



Office of the City Manager

CONSENT CALENDAR
June 13, 2023

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Dee Williams-Ridley, City Manager

Submitted by: Lisa Warhuus, Director, Health, Housing, and Community Services

Subject: Contract No. 32200084 Amendment: Capoeira Arts Foundation, Inc. (CAF), COVID-19 Outreach & Education.

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution amending Contract No. 32200084 with Capoeira Arts Foundation, Inc. (CAF), to extend the contract end date through June 30, 2024 and increase the not-to-exceed amount (NTE) by \$65,000 utilizing one-time grant funds. The amendment will increase the NTE amount from \$206,025 to \$271,025.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

The amendment will add \$65,000 with a total not-to-exceed amount of \$271,025. The funding for this amendment is subject to appropriation in the FY2024 Budget in the One-Time Fund (Fund 336).

CURRENT SITUATION AND ITS EFFECTS

Amending contract number 32200084 with Capoeira Arts Foundation, Inc. (CAF) will allow CAF to continue providing culturally responsive COVID-19 education and outreach services to the Berkeley community through the end of the Enhancing Laboratories Capacity (ELC) grant period. These services will aid in slowing the spread of COVID-19 and ensure all Berkeley residents have equitable access to COVID-19 vaccines, testing, treatment, and other infection control and healthcare measures.

BACKGROUND

In response to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the City of Berkeley partnered with CAF to ensure all Berkeley residents have equitable access to COVID-19 vaccines, testing, treatment, and other infection control and healthcare measures. These efforts have included organizing and facilitating COVID-19 education and outreach events, hosting vaccine clinics, supporting community and school-based vaccine events, engaging in door-knocking campaigns and community canvassing events, hosting Health Justice Interns, and distributing COVID-19 test kits prioritizing Berkeley residents who are uninsured, under insured, undocumented, or face other barriers to accessing test kits.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY AND CLIMATE IMPACTS

There are no identifiable environmental effects, climate impacts, or sustainability opportunities associated with the subject of this report.

RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

The additional funding identified will aid in slowing the spread of COVID-19 throughout the Berkeley community and will ensure all Berkeley residents have equitable access to COVID-19 vaccines, testing, treatment, and other infection control and healthcare measures.

ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED

Staff did not identify other alternatives that are consistent with both the grant purpose, City priorities, and CDC's COVID-19 guidance.

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Attachment:

1. Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

CONTRACT NO. 32200084 AMENDMENT: CAPOEIRA ARTS FOUNDATION, INC
(CAF) FOR COVID-19 OUTREACH & EDUCATION

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley issued Request for Proposal #21-11450-C on May 12, 2021 to engage with community partners to engage Berkeley residents and workers by providing education and outreach on COVID-19, targeting vaccination efforts to reach those most vulnerable to and at risk of COVID-19, and supporting infected individuals required to isolate; and

WHEREAS, a panel of experts reviewed applications and recommended agencies to provide services to reach Berkeley residents and workers who are vulnerable to and at risk of COVID-19 infection, and these services are a critical part of the City's efforts to prevent the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on October 1, 2021, under the State of Emergency Order the City Manager authorized Health, Housing, and Community Services' Public Health Officer Unit to enter into a contract with Capoeira Arts Foundation, Inc (CAF) (Contract #32200084) to provide culturally responsive COVID-19 education and outreach services to the Berkeley community; and

WHEREAS, additional funds from the Enhancing Laboratories Capacity (ELC) grant in the amount of \$65,000.00 are available to increase the contract amount which will allow CAF to continue providing culturally responsive COVID-19 education and outreach services to the Berkeley community through the end of the grant period.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the City Manager or her designee is authorized to amend Contract No. 32200084 with Capoeira Arts Foundation, Inc. (CAF), to extend the contract end date through June 30, 2024 and increase the not-to-exceed amount (NTE) by \$65,000 to a total of \$271,025 utilizing one-time grant funds.

