

**GRANT CONTRACT
BETWEEN THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT
OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY
AND
COMMUNITY CARE FELLOWSHIP**

This Grant Contract issued and entered into pursuant to RS2022-1698 by and between the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, a municipal corporation of the State of Tennessee hereinafter referred to as "Metro", and Community Care Fellowship (CCF), hereinafter referred to as the "Recipient," is for the provision of Mobile Housing Navigation Program services in Davidson County as further defined in the "SCOPE OF PROGRAM."

A. SCOPE OF PROGRAM:

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A.1. The Recipient will use the funds for the following:

A.1. Community Care Fellowship will use \$4,400,000 for the expansion and operation of the Mobile Housing Navigation Center (MHNC) program to a total of 7 sites with 15-20 beds per site. The intent is to take 15-20 unhoused people from the street or encampments into each MHNC location and intensely work with them to obtain housing as quickly as possible with a goal of housing people within an average of 120 days. MHNC guests will be referred through Nashville's Coordinated Entry (CE) process.

Community Care Fellowship will build on their existing pilot to serve unhoused individuals by expanding their program to 5 sites by the end of Year 1 and to a total of 7 sites by end of Year 2, serving an estimated 500-600 people by the end of Year 2. The goal is to quickly provide a bed that is accessible to individuals 24 hours/7 days per week that offers privacy including a locker to keep their personal belongings. The program includes a staffing model including case manager/housing navigator(s), house monitor(s) (person with lived experience who is paid for this job), and program services including protection services. The expansion model includes the hiring of a mental health specialist and a program supervisor.

CCF will also use remaining funds (approximately \$142,355) to find and test solutions for the following high-need populations:

- **LGBTQI+** - Create opportunities and capacity for choice in emergency housing for LGBTQI+ populations to live an authentic life free of harassment and violence.
- **Young Adults** – Look for solutions to fill the current need in the 18-24 population with services unique to this population. (60 individuals at Nashville Rescue Mission as of September 2022).
- **Families** - Look for solutions to fill the current need in family homelessness. HPC has identified that Nashville's current shelter system lacks emergency space for approximately 7 families per month. CCF's plan is to expand the Mobile Housing Navigation Center and include one family-specific location.
- **Pet Owners** - 16% of people living outdoors who participated in a survey on January 27, 2022, (PIT count) reported having a pet. If the Single Room Temporary Housing program is unable to accommodate the need, CCF will work collaboratively with other providers to find additional locations for temporary housing with people with pets.

A.2. The Recipient must spend these funds consistent with the Grant Spending Plan, attached and incorporated herein as Attachment 1. The Recipient must collect data to evaluate the effectiveness of their services and must provide those results to Metro upon request.

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- A.3. The Recipient will only utilize these funds for services the Recipient provides to documented residents of Davidson County. Documentation of residency may be established with a recent utility bill; voter's registration card; driver's license or other government issued-ID; current record from a school showing address; affidavit by landlord; or affidavit by a nonprofit treatment, shelter, half-way house, or homeless assistance entity located within Davidson County. Recipient agrees that it will not use Metro funding for services to non-Davidson County residents.
- A.4. Additionally, the Recipient must collect data on the primary county of residence of the clients it serves and provide that data to Metro upon request.

B. GRANT CONTRACT TERM:

- B.1. Grant Contract Term. The term of this Grant shall commence on October 5, 2022, and end on October 4, 2024. Metro shall have no obligation for services rendered by the Recipient which are not performed within this term.

C. PAYMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- C.1. Maximum Liability. In no event shall the maximum liability of Metro under this Grant Contract exceed \$4,542,355. The Grant Spending Plan, attached and incorporated herein as part of Attachment 1, shall constitute the maximum amount to be provided to the Recipient by Metro for all of the Recipient's obligations hereunder. The Grant Spending Plan line items include, but are not limited to, all applicable taxes, fees, overhead, and all other direct and indirect costs incurred or to be incurred by the Recipient.

This amount shall constitute the Grant Amount and the entire compensation to be provided to the Recipient by Metro.

