

Resolution No.: 18-11
Introduced: December 9, 2014
Adopted: December 9, 2014

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

By: County Council

SUBJECT: Amendment to Fiscal Year 2015 Operating Budget
Resolution 17-1111, Section G, Fiscal Year 2015 Designation of Entities for
Non-Competitive Contract Award Status – Independence Now, Inc.

Background

1. Section 11B-14(a) (4) of the Montgomery County Code states that “a contract may be awarded without competition if the Chief Administrative Officer makes a written determination that the contract award serves a public purpose and a proposed contractor has been identified in a grant or appropriation resolution approved by the Council.” The result of this action is to amend the FY 2015 Designation of Entities for Non-Competitive Contract Award status resolution to include the agency listed below.
2. The Chief Administrative Officer has determined that funding for the contracts with this entity serves a public purpose and that such an expense would be in the public interest.
3. The Department of Health and Human Services requires no additional FY15 appropriation per these amendments as the receipt of the additional grant funding was assumed in the FY15 budget for the Department.
4. The Department of Health and Human Services will amend contract number 1022110 with Independence Now, Inc. to show the correct purpose and will amend contract number 1017596 to increase the amount to \$120,000.

Action

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland, approves the following action:

The Council approves an amendment to the Designation of Entities for Non-Competitive Contract Award and thereby amends Resolution 17-1111, Section G, FY 2015, Designation of Entities for Non-Competitive Contract Award. The Chief Administrative Officer has recommended this action and stated that amending the contract for this vendor serves a public purpose and is in the public interest.

The FY 2015 Designation of Entities for Non-Competitive Contract Award Status resolution is amended to:

1. Amend the existing \$19,970 contract with Independence Now, Inc (#1022110) to show the correct purpose of “Provides for co-location of an Independence Now Independent Living Specialist in the Aging and Disability Services offices,” and
2. Increase the amount of the current \$60,000 contract with Independence Now, Inc. (#1017596) by \$60,000 for a total of \$120,000.

This is a correct copy of Council action.



Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council