

**Resolution authorizing a one-year contract with Columbus Public Health to provide treatment and services to individuals with tuberculosis (TB) and operate a tuberculosis clinic for residents of Franklin County.
(Community Partnerships) (\$1,840,365)**

WHEREAS, Tuberculosis is a communicable disease that poses health risks to the residents of Franklin County; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners wish to ensure that all residents of Franklin County who have contracted or are considered high risk of contracting tuberculosis receive timely and effective treatment without undue barriers to access; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners commend the Columbus Public Health for its diligence in managing this disease throughout the Franklin County population and for pursuing efficiencies in managing program costs; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners wish to support Columbus Public Health programs, as authorized under Section 339.72 et. seq. of the Ohio Revised Code;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO;

That the attached contract for services with Columbus Public Health for the period of January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016 and the attached purchase order, individually described on the accompanying Purchase Order Proof List in an amount not to exceed \$1,840,365 are hereby approved.

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Cc: Auditor
Columbus Public Health