its privacy information practices, including specifically, a description of the types of uses and disclosures that would be made with protected health information. Provider must post, and distribute upon request to service recipients, a copy of the County's Notice of Privacy Practices.

ARTICLE 12. NOTICE REQUIREMENTS

Notice under this Contract shall be sufficient if made in writing, delivered personally or sent via U.S. mail, electronic mail, facsimile, or certified mail with return receipt requested and postage prepaid, to the parties at the following addresses (or to such other party and at such other address as a party may specify by notice to others) and as further specified within this Contract. If notice is sent via electronic mail or facsimile, confirmation of the correspondence being sent will be maintained in the sender's files.

If to the COUNTY:

Miami-Dade County
Homeless Trust 111 N.W. 1st Street, 27th Floor
Miami, Florida 33128
Attention: Victoria Mallette, Executive Director
Electronic mail: VMallette@miamidade.gov

If to the PROVIDER:

_____ (Agency Representative's Name)
_____ (Title)
The Sundari Foundation, Inc.
_____ (Address)
Miami, Florida _____ (Zip Code)
Electronic mail: _____

Either party may at any time designate a different address and/or contact person by giving written notice as provided above to the other party. Such notices shall be deemed given upon receipt by the addressee.

ARTICLE 13. AUTONOMY

Both parties agree that this Contract recognizes the autonomy of the contracting parties and implies no affiliation between the contracting parties. It is expressly understood and intended that the Provider is only a recipient of funding support and is not an agent or instrumentality of the County. Furthermore, the Provider's agents and employees are not agents or employees of the County.

ARTICLE 14. SURVIVAL

The parties acknowledge that any of the obligations in this Contract, including but not limited to Provider's obligation to indemnify the County, will survive the term, termination, and cancellation hereof. Accordingly, the respective obligations of the Provider under this Contract, which by nature would continue beyond the termination, cancellation or expiration thereof, shall survive termination, cancellation or expiration hereof.

ARTICLE 15. BREACH OF CONTRACT: COUNTY REMEDIES

A. **Breach.** A breach by the Provider shall have occurred under this Contract if: (1) the Provider fails to provide the services outlined in the Scope of Services (**Attachment A**) within the effective term of this Contract; (2) the Provider ineffectively or improperly uses the County funds allocated under this Contract; (3) the Provider does not furnish the Certificates of Insurance required by this Contract or as determined by the County's Risk Management Division; (4) if applicable, the Provider does not furnish upon request by the County proof of licensure/certification or proof of background screening required by this Contract; (5) the Provider fails to submit, or submits incorrect or incomplete, proof of expenditures to support disbursement requests or advance funding disbursements or fails to submit or submits incomplete or incorrect detailed reports of expenditures or final expenditure reports; (6) the Provider does not submit or submits incomplete or incorrect required reports; (7) the Provider refuses to allow the County access to records or refuses to allow the County to monitor, evaluate and review the Provider's program; (8) the Provider discriminates under any of the laws outlined in Article 10 of this Contract; (9) the Provider, attempts to meet its obligations under this Contract through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement; (10) the Provider fails to correct deficiencies found during a monitoring, evaluation, or review within the specified time as described and defined in its Performance Improvement Plan (PIP); (11) the Provider fails to issue prompt payments to small business subcontractors or follow dispute resolution procedures regarding a disputed payment; (12) the Provider fails to submit the Certificate of Corporate Status, Board of Directors requirement, or proof of tax status; or (13) the Provider fails to fulfill in a timely and proper manner any and all of its obligations, covenants, agreements, and stipulations in this Contract; (14) the Provider fails to meet any of the terms and conditions of the Miami-Dade County Affidavits (**Attachment C**) and the State Affidavits (**Attachment D**) ☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable** or (15) the Provider fails to fulfill in a timely and proper manner any or all of its obligations, covenants, agreements and stipulations in this Contract. Waiver of breach of any provisions of this Contract shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of this Contract.

In the event that the County determines certain Contract goals (as defined in the Scope of Services) are not being met then the County, in its sole discretion may place the Provider on a Performance Improvement Plan (PIP). The following is a delineation of some instances where a PIP may be required:

a. **HMIS-** Based on Provider's past performance on prior contracts in the area of Homeless Management Information System compliance it is subject to a PIP during this contract term. The Provider is required to submit a Monthly Progress Report and an HMIS-generated Monthly Progress Report for each month of the contract. Compliance will be determined when it is deemed that the two (2) reports are in substantial conformity with each other for a period of two consecutive months.

(Substantial conformity as meaning a minimum of 95% accuracy on all elements). At the time of compliance, the Provider shall only be required to submit the HMIS-generated Monthly Progress Report.

☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable**

b. **Utilization** – Based on Provider's past performance on prior contracts in the area of utilization compliance, this contract is subject to a PIP. During this contract term, the Provider must submit all invoices in a timely manner. The Provider shall invoice at a rate of 95% of targeted expenditures for the invoicing period. If the Provider fails to comply, all rights to payments will be forfeited if the County so chooses. Failure to submit accurate invoices for appropriately documented and eligible expenditures at a rate of 95% of targeted expenditures by the end of the third quarter of this contract term may result in the termination of this contract by the County.

☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable**

c. **Program Performance** – Based on Provider's past performance on prior contracts in the area of program goals and outcome objectives, this Contract is subject to a PIP. During this Contract term, the Provider must achieve those goals specified in the Contract. Performance against these annual goals shall be evaluated on a quarterly basis, and if by the end of the third quarter of the contract period substantial compliance (meeting the targeted goals) is not achieved, it may result in the termination of this contract with the County.

