



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT
AWARDS / CONTRACTS / GRANTS

Award Contract Grant

Requested Board Meeting Date: September 7, 2021

* = Mandatory, information must be provided

or Procurement Director Award: []

*Contractor/Vendor Name/Grantor (DBA):

Paradigm Laboratories LLC

*Project Title/Description:

COVID-19 Vaccination Services

*Purpose:

This contract aims to supplement the Pima County Health Department's vaccination efforts by adding another vaccinator for static and mobile Points of Distribution (PODs). As the County's supply of vaccine grows, more mobile events are needed to target the most vulnerable and difficult to reach.

Amendment #1 adds an additional \$2,000,000 to the do not exceed amount of the contract due to an escalation in the Pima County Health Department's COVID-19 response and the role that Paradigm has in it.

*Procurement Method:

Direct Select per Board of Supervisors Policy D29.6, III-C

*Program Goals/Predicted Outcomes:

The goal is to vaccinate as many people in the priority groups as quickly as possible. This contract will increase opportunities for COVID-19 vaccination services, especially for those with limited access to health care services. The County has shifted their efforts from large vaccination points of distribution to smaller static or mobile sites. Broad distribution and administration of the COVID-19 vaccines is a crucial step towards resumption of normal societal functions.

*Public Benefit:

The primary benefit is decreasing the spread of COVID-19 by increasing the number of Pima County residents that are vaccinated. Vaccines have also been shown to lessen the severity of the disease in breakthrough cases and limit spread of the disease. Mobile clinics are best able to reach minority and disabled populations, which are underrepresented in the people that are vaccinated.

*Metrics Available to Measure Performance:

The Pima County Health Department will receive reports that include the number of vaccines given at each event, what kind of vaccine, demographic information for those vaccinated, and any adverse reactions or events.

*Retroactive:

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Contract / Award Information

Document Type: Department Code: Contract Number (i.e., 15-123):
Commencement Date: Termination Date: Prior Contract Number (Synergen/CMS):
Expense Amount \$ Revenue Amount: \$

*Funding Source(s) required:

Funding from General Fund? Yes No If Yes \$ %

Contract is fully or partially funded with Federal Funds? Yes No

If Yes, is the Contract to a vendor or subrecipient?

Were insurance or indemnity clauses modified? Yes No

If Yes, attach Risk's approval.

Vendor is using a Social Security Number? Yes No

If Yes, attach the required form per Administrative Procedure 22-10.

Amendment / Revised Award Information

Document Type: CT Department Code: HD Contract Number (i.e., 15-123): 21-362

Amendment No.: 01 AMS Version No.: 08

Commencement Date: 09/07/2021 New Termination Date:

Prior Contract No. (Synergen/CMS): N/A

Expense Revenue Increase Decrease

Amount This Amendment: \$ 2,000,000.00

Is there revenue included? Yes No If Yes \$

*Funding Source(s) required: Initially, expenses will be charged to COVID-19 Vaccination Equity grant

Funding from General Fund? Yes No If Yes \$ %

Grant/Amendment Information (for grants acceptance and awards)

Award Amendment

Document Type: Department Code: Grant Number (i.e., 15-123):

Commencement Date: Termination Date: Amendment Number:

Match Amount: \$ Revenue Amount: \$

*All Funding Source(s) required:

*Match funding from General Fund? Yes No If Yes \$ %

*Match funding from other sources? Yes No If Yes \$ %

*Funding Source:

*If Federal funds are received, is funding coming directly from the Federal government or passed through other organization(s)?

Contact: Sharon Grant

Department: Health

Telephone: 724-7842

Department Director Signature: Date: 08/18/21

Deputy County Administrator Signature: Date: 25 Aug 2021

County Administrator Signature: C. DeLuca Date: 8/25/21



PIMA COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

Date: March 23, 2021

To: Chuck Huckelberry
County Administrator

From: Theresa Cullen, MD, MS *TC*
Health Department Director

Via: Francisco Garcia *FG*
Deputy County Administrator

Terri Spencer
Procurement Director

Re: Direct Selection Authorization Request – Paradigm Laboratories

Pursuant to Pima County Board of Supervisors Policy D29.6 III C – Direct Selection, and since the County is still under a declared health emergency, the Health Department is requesting approval to contract with Paradigm Laboratories LLC for provision of COVID-19 vaccination services as directed by Pima County. Increases in Moderna and Pfizer vaccine formulation allocations and the recent approval of the Johnson and Johnson vaccine formulation have combined to significantly increase projected vaccine availability to Pima County, and the Health Department projects a significant increase in the need for vaccinators as soon as the end of March.

