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## AMENDMENT TO STRIKING AMENDMENT S1 TO PROPOSED ORDINANCE

## 2 **2020-0211, VERSION 1**

- 3 On page 35, beginning on line 784, strike everything through line 796 and insert:
- 4 "ER5 EXPENDITURE RESTRICTION:
- 5 Of this appropriation, \$17,000,000 shall be expended or encumbered solely to
- 6 support the following programs to ultimately serve individuals adversely impacted by the
- 7 COVID-19 pandemic: a food security grant program; a housing and rental assistance
- 8 program; a legal services program that focuses on COVID-19-related issues including
- 9 eviction prevention and foreclosure defense; and a relief program for shelter and housing
- providers that support homeless individuals. The appropriation encumbered in this
- 11 Expenditure Restriction ER5 shall be used as follows:
- 12 A. At least \$2,000,000 shall be expended or encumbered solely to support the
- food security grant program that shall award grants or select providers to those
- organizations with board members and employees who represent historically
- disadvantaged communities that have been disproportionately impacted by inequities and
- discrimination. The food security program shall ensure that grantees provide to program
- 17 recipients options to acquire culturally appropriate foods that may be difficult to secure
- 18 through traditional stores; and

19	B. At least \$2,000,000 shall be expended or encumbered solely to support the
20	housing and rental assistance program that shall award grants or select providers to those
21	organizations with board members and employees who represent historically
22	disadvantaged communities that have been disproportionately impacted by inequities and
23	discrimination."
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25	EFFECT: Of the \$17 million appropriated in DCHS – Community Services Operating
26	for a food security grant program, a housing and rental assistance program, a legal
27	services program that focuses on COVID-19-related issues including eviction
28	prevention and foreclosure defense, and a relief program for shelter and housing
29	providers that support homeless individuals, the amendment would do the following:
30	1. Adds a requirement to have at least \$2 million be allocated to the food security
31	grant program that shall award grants or select providers to those organizations
32	with board members and employees who represent historically disadvantaged
33	communities that have been disproportionately impacted by inequities and
34	discrimination; and
35	2. Adds a requirement to have at least \$2 million be allocated to the housing and
36	rental assistance program that shall award grants or select providers to those
37	organizations with board members and employees who represent historically
38	disadvantaged communities that have been disproportionately impacted by
39	inequities and discrimination.
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