



BOARD OF
COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: December 20, 2021

SUBJECT: Consideration of Board Approval to Accept Birth Certificate Grant Program Funds

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Move approval of accepting Birth Certificate Grant Program funds.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Health Services has been awarded \$2,000.00 in grant funds from the Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) program to assist homeless persons born in Oregon with the fee for obtaining their Birth Certificate.

Funds will be used to obtain birth certificates for homeless individuals who have lost their birth certificate. In turn, birth certificates can be used to obtain identification necessary to access services, social security, and benefits, as well as housing.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

\$2,000 in OHA grant funds for program use.

ATTENDANCE:

Molly Wells Darling, Program Manager Access and Integration