

Legislation Text

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Subject:Governor's Office Of Business And Economic Development And Local JurisdictionAssistance Grants For Cannabis ProgramFrom:Economic And Workforce Development DepartmentRecommendation: Adopt The Following Pieces Of Legislation:

1) A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator To: (1) Apply For And Accept One Million Nine Hundred And Ninety-Six Thousand Four Hundred And Eighty-Seven Dollars And Fifty Cents (\$1,996,487.50) In State Of California, Governor's Office Of Business And Economic Development (Go-Biz) Equity Act Grant Funds; (2) Appropriate The Go-Biz Grant Funds By: (A) Providing Grants And/Or No-Interest Loans In An Amount Not To Exceed Two-Hundred And Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) Per Grant Or Loan For Cannabis Equity Applicants And Licensees, To Be Determined And Without Return To Council, For Businesses' Start-Up And Ongoing Costs In A Cumulative Amount Not To Exceed One-Million Seven Hundred And Ninety-Six Thousand Eight Hundred And Thirty-Eight Dollars And Seventy-Five Cents (\$1,796,838.75); And (B) Funding Administration Of The Cannabis Equity Program In An Amount Not To Exceed One Hundred And Ninety-Nine Thousand, Six Hundred And Forty-Eight Dollars And Seventy-Five Cents (\$199,648.75); And (3) Increase The Amount Of The Existing Three-Year Professional Services Agreement With 4Front Partners To Administer Cannabis Equity Grant And Loan Programs By Seventy-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred And Seventy-Nine Dollars And Seventy-Five Cents (\$78,979.75); And (4) Waive The Request For Proposals/Qualifications Process For The Amended Professional Services Agreement With 4Front Partners; And