



MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

March 21, 2023

Honorable Phil Mendelson, Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 504
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

Enclosed for consideration and enactment by the Council of the District of Columbia is proposed bill, the "Modifications to Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Act of 2023," and the accompanying emergency declaration resolution.

The legislation will approve Modification Nos. 1, 2, and 3 to fully exercise of option year one of Contract No. CW 94739 with Ramsell Corporation for a secure, web-accessible platform that integrates core AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) pharmacy benefit managers, 340B inventory management, and insurance premium and co-pay management for both ADAP and the District-funded pre-exposure prophylaxis medication assistance programs. In addition, the legislation will approve payment for services received and to be received under option year one of the contract.

If you have any questions regarding this legislation, please have your staff contact Marc Scott, Chief Operating Officer, Office of Contracting and Procurement, at (202) 724-8759.

I look forward to the Council's prompt and favorable action on the enclosed legislation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Muriel Bowser".

Muriel Bowser



Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Mayor

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A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to approve Modification Nos. 1, 2, and 3 to Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation to provide a secure, web-accessible platform that integrates core AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) pharmacy benefit managers, 340B inventory management, and insurance premium and co-pay management for both ADAP and the District-funded pre-exposure prophylaxis medication assistance programs, and to authorize payment for the goods and services received and to be received under the modifications.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Modifications to Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2023”.

Sec. 2. (a) There exists a need to approve Modification Nos. 1, 2, and 3 to Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation to provide to provide a secure, web-accessible platform that integrates core AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) pharmacy benefit managers, 340B inventory management, and insurance premium and co-pay management for both ADAP and the District-funded pre-exposure prophylaxis medication assistance programs, and to authorize payment for the goods and services received and to be received under the modifications.

37 (b) By Modification No. 1, dated January 18, 2023, the Office of Contracting and
38 Procurement, on behalf of the Department of Health, exercised a partial option period 1
39 of Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation for the period from January 18,
40 2023 through March 31, 2023 in the not-to-exceed amount of \$999,000.00.

41 (c) By Modification No. 2, dated February 21, 2023, the Office of Contracting
42 and Procurement, on behalf of the Department of Health, exercised another option period
43 1 of Contract No. CW94739 for the period from April 1, 2023 through April 4, 2023 at
44 no cost to the District.

45 (d) Modification No. 3 is now necessary to exercise the remainder of option
46 period 1 of Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation in the not-to-exceed
47 amount of \$6,531,851.32, bringing the total not-to-exceed amount for the period from
48 January 18, 2023 through January 17, 2024 to \$7,530,851.32.

49 (e) Council approval is required by section 451(b) of the District of Columbia
50 Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 803; D.C. Official Code § 1-
51 204.51(b)) since these modifications increase the contract to more than \$1 million during
52 a 12-month period.

53 (f) Approval is necessary to allow the continuation of these vital services.
54 Without this approval, Ramsell Corporation cannot be paid for goods and services
55 provided in excess of \$1 million for the contract period from January 18, 2023 through
56 January 17, 2024.

57 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the
58 circumstances enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it
59 necessary that the Modifications to Contract No. CW94739 with Ramsell Corporation

60 Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Act of 2023 be adopted after a single
61 reading.

62 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.