- C.2. Compensation Firm. The maximum liability of Metro is not subject to escalation for any reason. The Grant Spending Plan amount is firm for the duration of the Grant Contract and is not subject to escalation for any reason unless the grant contract is amended.
- C.3. Payment Methodology. The Recipient shall be compensated for actual costs based upon the Grant Spending Plan, not to exceed the maximum liability established in Section C.1. Payment to the Recipient shall be a lump sum made upon approval of this Grant Contract.
- C.4. Annual Expenditure Report. The Recipient must submit a final grant Annual Expenditure Report, to be received by Metro Social Services, within 45 days of the end of the Grant Contract. Said report shall be in form and substance acceptable to Metro and shall be prepared by a Certified Public Accounting Firm or the Chief Financial Officer of the Recipient Organization.
- C.5. Payment of Invoice. The payment of any invoice by Metro shall not prejudice Metro's right to object to the invoice or any matter in relation thereto. Such payment by Metro shall neither be construed as acceptance of any part of the work or service provided nor as an approval of any of the costs included therein.
- C.6. Unallowable Costs. The Recipient's invoice shall be subject to reduction for amounts included in any invoice or payment theretofore made which are determined by Metro, on the basis of audits or monitoring conducted in accordance with the terms of this Grant Contract, to constitute unallowable costs. Utilization of Metro funding for services to non-Davidson County residents is unallowable.
- C.7. Deductions. Metro reserves the right to adjust any amounts which are or shall become due and payable to the Recipient by Metro under this or any Contract by deducting any amounts which are or shall become due and payable to Metro by the Recipient under this or any Contract.

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- C.8. Travel Compensation. Payment to the Recipient for travel, meals, or lodging shall be subject to amounts and limitations specified in Metro's Travel Regulations and subject to the Grant Spending Plan.
- C.9. Electronic Payment. Metro requires as a condition of this contract that the Recipient shall complete and sign Metro's form authorizing electronic payments to the Recipient. Recipients who have not already submitted the form to Metro will have thirty (30) days to complete, sign, and return the form. Thereafter, all payments to the Recipient, under this or any other contract the Recipient has with Metro, must be made electronically.
- D. STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS:
- D.1. Required Approvals. Metro is not bound by this Grant Contract until it is approved by the appropriate Metro representatives as indicated on the signature page of this Grant.
- D.2. Modification and Amendment. This Grant Contract may be modified only by a written amendment that has been approved in accordance with all Metro procedures and by appropriate legislation of the Metropolitan Council.
- D.3. Termination for Cause. Should the Recipient fail to properly perform its obligations under this Grant Contract or if the Recipient violates any terms of this Grant Contract, Metro shall have the right to immediately terminate the Grant Contract and the Recipient shall return to Metro any and all grant monies for services or programs under the grant not performed as of the termination date. The Recipient shall also return to Metro any and all funds expended for purposes contrary to the terms of the Grant. Such termination shall not relieve the Recipient of any liability to Metro for damages sustained by virtue of any breach by the Recipient.
- D.4. Subcontracting. The Recipient shall not assign this Grant Contract or enter into a subcontract for any of the services performed under this Grant Contract without obtaining the prior written approval of Metro. Notwithstanding any use of approved subcontractors, the Recipient shall be considered the prime Recipient and shall be responsible for all work performed.
- D.5. Conflicts of Interest. The Recipient warrants that no part of the total Grant Amount shall be paid directly or indirectly to an employee or official of Metro as wages, compensation, or gifts in exchange for acting as an officer, agent, employee, subcontractor, or consultant to the Recipient in connection with any work contemplated or performed relative to this Grant Contract.
- D.6. Nondiscrimination. The Recipient hereby agrees, warrants, and assures that no person shall be excluded from participation in, be denied benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Grant Contract or in the employment practices of the Recipient on the grounds of disability, age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or any other classification which is in violation of applicable laws. The Recipient shall, upon request, show proof of such nondiscrimination and shall post in conspicuous places, available to all employees and applicants, notices of nondiscrimination.
- D.7. Records. The Recipient shall maintain documentation for all charges to Metro under this Grant Contract. The books, records, and documents of the Recipient, insofar as they relate to work performed or money received under this Grant Contract, shall be maintained for a period of three (3) full years from the date of the final payment or until the Recipient engages a licensed independent public accountant to perform an audit of its activities. The books, records, and documents of the Recipient insofar as they relate to work performed or money received under this Grant Contract shall be subject to audit at any reasonable time and upon reasonable notice by Metro or its duly appointed representatives. Records shall be maintained in accordance with the standards outlined in the Metro Grants Manual. The financial statements shall be prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