☐ **Applicable** ☒ **Not Applicable**

The above is subject to the review and approval of the County

B. **County Remedies.** If the Provider breaches this Contract, the County may pursue any or all of the following remedies:

1. The County may terminate this Contract by giving written notice to the Provider of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof. In the event of termination, the County may: (a) request the return of finished or unfinished documents, data studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models, photographs, reports prepared and secured by the Provider with County funds under this Contract; (b) seek reimbursement of County funds allocated to the Provider under this Contract; (c) terminate or cancel any other contracts entered into between the County and the Provider. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such termination, including attorney's fees;

2. The County may suspend payment in whole or in part under this Contract by providing written notice to the Provider of such suspension and specifying the effective date thereof. If payments are suspended, the County shall specify in writing the actions that must be taken by the Provider as condition precedent to resumption of payments and shall specify a reasonable date for compliance. The County may also suspend any payments in whole or in part under any other contracts entered into between the County and the Provider. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such suspension, including attorney's fees;

3. The County may seek enforcement of this Contract including but not limited to filing an action in a court of appropriate jurisdiction. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such enforcement, including attorney's fees;

4. The County may debar the Provider from future County contracting;

5. If, for any reason, the Provider should attempt to meet its obligations under this Contract through fraud, misrepresentation or material misstatement, the County shall, whenever practicable terminate this Contract by giving written notice to the Provider of such termination and specifying the effective date. The County may terminate or cancel any other contracts which such individual or entity has with the County. Such individual or entity shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such termination or cancellation, including attorney's fees. Any individual or entity who attempts to meet its contractual obligations with the County through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement may be debarred from county contracting for up to five (5) years;

6. Any other remedy available at law or equity.

C. **Authorization to Terminate Contract.** The Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to terminate this Contract on behalf of the County.

D. Failures or waivers to insist on strict performance of any covenant, condition, or provision of this Contract by the County shall not be deemed a waiver of any rights or remedies, nor shall it relieve the Provider from performing any subsequent obligations strictly in accordance with the term of this Contract. No waiver shall be effective unless in writing and signed by the parties. Such waiver shall be limited to provisions of this Contract specifically referred to therein and shall not be deemed a waiver of any other provision. No waiver shall constitute a continuing waiver unless the writing states otherwise.

E. **Damages Sustained.** Notwithstanding the above, the Provider shall not be relieved of liability to the County for damages sustained by the County by virtue of any breach of the Contract, and the County may withhold any payments to the Provider until such time as the exact amount of damages due the County is determined. The County may also pursue any remedies available at law or equity to compensate for any damages sustained by the breach. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such action, including attorney's fees.

ARTICLE 16. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

The County may terminate this Contract, in whole or part, when both parties agree that the continuation of the activities would not produce beneficial results commensurate with further expenditure of the funds. Both parties shall agree upon the termination conditions, including the effective date and in the case of partial termination, the portion to be terminated. However, if the County determines in the case of partial termination that the reduced or modified portion of the grant will not accomplish the purposes for which the grant was made it may terminate the grant in its entirety.

This Contract is subject to the ratification and approval by the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners and shall be void unless approved by the Board of County Commissioners.

The County may also, in its sole discretion, terminate the contract.

The Provider understands and acknowledges that if the County determines in its sole discretion that termination of the Contract is necessary for the healthy, safety, or welfare of the County then it may due so upon twenty-four (24) hours notice to the Provider.

ARTICLE 17. PAYMENT PROCEDURES

The County agrees to pay the Provider for services rendered under this Contract based on the payment schedule, timely provision by the Provider of required reports and of supporting documentation of expenses and activities as described in this Contract, and the line item budget (**Attachment B**). Payment shall be made in accordance with procedures outlined below and if applicable, the Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance 94-40).

1. **How payment will be made.** Payment requests shall be made to the County on a monthly basis and shall be signed by the Executive Director and the Financial Officer of the Provider, unless otherwise approved in writing, on the form incorporated herein as **Attachment E "Primary Care Invoice for Services"**. The payment request for the previous month is due by the 10th of the month following the month for which payment is invoiced.
2. Any reimbursement may be withheld pending the receipt and approval by the County of all reports and documents required herein.
3. The parties agree that this is a reimbursement Agreement and the Provider will receive reimbursement for services rendered based on an approximate per diem rate as follows: **$_____ per bed per day for adults and children.**
4. Maximum monthly reimbursements are limited to up **to**_____ billable beds each month multiplied by the number of calendar days in each month, unless the Provider has obtained prior, written consent from the County to offer a different number of beds for a certain length of time as specified in the Homeless Trust's written consent. This amendment requires the mutual consent of both parties.
5. As applicable, during the period of **N/A** through **N/A**, the Provider will submit a record of those individuals served utilizing Social Security Administration repayments as specified in the Scope of Services. The Provider will utilize these funds to serve those clients as specified and authorized in the Scope of Services
6. **N/A** Providers with cumulative utilization rates **greater** than ninety percent (90%) during the first nine (9) months of this Contract may exceed this maximum number of billable bed days during the last quarter of the Contract term, up to the total Contract award amount, with the prior approval of the Executive Director of the Homeless Trust.
7. **N/A** Providers with cumulative utilization rates **lower** than ninety percent (90%) may be subject to a reduction in funding and beds, if deemed necessary by the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust. Beds and funding may be reprogrammed as necessary and needed within the Continuum of Care. The Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust will

conduct a review of the utilization of beds within the first six (6) months of the contract period.

8. Within thirty (30) days of the termination or expiration of this Contract, a final report of expenditures shall be submitted to the County. If after the receipt of such final report, the County determined that the Provider has been paid funds not in compliance with the Contract, and to which it is not entitled, the Provider will be required to return such funds to the County or submit documentation demonstrating that the expenditure was in compliance with this Contract. The County shall have the sole and absolute discretion to determine if the Provider is entitled to such funds and the County's decision in this matter shall be final and binding.

B. **Monies Owed to the County:** The County reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reduce payments to the Provider in order to recapture any monies owed to the County. In accordance with County Administrative Order No. 3-29, the Provider that is in arrears to the County is prohibited from obtaining new County contracts or extensions of contracts until such time as the arrearage has been paid in full or the County has agreed in writing to an approved payment plan.

This is a cost-based Contract in which the Provider shall be paid through reimbursement payment based on the budget approved under this Contract and when documentation of completed and satisfactory service delivery is provided. Thus, it is imperative that the Provider maintain appropriate supporting documentation for all expenditures from the beginning of the Contract term (i.e., receipts, bank statements, cancelled checks, employee timesheet, etc.).

