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## Resolution/Ordinance Cover Memo

**Meeting Date:** July 21, 2025

**Subject/Title:** Agreement with Human Development Center (HDC) to provide Crisis Response provider and Licensed Alcohol and Drug Counselor (LADC) services.

**Submitted By:** Kerry Cronin-Jones

**Recommendation:** Approve

**Background:** The DPD has been receiving funds from the US Department of Justice under the Comprehensive Opioid Stimulant and Substance Use Site-based Program (COSSUP) grant since 2018. Since that time, DPD has created a Substance Use Response Team (SURT) that is now embedded in the Behavioral Health Unit within the DPD. This specialized unit also houses Co-Responder (CORE) mental health service providers who respond alongside trained mental health police officers. Through many years of experience, it has been determined that a missing piece is the unique skill set of a crisis response provider. HDC will hire and embed this full-time position into the unit. They will also provide access to an LADC on an as needed basis, either in their clinic or out in the community. The LADC will conduct comprehensive evaluation services (formally Rule 25) to clients referred to the team.

**Budget/Fiscal Impact:** Minimal. The City will act as the fiscal agent and flow grant funds to HDC for reimbursement of services provided. Acting as the fiscal agent does require staff involvement, however, this is one of many other grants managed by DPD so processes are already in place and running smoothly.

**Necessary Action:** Please approve.

**Attachments:** HDC Partner Agreement



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