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- D.8. Monitoring. The Recipient's activities conducted and records maintained pursuant to this Grant Contract shall be subject to monitoring and evaluation by The Metropolitan Office of Financial Accountability or Metro's duly appointed representatives. The Recipient shall make all audit, accounting, or financial records, notes, and other documents pertinent to this grant available for review by the Metropolitan Office of Financial Accountability, Internal Audit or Metro's representatives, upon request, during normal working hours.
- D.9. Reporting. The Recipient must submit an Interim Program Report, to be received by Metro Social Services, by no later than February 19, 2024, and a Final Program Report, to be received by Metro Social Services, within 45 [forty-five] days of the end of the Grant Contract. Said reports shall detail the outcome of the activities funded under this Grant Contract.
- D.10. Strict Performance. Failure by Metro to insist in any one or more cases upon the strict performance of any of the terms, covenants, conditions, or provisions of this agreement shall not be construed as a waiver or relinquishment of any such term, covenant, condition, or provision. No term or condition of this Grant Contract shall be held to be waived, modified, or deleted except by a written amendment by the appropriate parties as indicated on the signature page of this Grant.
- D.11. Insurance. The Recipient agrees to carry adequate public liability and other appropriate forms of insurance, and to pay all applicable taxes incident to this Grant Contract.
- D.12. Metro Liability. Metro shall have no liability except as specifically provided in this Grant Contract.
- D. 13. Independent Contractor. Nothing herein shall in any way be construed or intended to create a partnership or joint venture between the Recipient and Metro or to create the relationship of principal and agent between or among the Recipient and Metro. The Recipient shall not hold itself out in a manner contrary to the terms of this paragraph. Metro shall not become liable for any representation, act, or omission of any other party contrary to the terms of this paragraph.
- D. 14. Indemnification and Hold Harmless.
- (a) Recipient shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Metro, its officers, agents and employees from any claims, damages, penalties, costs and attorney fees for injuries or damages arising, in part or in whole, from the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of Recipient, its officers, employees and/or agents, including its sub or independent contractors, in connection with the performance of the contract, and any claims, damages, penalties, costs and attorney fees arising from any failure of Recipient, its officers, employees and/or agents, including its sub or independent contractors, to observe applicable laws, including, but not limited to, labor laws and minimum wage laws.
- (b) Metro will not indemnify, defend, or hold harmless in any fashion the Recipient from any claims, regardless of any language in any attachment or other document that the Recipient may provide. /
- (c) Recipient shall pay Metro any expenses incurred as a result of Recipient's failure to fulfill any obligation in a professional and timely manner under this Contract.
- (d) Grantee's duties under this section shall survive the termination or expiration of the grant.
- D.15. Force Majeure. The obligations of the parties to this Grant Contract are subject to prevention by causes beyond the parties' control that could not be avoided by the exercise of due care including, but not limited to, acts of God, riots, wars, strikes, epidemics, or any other similar cause.
- D.16. State, Local and Federal Compliance. The Recipient agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations in the performance of this Grant Contract.

