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1       **WHEREAS, the City Council unanimously approved F/S R-14-55**  
2       **commissioning a study to assess the gaps in City, County and State funding**  
3       **for mental health services; and**

4       **WHEREAS, the Behavioral Health Task Force evaluated areas of critical**  
5       **needs to address the behavioral health crisis and prioritized a crisis**  
6       **stabilization center, intensive case management and supportive housing as**  
7       **the most urgent of issues; and**

8       **WHEREAS, the Gaps Analysis conducted by the University of New**  
9       **Mexico/Center for Education Policy Research estimated that 151,000 residents**  
10       **of Bernalillo County have mental illness and/or substance use disorders and**  
11       **could benefit from treatment, yet there are few agencies providing the more**  
12       **intensive levels of treatment needed.**

13       **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF**  
14       **ALBUQUERQUE:**

15       **Section 1. That those funds in the amount of Five Hundred Thousand**  
16       **Dollars (\$500,000) previously appropriated in C/S R-14-47, Exhibit A**  
17       **“Supportive Services to the Homeless/to be determined” are hereby**  
18       **designated to implement a program to assist persons being discharged from**  
19       **the Metropolitan Detention Center who are homeless and mentally ill as**  
20       **follows: \$100,000 for intensive case management and related services,**  
21       **\$336,000 for supportive housing services and \$64,000 for a Project**  
22       **Coordinator.**

23       **Section 2. That the Mayor is authorized to enter into a Social Services**  
24       **Agreement with Albuquerque Healthcare for the Homeless in the amount of**  
25       **\$100,000 for intensive case management services and a Social Services**  
26       **Agreement with the New Mexico Supportive Housing Coalition in the amount**  
27       **of \$336,000 for supportive housing services; and**

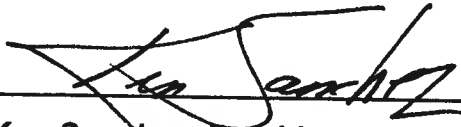
28       **Section 3. That the Mayor is authorized to enter into an Intergovernmental**  
29       **Agreement with Bernalillo County to create a collaborative partnership**  
30       **defining the roles and responsibilities of each party, the City and the County,**  
31       **in effectively serving those persons who are being released from incarceration**  
32       **and can be successfully transitioned into the community with the services**  
33       **designated in Section 1 of this resolution.**

1       **Section 4. That the Department of Family and Community Services shall**  
2 **release a Request for Proposals, the total amount up to \$625,000, to solicit**  
3 **responses to provide the services determined to be in the most critical areas**  
4 **of need as prioritized by the Behavioral Health Task Force: A crisis**  
5 **stabilization center, intensive case management and supportive housing**  
6 **services.**

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1 PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 17th DAY OF November, 2014  
2 BY A VOTE OF: 9 FOR 0 AGAINST.  
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8 Ken Sanchez, President  
9 City Council  
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13 APPROVED THIS 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY OF December, 2014  
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17 Bill No. R-14-135

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20 Richard J. Berry, Mayor  
21 City of Albuquerque  
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25 ATTEST:

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28 Trina M. Gurule, Acting City Clerk  
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