The Provider shall submit to the Contract Manager, the Monthly Reimbursement form provided by the County on a monthly basis. Monthly reimbursement requests (both retroactive and current) and accompanying supporting documentation must be received by the County no later than the 15th of the month following the month for which reimbursement is requested.

C. **No Payment of Subcontractors.** In no event shall County funds be advanced or paid by the County directly to any subcontractor hereunder. Payment to approved subcontractors shall be made by the Provider following requirements and limitations as detailed in Article 21 of this Contract.

D. **Processing the Request for Payment.** After the County staff reviews the payment request, the County will submit a payment request to the County's Finance Department. The County's Finance Department will issue payment via Automated Clearing House (ACH) or mail the check directly to the Provider at the address listed in Article 12 of this Contract, unless otherwise directed by the Provider in writing. The parties agree that the processing of a payment request from date of submission by the Provider shall take a maximum of thirty (30) days from receipt of a complete and accurate payment request, pursuant to the County's Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance 94-40), Section 2-8.1.4 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Administrative Order No. 3-19, and the Florida Prompt Payment Act, if supporting documentation/invoices are properly documented as determined by the County in its sole discretion. It is the responsibility of the Provider to maintain sufficient financial resources to meet the expenses incurred during the period between the provision of services and payment by the County.

E. **Reporting Requirements.** Failure to submit to the County the reports listed below in a manner deemed correct and acceptable by the County by the 15th day after the end of the month in which the service was delivered, or failure to submit to the County supporting documentation of Contract expenditures or activities within fourteen (14) days of any County request, shall be considered a breach of this Contract and may result in withholding payment, non-payment, or termination of this Contract.

	Applicable as indicated
1. Monthly Payment Requests/Invoice For Services (**Attachment E**)	☒
2. Monthly Performance Reports (**Attachment G**)	☒
3. Outcome Performance Measurements Monthly Report (**Attachment H**)	☒
4. Client Contribution Report (**Attachment I**)	☒
5. Client Attendance Roster (**Attachment J**)	☒
6. Quarterly Vacancy / Permanent Housing Placement Report(**Attachment K**)	☒

Performance Reports. The Provider agrees to participate in the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) selected and established by the County. Participation will include, but is not limited to, input of client data upon intake, daily updates of bed availability information, as well as updates of client files upon client contact, and maintaining current data for statistical purposes. The Provider understands that they are responsible for any ongoing cost to access the HMIS system. The Provider shall furnish the County with Monthly, Quarterly, and Annual Performance Reports in accordance with the activities and goals detailed in the Scope of Services. The reports shall explain the Provider's progress for the quarter. The data should be quantified when appropriate. The final progress report shall be due no later than thirty (30) days after the expiration or termination of this Contract. Continuation of this Contract and funding is contingent upon meeting established performance goals. Progress reports, produced through the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) invoices for services and client attendance rosters signed by the Executive Director of the agency shall by submitted by the Provider, as required.

F. **Final Report/Recapture of Funds.** Upon the expiration or termination of this Contract, the Provider shall submit the final Annual Performance Report and Annual Actual Expenditure Report (**Attachment L**) to the County no later than thirty (30) days after the expiration or termination of this Contract. If after receipt of such final reports, the County determines that the Provider has been paid funds not in accordance with the Contract, and to which it is not entitled, the Provider shall return such funds to the County, or the County may reduce, by the amount of such funds, from any subsequent payment to which the Provider is entitled, or the Provider may submit appropriate documentation within seven (7) days of notice from the County. The County shall have the sole discretion in determining if the Provider is entitled to such funds and the County's decision on this matter shall be final and binding. Additionally, any unexpended or unallocated funds shall be recaptured by the County.

Additionally, the Provider agrees to assign any proceeds to the County from any contract, including this Contract, between the County, its agencies or instrumentalities and the Provider or any firm,

corporation, partnership or joint venture in which the Provider has a controlling financial interest in order to secure repayment of any reimbursements for services provided under this or any other contract for which the County discovers was not reimbursable through its inspection, review and/or audit pursuant to this Contract.

ARTICLE 18. PROHIBITED USE OF FUNDS

A. **Adverse Actions or Proceeding.** The Provider shall not utilize County funds to retain legal counsel for any action or proceeding against the County or any of its agents, instrumentalities, employees, or officials. The Provider shall not utilize County funds to provide legal representation, advice, or counsel to any client in any action or proceeding against the County or any of its agents, instrumentalities, employees, or officials.

B. **Religious Purposes.** County funds shall not be used for religious purposes.

C. **Commingling Funds.** The Provider shall not commingle funds provided under this Contract with funds received from any other funding sources. The Provider shall establish a separate account exclusively for receipt of the funds received pursuant to this Contract.

D. **Double Payments.** Provider costs claimed under this Contract may not also be claimed under another contract or grant from the County or any other agency. Any claim for double payment by Provider shall be considered a material breach of this Contract.

ARTICLE 19. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS, RECORDS, REPORTS, AUDITS, MONITORING AND REVIEW

A. **Certificate of Corporate Status.** The Provider must submit to the Contract Manager, within thirty (30) days from the date of execution of this Contract, a certificate of corporate status in the name of the Provider, which certifies the following: that the Provider is organized under the laws of the State of Florida; that all fees and penalties have been paid; that the Providers most recent annual report has been filed; that its status is active; and that the Provider has not filed Articles of Dissolution.

B. **Board of Director Requirements.** The Provider shall ensure that the Provider's Board of Directors is apprised of the programmatic, fiscal, and administrative obligations under this Contract funded through County Funds by passage of a formal resolution authorizing execution of this Contract with the County. A copy of this corporate resolution must be submitted to the County prior to contract execution. A current list of the Provider's Board of Directors and officers must be included with the submission. The Provider acknowledges and understands that all contract documents shall be signed by either the Provider's President or Vice President. The Provider's resolution shall at a minimum: list the name(s) of the Board's President, Vice President and, only in the event that the President or Vice President is not available to execute the contract documents, any other persons authorized to execute this Contract on behalf of the Provider; affirmatively state that a quorum was present at the time of adoption of the resolution; and reference the service categories and dollar amounts in the award, as may be amended.

