

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA SUMMARY FORM**



DEPARTMENT / COUNCIL OFFICE:

AGENDA DATE:

PUBLIC HEARING DATE:

CONTACT PERSON NAME:

PHONE NUMBER:

2nd CONTACT PERSON NAME:

PHONE NUMBER:

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: All

AGENDA ITEM:

ISSUE STATEMENT:

BACKGROUND:

COUNCIL OPTIONS:

COMMITTEE REVIEW AND/OR RECOMMENDATION:

COMMUNITY AND STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH (if applicable, as an attachment) – please include:

RELATED CITY POLICIES:

#8 NURTURE AND PROMOTE A HEALTHY AND SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY
8.1 DELIVER PREVENTION, INTERVENTION AND MOBILIZATION SERVICES TO PROMOTE A HEALTHY, PRODUCTIVE AND SAFE COMMUNITY

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

LEGAL REVIEW:

Legal counsel reviewed as a part of Council packet

Legal counsel reviewed in advance of packet as an individual item

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION TO CITY COUNCIL:

NAME	AMOUNT (\$)

ATTACHMENTS:

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

SIGNATURE:

Veerinder Tansja

(If Agenda Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, on August, 2023, the City and Independent Contractor entered into an Independent Contractor Agreement on behalf of the Department of Public Health for the Pharmacist position; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement may be amended under the provision of Section 4 of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, both parties are pleased with the services provided, and now wish to amend language within the agreement which includes the duration of the agreement, the compensation to clearly state services will not to exceed \$60,000 per year.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

THAT the City Manager, be authorized to sign a Second Amendment to the Independent Contractor Agreement (the “Agreement”) between the City of El Paso, Texas (“City of El Paso”) and Pablo Marrero-Nunez for the latter to provide services as a Pharmacist to the City of El Paso, for a yearly amount not to exceed \$60,000 through August 31, 2027, with the City Manager being authorized to administratively extend the Agreement for an additional one year period from September 1, 2027 through August 31, 2028.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

THE CITY OF EL PASO:

Renard U. Johnson, Mayor

(Signatures continue on following page)

ATTEST:

Laura D. Prine
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Robert Aguinaga Jr
Robert Aguinaga
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Veerinder Taneja
Veerinder Taneja, Director
Public Health Department

STATE OF TEXAS)
)
COUNTY OF EL PASO)

**SECOND AMENDMENT TO
INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT**

This Second Amendment is entered into by and between the CITY OF EL PASO, a home rule municipal corporation, hereinafter referred to as "City," and Pablo Marrero-Nunez, hereinafter referred to as "Independent Contractor."

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WHEREAS, the Agreement may be amended under the provision of Section 4 of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, both parties are pleased with the services provided, and now wish to amend language within the agreement which includes the duration of the agreement, the compensation to clearly state services will not to exceed \$60,000 per year.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises set forth in this First Amendment and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Section 3 of the Agreement is amended as following:

3. COMPENSATION AND METHOD OF PAYMENT. The Contractor shall be paid at an hourly rate of One Hundred and No/100 Dollars (\$100.00) and not to exceed One Hundred and No/100 Dollars (\$100.00). The total yearly compensation amount shall not exceed SIXTY-THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$60,000). The Contractor shall use the attached invoice, Attachment "B", for invoicing. Such invoice shall be submitted on a bi-weekly basis. The City agrees to pay amounts due hereunder within 30 days of receipt of invoice.

The City will provide no fringe benefits.

Contractor understands that as an independent contractor, taxes will not be withheld

from the Contractor's payment, and consequently Contractor assumes all liability for payment of taxes on his earnings. Contractor agrees that at no time will he make a claim against the City for more than the rate provided under the terms of this contract.

2. Except as herein amended, all other provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

the parties have executed this agreement in El Paso Texas on
IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
this _____ day of April, 2026

CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS

Dionne Mack
City Manager

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Robert Aguinaga Jr
Robert Aguinaga
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Veerinder Taneja
Veerinder Taneja, Director
Public Health Department

CONTRACTOR

Pablo Marrero-Nunez
Pablo Marrero-Nunez