

RESOLUTION NO. 24-10-005

SPONSORED BY: Commissioners Mike Caylor, Jared Anderson and Nick Bright

A RESOLUTION THAT APPROVES AN AGREEMENT TERM WHICH EXTENDS BEYOND END OF FISCAL YEAR FOR AN INMATE MEDICAL CARE PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Blount County, Tennessee, meeting in session on May 29, 1990, adopted the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, § 5-14-101 et. seq., known as the County Purchasing Law of 1957; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated §5-14-108(m)(1) states that the county purchasing agent is authorized to purchase and contract to purchase materials, supplies, equipment and contractual services on a fiscal year basis, but no commitment shall be made which extends beyond the end of the current fiscal year for which appropriations have been made by the county legislative body, except such commitments as are authorized by resolution of the county legislative body; and

WHEREAS, Blount County Purchasing issued a Request for Proposal 2024-0127 for an Inmate Medical Care program on behalf of the Blount County Sheriff’s Office: and

WHEREAS, the Blount County Purchasing Agent with concurrence of the Blount County Sheriff’s Office, has approved an Agreement with Turn Key Health Clinics, LLC (formerly known as Fast Access Correctional Healthcare), for inmate medical care starting December 1, 2024 through June 30, 2029; and

WHEREAS, it is the best interest of the County to enter into a contract with the term extending beyond the current fiscal year for these services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislative Body of Blount County, Tennessee, assembled in regular session on this 17th day of October 2024, that and agreement with Turn Key Health Clinics, LLC be approved for Blount County, Tennessee, with the term extending beyond the current fiscal year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution take effect from and after it’s passage, and that any part of any prior resolution to the contrary is hereby declared null and void, the public welfare requiring it.

Duly authorized and approved the 17th of October 2024.

CERTIFICATION OF ACTION

ATTEST

Commission Chairman

County Clerk

County Mayor

Date

- Approved
- Vetoed