



# Mendocino County

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**Title:** Approval of Agreement with Ukiah Senior Center, Inc., in the Amount of \$51,050, to Provide Health and Welfare Outreach Services, Financial Services, and Information Referrals to Elderly Individuals and Persons with Disabilities in Ukiah and Surrounding Areas, Effective July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025

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**To: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**From:** Social Services

**Meeting Date:** June 25, 2024

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**Item Type:** Consent Agenda

**Time Allocated for Item:** N/A

### **Agenda Title:**

Approval of Agreement with Ukiah Senior Center, Inc., in the Amount of \$51,050, to Provide Health and Welfare Outreach Services, Financial Services, and Information Referrals to Elderly Individuals and Persons with Disabilities in Ukiah and Surrounding Areas, Effective July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025

### **Recommended Action/Motion:**

Approve Agreement with Ukiah Senior Center, Inc., in the amount of \$51,050, to provide health and welfare outreach services, financial services, and information referrals to elderly individuals and persons with disabilities in Ukiah and surrounding areas, effective July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025; authorize the Chief Executive Officer or designee to sign any future amendments that do not increase the annual maximum amount; and authorize Chair to sign the same.

### **Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:**

Ongoing Agreement. Last action on June 20, 2023, Item 3(ai), Approval of Agreement No. BOS-23-111.

### **Summary of Request:**

The proposed Agreement with Ukiah Senior Center, Inc., is for the provision of Health and Welfare Information, Referral Support, and Financial Management for elderly individuals and persons with disabilities

in the City of Ukiah and its surrounding areas. Funds utilized by this Agreement ensure that Mendocino County, Department of Social Services maintains an outreach staff person to carry out the provisions of this Agreement. Services include fostering community awareness of the Ukiah Senior Center and its resources, working with Adult Protective Services (APS) staff on individual case plans, and assisting clients with transportation as necessary. The Agreement also specifically funds financial management assistance for APS referred clients who would otherwise be at risk of homelessness and abuse if these services were not available. Outreach and Financial Management assistance have proven to be successful and may be a key factor in avoiding the need for APS.

Mendocino County has a significant population of persons over 65 years of age; of the 88,436 residents in Mendocino County, 17,845 are identified as over 65, with 1,998 aged 85 years or older (Mendocino-Lake Area Agency on Aging (PSA26AA) 2020-24 Area Plan). The elderly population in Mendocino County is estimated to grow by up to 20% by the year 2040. In a needs assessment survey conducted by PSA26AAA, receiving services, obtaining information about services/benefits, and loneliness, were 3 of the top 10 concerns reported by elderly individuals who participated in the survey. Vital services, such as congregate meals, meal pickup, transportation for grocery shopping, and transportation to pharmacy services to ensure medically necessary medications remain available, have been provided through this Agreement in past fiscal years. The funds provided by this Agreement ensure that the Ukiah Senior Center can continue to offer these services.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

Return to staff for alternative handling.

**Strategic Plan Priority Designation:** A Safe and Healthy County

**Supervisory District:** All

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**Supplemental Information Available Online At:** N/A

**Fiscal Details:**

**source of funding:** General Fund

**current f/y cost:** \$51,050

**budget clarification:** N/A

**annual recurring cost:** \$51,050

**budgeted in current f/y (if no, please describe):** Yes

**revenue agreement:** No

**AGREEMENT/RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE APPROVED BY COUNTY COUNSEL:** Yes

**CEO Liaison:** Steve Dunncliff, Deputy CEO

**CEO Review:** Yes

**CEO Comments:**

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Executed By: Atlas Pearson, Senior Deputy Clerk

Date: June 25, 2024

Final Status: **Approved**

Executed Item Type: Agreement

Number: 24-112

