## **CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION**

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: 2021-82

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council Members Boylan and Morgan

Date of Introduction: February 9, 2021

**Committee(s) of Reference:** F

Date of Analysis: February 8, 2021

**Type of Action:** Appropriation, agreement authorization, designation of oversight agency, and one cycle emergency passage

**Bill Summary:** This bill is an appropriation of \$36,000 from the Social Justice and Community Investment Special Committee Contingency for the "Safer Together" Series of Workshops. The agreement between the City and All Things Diverse, LLC. for compensation for services is authorized. The bill invokes the exception to Section 126.107(g), *Ordinance Code* to authorize direct procurement for the use of the professional services of All Things Diverse, LLC. Any unused funds will revert to the account of origin. The Council Secretary will oversee the agreement. The one cycle emergency is requested due to the timeline of the workshops, which have commenced and need to be completed by June 30, 2021.

**Background Information:** The purpose of this legislation is to provide funds for the "Safer Together" Series of Workshops, which will focus on community policing, and law enforcement policies, procedures, and budgeting. The \$36,000 will pay for workshop facilitation (\$23,500), travel and honorarium (\$10,000), and miscellaneous expenses (\$2,500). The City will pay All Things Diverse \$11,750 upon execution of the contract and an additional \$11,750 upon completion of all of the services and deliverables, to include a final written report with findings and suggestions.

Policy Impact Area: "Safer Together" Series of Workshops

**Fiscal Impact:** Appropriation of \$36,000 from the Social Justice and Community Investment Special Committee Contingency

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