C. **Proof of Tax Status.** The Provider is required to submit to the County the following documentation: (a) W-9 Form (**Attachment M**); (b) The I.R.S. tax exempt status determination letter; (c) the most recent I.R.S. form 990; (d) the annual submission of I.R.S. form 990 within (6) months after the Provider's fiscal year end; (e) IRS form 941 - Quarterly Federal Tax Return Reports within thirty-five (35) days after the quarter ends and if the form 941 reflects a tax liability, proof of payment must be submitted within forty-five (45) days after the quarter ends.

D. **Conflicts of Interest.** Section 2-11.1(d) of Miami-Dade County Code as amended, requires any County employee or any member of the employee's immediate family who has a controlling financial interest, direct or indirect, with Miami-Dade County or any person or agency acting for Miami-Dade County competing or applying for any such contract as it pertains to this solicitation, to first request a conflict of interest opinion from the County's Ethic Commission prior to their or their immediate family member's entering into any contract or transacting any business through a firm, corporation, partnership or business entity in which the employee or any member of the employee's immediate family has a controlling financial interest, direct or indirect, with Miami-Dade County or any person or agency acting for Miami-Dade County. Further, any such contract, agreement or business engagement entered in violation of this subsection, as amended, shall render this Contract voidable.

E. **Accounting Records.** The Provider shall keep accounting records which conform to generally accepted accounting principles. All such records will be retained by the Provider for no less than three (3) years beyond the term of this Contract, and shall be made available for review upon request from County authorized personnel.

F. **Financial Audit.** If the Provider has or is required to have an annual certified public accountant's opinion and related financial statements, the Provider agrees to provide these documents to the County no later than one hundred eighty (180) days following the end of the Provider's fiscal year, for each year during which this Contract remains in force or until all funds received pursuant to this Contract have been so audited, whichever is later.

G. **Access to Records: Audit.** The County reserves the right to require the Provider to submit to an audit by an auditor of the County's choosing or approval. The Provider shall provide access to all of its records which relate to this Contract at its place of business during regular business hours. The Provider agrees to provide such assistance as may be necessary to facilitate their review or audit by the County to ensure compliance with applicable accounting and financial standards.

H. **Quarterly Reviews of Expenditures and Records.** The County Commission Auditor may perform quarterly reviews of Provider's expenditures and records. Subsequent payments to the Provider shall be subject to a satisfactory review of Provider's records and expenditures by the County Commission Auditor, including but not limited to, review of supporting documentation for expenditures and the existence of sufficient documentation to support eligible expenditures. The Provider agrees to reimburse the County for ineligible expenditures as determined by the County Commission Auditor.

I. **Quality Assurance / Recordkeeping.** The Provider shall maintain, and shall require that the Provider's subcontractors and suppliers maintain, complete and accurate program and fiscal records to substantiate compliance with the requirements set forth in the **Attachment A**, Scope of Services, of this Contract. The Provider and its subcontractors and suppliers, shall retain such records, and all other documents relevant to the Services furnished under this Contract for a period of ☒ three (3) years or ☐ _____ years (for State contracts) from the expiration date of this Contract.

The Provider agrees to participate in evaluation studies, quality management activities, Corrective Action Plan activities, and analyses carried out by or on behalf of the County to evaluate the effectiveness of client service(s) or the appropriateness and quality of care/service delivery. Accordingly, the Provider shall allow authorized County staff involved in such efforts to examine and review the Provider's premises and records.

J. **Confidentiality Requirements.** The Provider shall establish and implement policies and procedures which ensure compliance with the following security standards and any and all applicable State and Federal statutes and regulations for the protection of confidential client records and electronic exchange of confidential information. The policies and procedures must ensure that:

(1) There is a controlled and secure area for storing and maintaining active confidential information and files, including but not limited to medical records;

(2) Confidential records are not removed from the Provider's premises, unless otherwise authorized by law or upon written consent from the County;

(3) Access to confidential information is restricted to authorized personnel of the Provider, the County, the United States Department of Health and Human Services, the United States Comptroller General, and/or the United States Office of the Inspector General;

(4) Records are not left unattended in areas accessible to unauthorized individuals;

(5) Access to electronic data is controlled;

(6) Written authorization, signed by the client, is obtained for release of copies of client records and/or information. Original documents must remain on file at the originating Provider site;

(7) An orientation is provided to new staff persons, employees, and volunteers. All employees and volunteers must sign a confidentiality pledge, acknowledging their awareness and understanding of confidentiality laws, regulations, and policies;

(8) Procedures are developed and implemented that address client chart and medical record identification, filing methods, storage, retrieval, organization and maintenance, access and security, confidentiality, retention, release of information, copying, and faxing.

K. **Monitoring: Management Evaluation and Performance Review.** The Provider agrees to permit County authorized personnel to monitor, review and evaluate the program/work which is the subject of this Contract. The County shall monitor fiscal, administrative, and programmatic compliance with all the terms and conditions of the Contract. The Provider shall permit the County to conduct site visits, client assessment surveys, and other techniques deemed reasonably necessary to fulfill the monitoring function. A report of the County's findings will be delivered to the Provider and the Provider will rectify all deficiencies cited within the period of time specified in the report. If such deficiencies are not corrected within the specified time the County may suspend payments or terminate this Contract. The County may conduct one or more formal management evaluation and performance reviews of the Provider. Continuation of this Contract and funding are dependent upon the County being satisfied with the results of the evaluations.

L. **Client Records.** The Provider shall maintain a separate individual client chart for each client/family served, where appropriate. This client chart shall include all pertinent information regarding case activity. At a minimum, the client chart shall contain referral and intake information, treatment plans, and case notes documenting the dates services were provided and the type of service provided. These client charts shall be subject to the audit and inspection requirements under Article 19, Sections F, G and H of this Contract.