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- D.17. Governing Law and Venue. The validity, construction, and effect of this Grant Contract and any and all extensions and/or modifications thereof shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Tennessee. The venue for legal action concerning this Grant Contract shall be in the courts of Davidson County, Tennessee.
- D.18. Completeness. This Grant Contract is complete and contains the entire understanding between the parties relating to the subject matter contained herein, including all the terms and conditions of the parties' agreement. This Grant Contract supersedes any and all prior understandings, representations, negotiations, and agreements between the parties relating hereto, whether written or oral.
- D.19. Headings. Section headings are for reference purposes only and shall not be construed as part of this Grant Contract.
- D.20. Metro Interest in Equipment. The Recipient shall take legal title to all equipment and to all motor vehicles, hereinafter referred to as "equipment," purchased totally or in part with funds provided under this Grant Contract, subject to Metro's equitable interest therein, to the extent of its *pro rata* share, based upon Metro's contribution to the purchase price. "Equipment" shall be defined as an article of nonexpendable, tangible, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost which equals or exceeds \$5,000.00. The Recipient agrees to be responsible for the accountability, maintenance, management, and inventory of all property purchased totally or in part with funds provided under this Grant Contract. Upon termination of the Grant Contract, where a further contractual relationship is not entered into, or at any time during the term of the Grant Contract, the Recipient shall request written approval from Metro for any proposed disposition of equipment purchased with Grant funds. All equipment shall be disposed of in such a manner as parties may agree as appropriate and in accordance with any applicable federal, state, or local laws or regulations.
- D. 21. Assignment—Consent Required. The provisions of this contract shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the respective successors and assignees of the parties hereto. Except for the rights of money due to Recipient under this contract, neither this contract nor any of the rights and obligations of Recipient hereunder shall be assigned or transferred in whole or in part without the prior written consent of Metro. Any such assignment or transfer shall not release Recipient from its obligations hereunder. Notice of assignment of any rights to money due to Recipient under this Contract must be sent to the attention of the Metro Department of Finance.
- D.22. Gratuities and Kickbacks. It shall be a breach of ethical standards for any person to offer, give or agree to give any employee or former employee, or for any employee or former employee to solicit, demand, accept or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, preparations of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim or controversy in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim or controversy or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement of a contract or subcontract or to any solicitation or proposal therefore. It shall be a breach of ethical standards for any payment, gratuity or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or a person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order. Breach of the provisions of this paragraph is, in addition to a breach of this contract, a breach of ethical standards which may result in civil or criminal sanction and/or debarment or suspension from participation in Metropolitan Government contracts.
- D.23. Communications and Contacts. All instructions, notices, consents, demands, or other communications from the Recipient required or contemplated by this Grant Contract shall be in writing and shall be made by facsimile transmission, or by first class mail, addressed to the

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respective party at the appropriate facsimile number or address as set forth below or to such other party, facsimile number, or address as may be hereafter specified by written notice.

Metro

For contract-related matters:
Andrew Sullivan
Metro Social Services
800 2nd Avenue North
Suite 100
Nashville, TN 37201
(615) 862-6400 .

For enquiries regarding invoices:
Office of Management & Budget
700 2nd Avenue South, Suite 201
PO Box 196300
Nashville, TN 37219-6300
(615) 862-6509

Recipient:

Ryan LeSeur
Executive Director
Community Care Fellowship
511 South 8th Street
Nashville, TN 37206

D.24. Lobbying. The Recipient certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that:

- a. No federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Recipient, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, and entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- b. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the Recipient shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- c. The Recipient shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including sub-grants, subcontracts, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subcontractors of federally appropriated funds shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Effective Date. This contract shall not be binding upon the parties until it has been signed first by the Recipient and then by the authorized representatives of the Metropolitan Government and has been filed in the office of the Metropolitan Clerk. When it has been so signed and filed, this contract shall be effective as of the date first written above.

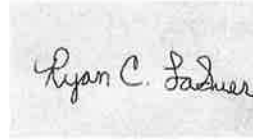
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**THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT
OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON
COUNTY:**

RECIPIENT: Community Care Fellowship

APPROVED AS TO AVAILABILITY OF
FUNDS:



Kelly Flannery/mjw
Director of Finance

By: Ryan LaSuer

Title: Executive Director

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGALITY

Macy Amos
Metropolitan Attorney

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK:

Metropolitan Clerk

**METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF
NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY
GRANT SPENDING PLAN**

RECIPIENT NAME:	Community Care Fellowship
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THE FOLLOWING IS APPLICABLE TO EXPENSES PLANNED TO BE INCURRED DURING THE CONTRACT GRANT PERIOD: Enter 10/5/2022 through 10/4/2024				
	EXPENSE OBJECT LINE-ITEM CATEGORY	METRO GRANT FUNDS	RECIPIENT MATCH (participation)	TOTAL PROJECT
	Salaries and Wages	\$1,230,000.00		\$1,230,000.00
	Benefits and Taxes [23.6%]	\$289,830.00		\$289,830.00
	Professional Fees	\$1,804,970.00		\$1,804,970.00
	Supplies	\$715,200.00		\$715,200.00
	Communications			\$0.00
	Postage and Shipping			\$0.00
	Occupancy	\$360,000.00		\$360,000.00
	Equipment Rental and Maintenance			\$0.00
	Printing and Publications			\$0.00
	Travel/ Conferences and Meetings			\$0.00
	Insurance		\$32,000.00	\$32,000.00
	Specific Assistance to Individuals (solutions for currently unmet needs)	\$142,355.00		\$142,355.00
	Other Non-Personnel			\$0.00
	GRAND TOTAL	\$4,542,355.00	\$32,000.00	\$4,574,355.00