

CITY OF NEW HAVEN

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The Honorable Tyisha Walker-Myers
President, New Haven Board of Alders
City of New Haven
165 Church Street
New Haven, Connecticut 06510

RE: Resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of New Haven to accept an Immunization – Base / COVID-19 Immunization contract amendment for an additional year of grant funding in the amount of \$202,872.00 from the Connecticut Department of Public Health and to execute, acknowledge, implement and deliver any and all documents as may be considered necessary or appropriate with respect thereto.

Dear President Walker-Myers:

In accordance with the Order of New Haven Board of Aldermen (Board) authorizing the Mayor to apply for and accept all grants on behalf of the City of New Haven (City), passed on 17 October 1994, I write to respectfully request the Honorable Board of Alders to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Haven to accept an Immunization – Base / COVID-19 Immunization contract amendment for an additional year of funding in the amount of \$202,872.00 from the Connecticut Department of Public Health and to execute, acknowledge, implement and deliver any and all documents as may be considered necessary or appropriate with respect thereto. The Health Department received this four-year grant in 2021 and this contract amendment did not require an application.

With these funds, the New Haven Health Department can work to achieve the National Healthy People 2030 objective of having children in New Haven, and the greater New Haven area, age-appropriately vaccinated by 24 months of age, the Connecticut Immunization Action Plan (IAP) engages in activities to improve vaccine delivery, tracking and outreach referral, education, and assessment. A more detailed description of the program is provided in the Executive Summary. Program administration and services are provided by the New Haven Health Department. As this is a contract amendment to add one additional year of funding; therefore, we are seeking unanimous consent.

Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M. Bond".

Maritza Bond, MPH
Director of Health

Attachments