

STOP-LOSS INSURANCE

September 17, 2024

Background

- The City healthcare benefits is a self-insured benefits platform
- The City must bid for stop-loss insurance to protect the City from high medical claims
- On July 8, 2024, the City utilized the Request for Bids to select a stop-loss insurance provider

- Stop-Loss insurance protects the City against catastrophic or unpredictable losses. The City of Killeen will protect its plan with both specific and aggregate stop-loss coverage.
 - Specific Stop-Loss protects the City against high claims on any one individual in which the claims exceed \$200,000
 - Aggregate Stop-Loss provides a ceiling on the dollar amount of expenses that the City would pay, in total during a contract period. Our ceiling is 125% of expected claim liability.

- City received bids from only one vender, Blue Cross Blue Shield Texas (BCBSTX)
- Cost for BCBSTX is \$902,819
- The City of Killeen recommends BCBSTX for stop loss insurance
 - □ The expense for stop-loss insurance will be \$902,819

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Staff recommends City award RFP 25-02 to Blue Cross Blue Shield TX as the provider for stop-loss insurance services, effective October 1, 2024, in an amount of \$902,819.