M. **Disaster Plan/Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).** The Provider shall develop and maintain an Agency Disaster Plan/COOP. At a minimum, the Plan will describe how the Provider establishes and maintains an effective response to emergencies and disasters, and must comply with any Florida Statutes related to Emergency Management that are applicable to the Provider. The Disaster Plan/COOP must be submitted to the County no later than April 1st of the contract term and is also subject to review and approval of the County in its sole discretion. The Provider will review the Plan annually, revise it as needed, and maintain a written copy on file at the Provider's site.

N. Continuum of Care (CoC) Coordinated Intake and Assessment Process

The Provider shall participate in the Continuum of Care's (CoC) Coordinated Intake and Assessment process, to include, but not limited to: participation in the CoC's defined process to make and receive referrals for housing and/or services (including the use of the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) for such, if required in the Standards of Care); use of any forms required (e.g. Release of Information, Homeless Verification Form, Chronic Homeless Verification Form, etc.); compliance with established Standards of Care (and any revisions thereof) relating to eligibility criteria and timely processing of referrals; and cooperation with established prioritizations for placement.

O. Public Records

Pursuant to Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, if the Provider meets the definition of "Contractor" as defined in Section 119.0701(1)(a), the Provider shall:

(a) Keep and maintain public records that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the public agency in order to perform the service;

(b) Provide the public with access to public records on the same terms and conditions that the public agency would provide the records and at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law;
(c) Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law; and
(d) Meet all requirements for retaining public records and transfer to the County, at no County cost, all public records created, received, maintained and or directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are in possession of the Provider upon termination of this Agreement. Upon termination of this Agreement, the Provider shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. All records stored electronically must be provided to the County in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the County.

For purposes of this Article, the term "public records"' shall mean all documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business of the County.

Provider's failure to comply with the public records disclosure requirement set forth in Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes shall be a breach of this Agreement.

In the event the Provider does not comply with the public records disclosure requirement set forth in Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, the County may, at the County's sole discretion, avail itself of the remedies set forth under this Agreement and available at law.

ARTICLE 20. Office of Miami-Dade County Inspector General

Miami-Dade County has established the Office of the Office of Inspector General which is empowered to perform random audits on all County contracts throughout the duration of each contract. The Miami-Dade County Inspector General is authorized and empowered to review past, present and proposed County and Public Health Trust programs, contracts, transactions, accounts, records and programs. In addition, the Inspector General has the power to subpoena witnesses, administer oaths, require the production of records and monitor existing projects and programs. Monitoring of an existing project or program may include a report concerning whether the project is on time, within budget and in compliance with plans, specifications and applicable law.

The Inspector general is empowered to analyze the necessity of and reasonableness of proposed charge orders to the Contract. The Inspector General is empowered to retain the services of independent private sector inspectors general (IPSIG) to audit, investigate, monitor, oversee, inspect and review operations, activities, performance and procurement process including but not limited to project design, bid specifications, proposal submittals, activities of the Provider, its officers, agents and employees, lobbyists, County staff and elected officials to ensure compliance with contract specifications and to detect fraud and corruption.

Upon ten (10) days prior written notice to the Provider from the Inspector General or IPSIG retained by the Inspector General, the Provider shall make all requested records and documents available to the Inspector General or IPSIG for inspection and copying. The Inspector General and IPSIG shall have the right to inspect and copy all documents and records in the Provider's possession, custody or control which, in the Inspector General or IPSIG's sole judgment, pertain to performance of the contract, including, but not limited to original estimate files, worksheets, proposals and agreements from and with successful and unsuccessful subcontractors and suppliers, all project-related correspondence, memoranda, instructions, financial documents, construction documents, proposal and contract documents, back-charge documents, all documents and records which involve cash, trade or volume discounts, insurance proceeds, rebates, or dividends received, payroll and personnel records, and supporting documentation for the aforesaid documents and records.

The provisions in this section shall apply to the Provider, its officers, agents, employees, subcontractors and suppliers. The Provider shall incorporate the provisions in this section in all subcontractors and all other agreements executed by the Provider in connection with the performance of the contract.

Nothing in this contract shall impair any independent right of the County to conduct audit or investigative activities. The provisions of this section are neither intended nor shall they be construed to impose any liability on the County by the Provider or third parties.

ARTICLE 21. SUBCONTRACTORS and ASSIGNMENTS

A. **Subcontracts.** The parties agree that no assignment or subcontract will be made or let in connection with this Contract without the prior written approval of the County in its sole discretion, which shall not be unreasonably withheld, and that all subcontractors or assignees shall be governed by all of the terms and conditions of this Contract.

1) If the Provider will cause any part of this Contract to be performed by a Subcontractor, the provisions of this Contract will apply to such Subcontractor and its officers, agents and employees in all respects as if it and they were employees of the Provider; and the Provider will not be in any manner thereby discharged from its obligations and liabilities hereunder, but will be liable hereunder for all acts and negligence of the Subcontractor, its officers, agents, and employees, as if they were employees of the Provider. The services performed by the Subcontractor will be subject to the provisions hereof as if performed directly by the Provider.

2) The Provider, before making any subcontract for any portion of the services, will state in writing to the County the name of the proposed Subcontractor, the portion of the Services which the Subcontractor is to perform, the place of business of such Subcontractor, and such other information as the County may require. The County will have the right to require the Provider not to award any subcontract to a person, firm, or corporation disapproved by the County in its sole discretion.

3) Before entering into any subcontract hereunder, the Provider will inform the Subcontractor fully and completely of all provisions and requirements of this Contract relating either directly or indirectly to the Services to be performed. Such Services performed by such Subcontractor will strictly comply with the requirements of this Contract.

4) In order to qualify as a Subcontractor satisfactory to the County in its sole discretion, in addition to the other requirements herein provided, the Subcontractor must be prepared to prove to the satisfaction of the County that it has the necessary facilities, skill and experience, and ample financial resources to perform the Services in a satisfactory manner. To be considered skilled and experienced, the Subcontractor must show to the satisfaction of the County in its sole discretion that it has satisfactorily performed services of the same general type which is required to be performed under this Contract.

