The City of Houston (City), through its Housing and Community Development Department (HCDD) proposes to enter into a contract with the Coalition for the Homeless of Houston and Harris County (The Coalition), with a contract period of January 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019. The Coalition addresses solutions to homelessness through collaborative resource development and service coordination in the areas of affordable housing, education, employment, transportation, child care, mental health, food, shelter and the Point-in-Time Enumeration, an annual count of homeless persons that is required of all communities receiving funding from the U.S Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The Coalition will be funded through $130,000 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Funds.

The public has thirty (30) days to comment on this proposed amendment, from Friday, November 16, 2018 through Sunday, December 16, 2018. For more information on this proposed amendment, contact Kennisha London at (832) 394-6197. Written comments can be submitted by mail to Kennisha London, HCDD, 601 Sawyer Suite 400, Houston, TX 77007 or by email to Kennisha.London@HoustonTx.gov. Following the public comment period, this item will be submitted to City Council for approval.

For more information on HCDD and its programs, you may access HCDD’s website at http://www.houstontx.gov/housing. For specific questions or concerns about fair housing or landlord/tenant relations, please contact Yolanda Guess-Jeffries at (832) 394-6308.