

Zahilay moved Amendment 7.
The motion failed.

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May 25, 2021
Housing and Behavioral Grant
Program

[A. Kim] Sponsor: Zahilay
Proposed No.: 2021-0155

1 **AMENDMENT TO PROPOSED ORDINANCE 2021-0155, VERSION 2**

2 On page 50, on line 1138, strike everything and insert:

3 "Housing and community development \$188,700,000"

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5 On page 55, after line 1247, insert:

6 "ER11 EXPENDITURE RESTRICTION:

7 Of this appropriation, \$30,000,000 shall be expended or encumbered solely to
8 support a program to award grants to organizations that would provide either behavioral
9 health services or housing services, or both, for which demand has increased due to the
10 COVID-19 pandemic. The program shall include organizations that provide culturally
11 appropriate services to historically disadvantaged communities that have experienced
12 disproportionate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The appropriation encumbered in
13 this Expenditure Restriction ER11 shall also be used to provide technical assistance and
14 other support to grant applicants to allow equitable access to the grant program."

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16 **EFFECT prepared by A. Kim: *The amendment would add \$30 million to the DCHS –***
17 ***Housing and Community Development fund to support a program to award grants to***
18 ***organizations that would provide either behavioral health services, or housing services,***

19 *or both. The program shall include organizations that provide culturally appropriate*
20 *services to historically disadvantaged communities that have experienced*
21 *disproportionate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The program shall also provide*
22 *technical assistance and other support to grant applicants to allow equitable access to*
23 *the grant program.*

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25 *Findings included in Sections 1.O and 1.P, which states that it is appropriate and*
26 *necessary for all appropriations included in the proposed ordinance to strategically*
27 *support those historically disadvantaged communities, including immigrant and*
28 *refugee communities, who have been disproportionately impacted by inequities and*
29 *discrimination and have suffered disproportionate health and economic impacts from*
30 *the COVID-19 pandemic, would apply to this amendment.*