5) The County shall have the right to withdraw its consent to a subcontract if it appears to the County that the subcontract will delay, prevent, or otherwise impair the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Contract. All Subcontractors are required to protect the confidentiality of the County's and County's proprietary and confidential information. Provider shall furnish to the County copies of all subcontracts between Provider and Subcontractors and suppliers hereunder. Within each such subcontract, there shall be a clause for the benefit of the County permitting the County to request completion of performance by the Subcontractor of its obligations under the subcontract, in the event the County finds the Contractor in breach of its obligations; and the option to pay the Subcontractor directly for the performance by such subcontractor. The foregoing shall neither convey nor imply any obligation or liability on the part of the County to any subcontractor hereunder as more fully described herein.

B. **Prompt Payments to Subcontractors.** The Provider shall issue prompt payments to subcontractors that are small businesses (annual gross sales of $750,000 or less with its principal place of business in Miami-Dade County) and shall have a dispute resolution procedure in place to address disputed payments. Pursuant to the County's Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance 94-40), Section 2-8.1.4 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Administrative Order No. 3-19, and the Florida Prompt Payment Act, payments must be made within thirty (30) days of receipt of a proper invoice. Failure to issue prompt payments to small business subcontractors or adhere to dispute resolution procedures may be grounds for suspension or termination of this Contract or debarment.

ARTICLE 22. LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Provider agrees to comply, subject to applicable professional standards, with the provisions of any and all applicable Federal, State and the County's orders, statutes, ordinances, rules and

regulations that may pertain to the Services required under this Contract, including but not limited to:

a) Miami-Dade County Florida, Department of Business Development Participation Provisions, as applicable to this Contract.

b) Miami-Dade County Code, Chapter 11A, including but not limited to Articles III and IV. All Providers and subcontractors performing work in connection with this Contract shall provide equal opportunity for employment and services without regard to race, creed, religion, color, sex, familial status, marital status, sexual orientation, pregnancy, age, ancestry, national origin, gender identity, gender expression, source of income or handicap. The aforesaid provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Provider agrees to post in a conspicuous place available for employees and applicants for employment, such notices as may be required by the Dade County Equal Opportunity Board or other authority having jurisdiction over the work setting forth the provisions of the nondiscrimination law.

c) Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance, Section 2-11.1 et seq. of the Code of Miami-Dade County, as amended.

d) Miami-Dade County Code Section 10-38, Debarment of contractors from County work.

e) Miami-Dade County Ordinance 99-5, codified at 11A-60 et seq. Code of Miami-Dade County pertaining to complying with the County's Domestic Leave Ordinance.

f) Miami-Dade County Ordinance 99-152 codified at Section 21-255 et seq. prohibiting the presentation, maintenance, or prosecution of false or fraudulent claims against Miami-Dade County.

g) Miami-Dade County Resolution 478-12. The Provider will not use products or foods containing "pink slime," as defined in Resolution 478-12 of the Board of Miami-Dade County Commissioners, in food that is provided or served pursuant to this agreement."

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, Provider shall not be required pursuant to this Contract to take any action or abstain from taking any action if such action or abstention would, in the good faith determination of the Provider, constitute a violation of any law or regulation to which Provider is subject, including but not limited to laws and regulations requiring that Provider conduct its operations in a safe and sound manner.

ARTICLE 23. MISCELLANEOUS

A. **Publicity.** It is understood and agreed between the parties hereto that this Provider is funded by Miami-Dade County. Further, by the acceptance of these funds, the Provider agrees that events funded by this Contract shall recognize and adequately reference the County as a funding

source. The Provider shall ensure that all publicity, public relations, advertisements and signs recognizes and references the County (by inserting the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust Logo on all materials) for the support of all contracted activities. This is to include, but is not limited to, all posted signs, pamphlets, wall plaques, cornerstones, dedications, notices, flyers, brochures, news releases, media packages, promotions, and stationery. The use of the official Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust logo is permissible for the publicity purposes stated herein. Provider shall submit sample or mock up of such publicity or materials to the County for review and approval. The Provider shall ensure that all media representatives, when inquiring about the activities funded by this Contract, are informed that the County is its funding source.

B. **Governing Law and Venue.** This Contract is made in the State of Florida and shall be governed according to the laws of the State of Florida. Venue for this Contract shall be Miami-Dade County, Florida.

C. **Modifications.** Any alterations, variations, modifications, extensions, or waivers of provisions of this Contract including, but not limited to, amount payable and effective term shall only be valid when they have been reduced to writing, duly approved and signed by both parties and attached to the original of this Contract.

The County and Provider mutually agree that modification of the Scope of Services, schedule of payments, billing and cash payment procedures, set forth herein and other such revisions may be made as a written amendment to this Contract executed by both parties.

The Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to make modifications to this Contract as described herein on behalf of the County.

The Office of the Inspector General shall have the power to analyze the need for, and the reasonableness of proposed modifications to this Contract.

D. **Counterparts.** This Contract is executed in three (3) counterparts, and each counterpart shall constitute an original of this Contract.

E. **Headings, Use of Singular and Gender.** Paragraph headings are for convenience only and are not intended to expand or restrict the scope or substance of the provisions of this Contract. Wherever used herein, the singular shall include the plural and plural shall include the singular, and pronouns shall be read as masculine, feminine, or neuter as the context requires.

F. **Review of this Contract.** Each party hereto represents and warrants that they have consulted with their own attorney concerning each of the terms contained in this Contract. No inference, assumption, or presumption shall be drawn from the fact that one party or its attorney prepared this Contract. It shall be conclusively presumed that each party participated in the preparation and drafting of this Contract.

G. **The County's Consultant**. The Provider understands that in order to facilitate the implementation of this Contract, the County may from time to time designate in writing a development consultant to work with the Provider. The County's consultant shall be considered the County's

designee with respect to all portions of this Contract with the exception of those provisions relating to payment of the Provider for services rendered. The County shall provide written notification to the Provider of the name, address, and employees of the County's consultant.