Paradigm Laboratories has provided Pima County with an array of COVID-19 testing services since the onset of the pandemic, and has established themselves as the largest diagnostic RT-PCR test provider in the county. Paradigm has completed over 300,000 tests at County direction in fixed, high throughput locations, mobile field sites and third-party facilities. Leveraging this infrastructure and experience will provide the Pima County Health Department with another capable, skilled team able to provide the COVID-19 vaccinations vital to ensuring public health.

Cost equity will be ensured through comparison with like vendors, including those contracted under competitive methods. Provision of services, interfacing with the Arizona State Immunization Information System (ASIIS), vaccine allocations and provider onboarding will be monitored by certified, and where appropriate, licensed Pima County staff.

The Pima County Health Department requests authorization to contract with these agencies under the direct selection clause of BOS Policy D29.6, with a not to exceed amount of \$2,000,000, to be paid from appropriate grant and Health funds.

APPROVED NOT APPROVED

C.H. Huckelberry


C.H. Huckelberry, County Administrator

3/23/21

Date

Date: August 6, 2021

To: C.H. Huckelberry
County Administrator

From: Theresa Cullen, MD, MS 
Health Department Director

Re: **Request for Amendment to Direct Selection of Professional Services from Paradigm for COVID-19 Vaccination Services**

The Pima County Health Department is requesting your authorization to amend contract CT-HD-21-362, adding \$2,000,000 to the not-to-exceed amount of this contract for a total not-to-exceed amount of \$4,000,000. The base contract was established via D29.6.III.C Direct Selection (authorization memo attached), so in accordance with that policy, this amendment requires County Administrator authorization to proceed to the Board of Supervisors for approval.

This contract is for the provision of COVID-19 vaccinations at either static or mobile sites. The ongoing efforts to reach Pima County residents, including those hesitant to early vaccination efforts, has persisted and Pima County requires the expansion of this contract to continue provision of vaccine.

This expense will be borne by the Health Fund, ARPA and state COVID-19 vaccination grants. Thank you for your consideration.

TC/dg

Approved as to Form:

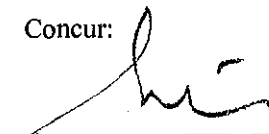


Terri Spencer, Procurement Director

8/10/2021

Date

Concur:



Francisco Garcia, MD, MPH Deputy County Administrator

10 Aug 2021

Date

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C.H. Huckelberry, County Administrator

8/10/21

Date

cc: Jan Leshner, Chief Deputy County Administrator
Terri Spencer, Procurement Director

Pima County Department of Health

Project: COVID-19 Vaccination Services

Contractor: Paradigm Laboratories LLC
6117 E. Grant Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85712

Contract No.: CT-HD-21-362

Contract Amendment No.: 01

Orig. Contract Term:	04/07/2021-04/06/2022	Orig. Amount:	\$2,000,000.00
Termination Date Prior Amendment:	N/A	Prior Amendments Amount:	N/A
Termination Date This Amendment:	04/06/2022	This Amendment Amount:	\$2,000,000.00
		Revised Total Amount:	\$4,000,000.00

CONTRACT AMENDMENT

The parties agree to amend the above-referenced contract as follows:

1. Background and Purpose.

1.1. Background. On April 7, 2021, County and Contractor entered into the above referenced agreement to provide COVID-19 vaccinations.

1.2. Purpose. County requires additional COVID-19 vaccinations.

2. Maximum Payment Amount. The maximum amount the County will spend under this Contract, as set forth in Section 5, is increased by \$2,000,000.00. County's total payments to Contractor under this contract, including any sales taxes, will not exceed \$4,000,000.00.

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All other provisions of the Contract not specifically changed by this Amendment remain in effect and are binding upon the parties.

PIMA COUNTY

Chair, Board of Supervisors

Date

CONTRACTOR



Authorized Officer Signature

Steven Kelly (CEO)

Printed Name and Title

8-16-21

Date

ATTEST

Clerk of the Board

Date

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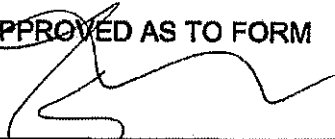


Department Representative

08/17/21

Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM



Deputy County Attorney
Jonathan Pinkney

Print DCA Name

8/16/21

Date