

Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE August 7, 2020

TO Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

SUBJECT **COVID-19 Funding**

This month, several COVID-19 related grants will be coming before the City Council for acceptance. Many of the grants were authorized as part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, which was designed to provide swift and direct economic assistance to individuals, businesses, and governmental agencies in order to mitigate the impact of the novel coronavirus pandemic. However, some private grants are also included.

August 12, 2020

- Item 4 – Acceptance of an Other Transaction Agreement (OTA) from the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) in the amount of \$280,408 to reimburse Dallas Love Field for cleaning and sanitization costs in TSA screening areas
- Item 23 – Acceptance of the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program – COVID- 19 Supplemental from the Federal Emergency Management Agency in the amount of \$846,260.87 to purchase personal protective equipment for Dallas Fire-Rescue in response to COVID- 19

August 26, 2020 The draft agenda for August 26 will be sent to the City Council on Friday, August 14 and will include the following items:

- Acceptance of a private grant from Maddie’s Fund in the amount of \$20,000 to assist in running the Animal Foster Care program for Dallas Animal Services
- – Acceptance of a private grant from PetSmart Charities in the amount of \$9,630 to fund adjusted operations for COVID-19 at Dallas Animal Services

Please contact Brett Wilkinson, Director of the Office of Strategic Partnerships and Government Affairs at brett.wilkinson@dallascityhall.com if you have questions or concerns.



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