



## Recommendation for Action

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### **Posting Language**

Authorize negotiation and execution of Amendment No. 2 to the agreement with Go Austin/Vamos Austin d/b/a GAVA to facilitate a collaborative process in the North Austin/Rundberg neighborhoods to improve health outcomes and address the social determinants of health, to add funding in an amount not to exceed \$175,000 for a 12-month period beginning July 1, 2023, for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$525,000.

### **Lead Department**

Austin Public Health Department.

### **Fiscal Note**

Funding in the amount of \$175,000 is included in the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Austin Public Health Department Operating Budget.

### **Prior Council Action:**

June 3, 2021 - Council authorized the negotiation and execution of a 12-month agreement with Go Austin/Vamos Austin in an amount not to exceed \$175,000 for the term July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022, with one 12-month extension option in an amount not to exceed \$175,000, on a 10-0 vote with Council Member Kelly absent.

### **For More Information:**

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### **Additional Backup Information:**

This action will authorize the negotiation and execution of an agreement with Go Austin/Vamos Austin d/b/a GAVA to continue strengthening and stabilizing the North Austin/Rundberg neighborhoods by engaging community members and community partners delivering services. By engaging the community, GAVA will continue to facilitate conversations to connect service providers, leverage resources, identify resource gaps, identify barriers to receiving services and solutions, and find opportunities to develop and/or scale needed interventions. The information gathered from this community work will help inform future investments in the North Austin/Rundberg area.