

Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Not-for-
Profit Hospital Corporation

A RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to approve Contract Modification Nos. 4, 5, and 6 to Contract NFPHC-MS-22-C-00043 between the Not-for-Profit Hospital Corporation, commonly known as United Medical Center (“Hospital”), and Amergis Healthcare Staffing Inc.(formerly Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services Inc) for the provision of supplemental respiratory therapist staffing services (“Contract”).

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Modification Nos. 4, 5, and 6 to Contract NFPHC-MS-22-C-00043 between the Not-for-Profit Hospital Corporation and Amergis Healthcare Staffing Inc. Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2024”.

Sec. 2. (a) There exists an immediate need to approve Modification Nos. 4, 5, and 6 to Contract NFPHC-MS-22-C-00043 (“Contract”) between the Not-for-Profit Hospital Corporation (“Hospital”) and Amergis Healthcare Staffing Inc. (formerly Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services Inc) for the provision of supplemental

38 respiratory therapist staffing services, and to authorize payment for the services received
39 and to be received under this Contract.

40 (b) On October 25, 2023, UMC entered into Modification 4 at a value of
41 \$500,000.00 for the period of October 11, 2023 through October 10, 2024 as it explored
42 less costly available alternatives, such as contracting with multiple vendors for this
43 service.

44 (c) As research continued for possible staffing alternatives, more funds were
45 needed to meet staffing demands, so the parties entered into Modification 5 on April 24,
46 2024, for an additional \$900,000.00 and period of October 11, 2023 through October 10,
47 2024.

48 (d) Ultimately, it was not feasible for UMC to generate savings through an
49 alternative staffing model, and thus it needed to submit Proposed Modification 6 to meet
50 annual demand under the current staffing model with this vendor

51 (e) If Proposed Modification 6 is approved, the combined value for this twelve-
52 month option year 2 period (October 11, 2023 through October 10, 2024) would be
53 \$1,800,000.00 and would have an aggregate value that exceeds \$1 million in a 12-month
54 period; therefore, Council approval is necessary.

55 (f) Without this approval, Amergis Healthcare Services, Inc. cannot be paid for
56 these critical services provided and to be provided in excess of \$999,999.99.

57 Sec. 3. The Council determines that the circumstances enumerated in section 2
58 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that Modification Nos. 4, 5, and

59 6 to Contract NFPHC-MS-22-C-00043 between the Not-for-Profit Hospital Corporation
60 and Amergis Healthcare Services, Inc. Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency
61 Act of 2024, be adopted after a single reading.

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