H. **Contracts with Municipalities or Counties Outside Miami-Dade County to Provide Homeless Housing in Miami-Dade County.** The Provider desiring to transact business or enter into a Contract with the County for the provision of homeless housing and/or services swears, verifies, affirms and agrees that (1) it has not entered into any current contract, arrangement of any kind, or understanding with any municipality outside of Miami-Dade County or any County (collectively "locality") to provide housing and services for homeless persons in Miami-Dade County who are transported to Miami-Dade County by or at the behest of such locality and (2) during the term of this Contract, it will not enter into any such contract, arrangement of any kind, or understanding; provided, however, upon the written request of the Provider prior to entering into such contract, understanding that the County may, in its sole and absolute discretion, find and determine within sixty (60) days of such request that a proposed contract should not be prohibited hereby, as the best interests of the homeless programs undertaken by and on behalf of Miami-Dade County would not be negatively affected by such contract, arrangement, or undertaking.

I. **Incident Reports.** The Provider must report to the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust information related to **any** critical incidents occurring during the administration of its programs. The Provider is to utilize the "Incident Report" form attached as **Attachment N**. In addition to reporting this incident to the appropriate authorities, the Provider must within twenty-four (24) hours of any incident, submit in writing a detailed account of the incident. This incident report should be addressed to the County. This incident report should be addressed to Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust, 111 NW First Street, 27th Floor, Suite 310, Miami, Florida 33128; telephone (305) 375-1490 and facsimile (305) 375-2722.

J. **Totality of Contract / Severability of Provisions.** This Contract and Attachments, with it recitals on the first page of the Contract and with its attachments as referenced below contain all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties.

1. **No 3rd Party Beneficiaries**. The Parties agree that this contract has no intended or unintended third party beneficiaries.

K. **Property.** This section applies to equipment with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per unit and all real property.

1. Any real property under the Provider's control that was acquired/improved in whole or in part with funds from the Homeless Trust and any equipment purchased for $5,000 or more shall be disposed of, at the expiration or termination of this contract, in accordance with instruction from the Homeless Trust. Real Property is defined as land, including land improvements, structures, and appurtenances thereto, including movable machinery and equipment. Equipment means tangible, nonexpendable, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per unit.

2. All equipment with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per units and all real property purchased in whole or in part with funds from this and previous contracts with the Homeless Trust, or transferred to the Provider t after being purchased in whole or in part with funds from the Homeless Trust shall be listed in the property records of the Provider and shall include a legal description, size, date of acquisition, value at time of purchase, owner's name if different from the Provider, information on the transfer or disposition of the property, and map indicating whether property is in parcels, lots or blocks and showing adjacent streets and roads. Notwithstanding documentation required for reimbursement purposes, a copy of the purchase receipt for any asset described above purchased with Homeless Trust funds must also be included in the Provider's monthly reimbursement package submitted to the Homeless Trust in the month in which the item was purchased along with the "Provider Asset Inventory" (**Attachment O**).

3. All equipment with an acquisition cost of $5,000 or more per unit and all real property shall be inventoried annually by the Provider and an inventory report shall be submitted to the Homeless Trust. This report shall include the elements listed in the paragraph listed above.

Attachment A:	Scope of Services
Attachment B:	Budget
Attachment C:	Miami Dade County Affidavits
Attachment D:	State Affidavits **(NOT APPLICABLE)**
Attachment E:	Primary Care Invoice for Services
Attachment F:	Monthly Payment Requests Reports
Attachment G:	Monthly Performance Reports
Attachment H:	Outcome Performance Measurements Monthly Report **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment I:	Client Contribution Report **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment J:	Client Attendance Roster **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment K:	Vacancy/Permanent Housing Placement Report (Quarterly) **(Not Applicable)**
Attachment L:	Annual Performance Report & Annual Actual Expenditure Report
Attachment M:	W-9 Form
Attachment N:	Incident Report
Attachment O:	Provider Asset Inventory Report
Attachment P:	Client Services Certification Form

No other agreement, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Contract shall be deemed to exist or bind any of the parties hereto. If any provision of this Contract is held invalid or void, the remainder of this Contract shall not be affected thereby if such remainder would then continue to conform to the terms and requirements of applicable law and ordinance.

"Exhibit C"

Emergency Housing for Individuals and Families Program
Grant Number: PC-1516-EH-_____

SIGNATURES APPEAR ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

Emergency Housing for Individuals and Families Program
Grant Number: PC-1516-EH-_____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract, along with all of its Attachments, effective as of the contract date herein above set forth.

_____
(Name of Provider)

Signed By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

Attest: _____
Authorized Person OR
Notary Public

Print Name: _____
Title: _____

Corporate Seal OR Notary Seal/Stamp:

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MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

Signed
By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

Attest: HARVEY RUVIN, Clerk
Board of County Commissioners

By: _____
Print Name: _____

Memorandum

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

Date: August 19, 2015

To: Carlos A. Gimenez
Mayor

From: Victoria Mallette, Executive Director
Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust

Subject: Challenge Grant and Emergency Housing RFA

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In July, the Department of Children and Families (DCF) Office on Homelessness issued the Challenge Grant solicitation for Fiscal Year (FY) 2015-16. DCF received approximately $3,800,000 in Challenge Grant funding which is available for allocation to lead agencies for Continuum of Care (CoC) planning activities. The maximum grant award a lead agency may receive is $200,000. The State may choose to award CoC's at a lesser amount.

The Homeless Trust issued a Request for Applications (RFA) to solicit applications from eligible CoC sub-recipient's seeking Housing Navigation, identification of system funding gaps, Rapid Re-Housing and match dollars for HUD funded programs. Grant funding must be expended on eligible services and programs by June 30, 2016, and funds can only be used to carry out the services or programs identified in the local homeless assistance CoC plan. The RFA was made available on July 24, 2015, and a Pre-Application Workshop was held on July 27, 2015.

As part of an MOU between the Miami-Dade County and the City of Miami, signed on July 31, 2015, the Homeless Trust amended the RFA to solicit no fewer than seventy-five (75) new Emergency Housing beds through the Food and Beverage tax.

Twenty-One (21) applications were received by the Clerk of the Board, which included requests for funding for Emergency Housing, Rapid Re-Housing, Permanent Housing, Transitional Housing and Supportive Services. The cumulative total requested amongst all applicants was $1,735,007.48.

