

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - Office of Refugee Health - Refugee Health
2 Assessment Program (RHAP) - Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2022-23 Award Number 22-38-
3 90899-00 - \$324,061]

4 **Resolution retroactively authorizing the Department of Public Health to accept and**
5 **expend a grant in the amount of \$324,061 from the Office of Refugee Health through the**
6 **California Department of Public Health for participation in a program, entitled “Refugee**
7 **Health Assessment Program (RHAP) - Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2022-23 Award Number**
8 **22-38-90899-00,” for the period of October 1, 2022, through September 30, 2023.**

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10 WHEREAS, The Office of Refugee Health (ORH), through the California Department of
11 Public Health (DPH), has agreed to fund the Department of Public Health (DPH) in the
12 amount of \$324,061 for participation in a program, entitled “Refugee Health Assessment
13 Program (RHAP) - Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2022-23 Award Number 22-38-90899-00,” for
14 the period of October 1, 2022, through September 30, 2023; and

15 WHEREAS, The grant funds will be used to help ensure 90% of all arriving refugees
16 start the health assessment process, and ensure 60% of all arriving asylees, special
17 immigrant visa holders, Cuban/Haitian entrants, federal-certified victims of human trafficking,
18 Afghan and Ukrainian humanitarian parolees, and other eligible entrants start the health
19 assessment process; and

20 WHEREAS, The grant funds will also be used to ensure immunization status of 95% of
21 children and adults who have started a health assessment, and ensure 95% of individuals
22 identified as eligible to receive scheduled immunizations at the time of the health assessment
23 are either immunized or referred to an appropriate provider; and

24 WHEREAS, The grant funds will also be used to ensure that 95% of individuals
25 identified with a health condition needing further medical evaluation are referred to a health

1 care provider, and ensure that 95% of arrivals who completed health assessments are
2 evaluated for Tuberculosis infection or disease, and classified according to the most current
3 American Thoracic Society guidelines; and

4 WHEREAS, An Annual Salary Ordinance Amendment is not required as the grant
5 partially reimburses DPH for four existing positions, one Health Program Coordinator I (Job
6 Class No. 2589) at 1.0 FTE, two Health Worker III (Job Class No. 2587) at 0.875 FTE, and
7 one Junior Administrative Analyst (Job Class No. 1820) at 0.05 FTE, for the period of
8 October 1, 2022, through September 30, 2023; and

9 WHEREAS, A request for retroactive approval is being sought because DPH received
10 the award letter on October 1, 2022, for a project start date of October 1, 2022; and

11 WHEREAS, The Department proposes to maximize use of available grant funds on
12 program expenditures by not including indirect costs in the grant budget; now, therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of indirect costs in
14 the grant budget; and, be it

15 FURTHER RESOLVED, That DPH is hereby authorized to accept and expend a grant
16 in the amount of \$324,061 from the ORH through DPH; and, be it

17 FURTHER RESOLVED, That DPH is hereby authorized to retroactively accept and
18 expend the grant funds pursuant to Administrative Code, Section 10.170-1.

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4 Dr. Grant Colfax
5 Director of Health
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Approved: _____ /s/
Mayor

Approved: _____ /s/
Controller

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