

June 26, 2023

Paula J. Kellerman, Director, Human Resources and Civil Services

City of Pittsburgh 414 Grant Street Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear Ms. Kellerman

Re: Waiver

1. PROJECT: Employment, Advancement and Retention Network (EARN) program Grants:

ORDINANCE 177A.06A - Waiver - 4. Grants

Grants: When procurement involves the expenditure of outside governmental (e.g., federal or state) funds, purchasing shall be conducted in accordance with any applicable federal or state laws or regulations

The City of Pittsburgh's Equal Opportunity Review Commission Department finds it satisfactory to approve the Waiver Request for Employment, Advancement, and Retention Network (EARN) program.

The EARN program offers a range of employment and training services to economically disadvantaged customers receiving TANF benefits. All referrals to the program are received from Department of Human Services (DHS).

Sincerely,

Chuck Durham

Business Diversity Manager

Office of Mayor Ed Gainey

Cc: Diane Lapinski