A Selection Committee convened on August 19, 2015 to review, evaluate and score the applications submitted. Applications were ranked based on criteria set forth in the RFA, including performance, utilization, penalty points for unexecuted grants, and bonus points for projects serving high need persons. The Selection Committee recommended funding to eleven (11) respondents with a recommended award of $896,230.20.

The attached table includes Selection Committee recommendations. Staff is in support of the options presented by the Selection Committee. Staff recommends funding for 696,230.20 be awarded to purchase eighty-three (83) new Emergency Shelter beds through the Food and Beverage tax. Staff recommends, contingent on funding from the State, that $200,000.00 be awarded to the top ranked respondents for the Challenge Grant RFA within each funding category. All applicants will be notified of the Committee's recommendations and are required to be present on Friday, September 11, 2015 at 9:30am at the Stephen P. Clark Center, 111 NW 1st Street, Conference Room 18-4, when the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust Executive Committee meets to review and approve recommendations.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Selection Committee Members for their participation in the process, and their commitment to ensuring a thorough review and evaluation of each application.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Cc: Russell Benford, Deputy Mayor
Ronald L. Book, Esq., Chair, Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust
Shannon Summerset, Esq., Assistant County Attorney
Selection Committee Members
Applicants

REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS 2015 Challenge Grant

#	Provider	Project Name	Project Type	Victoria Mallette - Chairperson (Non-Voting)	William Miranda	Farren Oglesby	Elizabeth Von Werne	Vaughn Tooley	Bobbie Ibarra	Terrell Thomas-Ellis (alternate)	TOTAL POINTS	SCORE	Rank	TOTAL AVAILABLE	TOTAL REQUESTED	TOTAL RECOMMENDED
RESPONDENTS																
	Emergency Housing													$ 700,000.00		
1	Sundari Foundation, Inc.	Lotus House Women's Shelter	EH		64.0	96.0	93.0	92.0	72.0		417	83.4	1		$ 441,650.00	$ 441,650.00
2	Camillus House, Inc.	Emergency Housing Expansion	EH		50.0	90.0	77.0	79.0	70.0		366	73.2	2		$ 700,000.00	$ 254,580.20
	System Gaps													$ 25,000.00		
3	Carrfour Supportive Housing, Inc.	System Gaps	SSO		84.0	60.0	91.0	96.0	87.0		418	83.6	1		$ 25,000.00	$ 25,000.00
	Navigation													$ 25,000.00		
4	Carrfour Supportive Housing, Inc.	Housing Navigator	SSO		74.0	20.0	78.0	92.0	88.0		352	70.4	1		$ 25,000.00	$ 25,000.00
	RRH													$ 100,000.00		
5	Citrus Health Network, Inc.	HAND	RRH		95.0	100.0	96.0	96.0	76.0		463	92.6	1		$ 100,000.00	$ 100,000.00
6	Psycho-Social Rehabilitation Center, Inc.	Rapid Rehousing	RRH		70.0	60.0	70.0	82.0	63.0		345	69.0	2		$ 54,126.00	$ -
	Match													$ 50,000.00		*max $10,000 per project
7	New Hope CORPS., Inc.	Regeneration	TH		92.0	95.0	96.0	96.0	86.0		465	93.0	1		$ 10,000.00	$ 10,000.00
8	Camillus House, Inc.	Mental Health Initiative	SSO		60.0	40.0	60.0	60.0	59.0		463	92.6	2		$ 10,000.00	$ 10,000.00
9	Miami-Dade County Community Action & Human Services Department	Inn Transition North, Phase II	TH		92.0	78.0	98.0	98.0	93.0		459	91.8	3		$ 7,346.00	$ 7,346.00
10	Camillus House, Inc.	Project Dade Cares	SSO		60.0	30.0	60.0	60.0	60.0		448	89.6	4		$ 10,000.00	$ 10,000.00
11	Miami-Dade County Community Action & Human Services Department	Inn Transition South	TH		81.0	100.0	88.0	96.0	81.0		446	89.2	5		$ 50,000.00	$ 10,000.00
12	Jewish Community Services of South Florida, Inc.	Project HOPE	SSO		68.0	80.0	70.0	70.0	62.0		438	87.5	6		$ 10,000.00	$ 2,654.00
13	Camillus House, Inc.	Brother Abraham	TH		80.0	84.0	95.0	93.0	84.0		436	87.2	7		$ 8,000.00	$ -
14	Miami-Dade County Community Action & Human Services Department	Inn Transition North, Phase I	TH		88.0	90.0	93.0	90.0	73.0		434	86.8	8		$ 16,450.00	$ -
15	Legal Services of Greater Miami, Inc.	Homeless Legal Assistance Project	SSO		66.0	66.0	71.0	66.0	76.0		431	86.3	9		$ 4,543.00	$ -
16	Psycho-Social Rehabilitation Center, Inc.	Scattered Sites	PSH		83.0	80.0	93.0	95.0	73.0		424	84.8	10		$ 4,600.00	$ -
17	Psycho-Social Rehabilitation Center, Inc.	Coconut Grove II	PSH		88.0	60.0	93.0	91.0	80.0		412	82.4	11		$ 2,551.00	$ -
18	Psycho-Social Rehabilitation Center, Inc.	Coconut Grove I	PSH		81.0	80.0	88.0	87.0	69.0		405	81.0	12		$ 2,849.00	$ -
19	Miami-Dade County Community Action & Human Services Department	STOP	TH		61.0	77.0	82.0	88.0	55.0		363	72.6	13		$ 28,000.00	$ -
20	The Women of Power Restoration Program, Inc.	Homeless Project	VARIOUS		18.0	20.0	60.0	26.0	23.0		147	29.4	14		$ 24,892.48	$ -
21	Fundacion voz de mujer	Front Door	PSH		12.0	0.0	20.0	10.0	0.0		42	8.4	15		$ 200,000.00	$ -
														$ 900,000.00	$ 1,735,007.48	$ 896,230.20

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