



City of Racine, Wisconsin
Agenda Briefing Memorandum

AGENDA DATES

Intro to Council Date: 02/19/2025

Standing Committee Date: 02/24/2025

Final Action Council Date: 03/04/2025

PREPARED BY: Wynn Brown, Administrative Assistant

REVIEWED BY: Dottie-Kay Bowersox, Public Health Administrator

SUBJECT: Communication sponsored by Alder Horton, on behalf of the Public Health Department, requesting permission to accept reoccurring funding of \$34,040 from the WI Department of Health Services for the 2025 Consolidated – Immunization Contract (Grant Control # 00609).

BACKGROUND & ANALYSIS: The objective of this grant is to ensure children in the City of Racine who turn 24 months old during the contract year receive all recommended vaccinations by their second birthday. The required vaccinations include DTaP, Polio, MMR, Hib, Hepatitis B, Varicella, and Pneumococcal Conjugate (PCV).

To achieve the vaccination goal, staff will contact parents of unvaccinated infants, tracking immunization data, coordinating and sharing information with physicians. Additionally, data will be entered into the WIR, and reminder/recall efforts will be made through multiple contact methods like letters, phone calls, and home visits.

STAFF RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the Public Health Department be authorized to accept the reoccurring funding of \$34,040 from the WI Department of Health Services for the 2025 Consolidated – Immunization Contract (Grant Control # 00609).

FISCAL NOTE & BUDGETARY IMPACT: No City Match Required.