

OMB Contract Review

Contract Name	Delegated Authority for the County Administrator to approve and execute Medicaid Low Income Pool Program agreements				
GRANICUS / LEGISTAR	16-557A	Contract #	N/A	Date:	4/13/16

Mark all Applicable Boxes:

Type of Contract									
CIP		Grant	x	Other		Revenue		Project	

Contract information:

New Contract (Y/N)	Y	Original Contract Amount	
Fund(s)	0001	Amount of Change	
Cost Center(s)	301215, 301705	Contract Amount	Up to \$10.1M
Program(s)	1569, 1580	Amount Available	Total: \$10.1M
Account(s)	multiple	Included in Applicable Budget? (Y/N)	Yes
Fiscal Year(s)	FY16 & FY17		

Description & Comments

(What is it, any issues found, is there a financial impact to current/next FY, does this contract vary from previous FY, etc.)

The Human Services Department requests that the Board of County Commissioners delegate authority to the County Administrator to approve and execute Medicaid Low Income Pool Program (LIP) agreements with the State of Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA) and participating local hospitals. The request is in response to the State Legislature appropriating funds for the LIP program in its State Fiscal Year 2016-2017 budget (SFY17). LIP allows local governments to leverage local funds for increased Federal support of services to local Medicaid, underinsured and uninsured populations. Local governments agree to participate and provide funding through intergovernmental transfers (IGTs) to AHCA, which pool the funds to receive a federal match. AHCA then distributes LIP funds directly to participating providers.

Pinellas County Human Services identified \$10.1M in the Adopted FY16 Budget and its FY17 Budget Request that are appropriate for the transfers to AHCA during SFY17 (July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017). The LIP program ensures that providers will not receive less from LIP than if the local government provided direct financial assistance. The goal is to generate additional provider revenues beyond the local investment.

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Ok to Sign:

Date: 4/13/16