

Mendocino County

Legislation Text

File #: 21-1288, Version: 1

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Social Services

Meeting Date: November 9, 2021

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Item Type: Consent Agenda **Time Allocated for Item:** N/A

Agenda Title:

Adoption of Proclamation Recognizing November 11, 2021, as Veterans Appreciation Day in Mendocino County to Honor Our Veterans

Recommended Action/Motion:

Adopt the proclamation recognizing November 11, 2021, as Veterans Appreciation Day in Mendocino County and authorize the Chair to sign same.

Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:

November 3rd, 2020. Item 4c, Adoption of Proclamation

Summary of Request:

November 11, 2021, is nationally recognized as Veterans Day, an opportunity for us to recognize and show our appreciation, gratitude, and respect for the contributions and sacrifices veterans and their families have made for our Country. In honor of this holiday, the Mendocino County Social Services, Adult and Aging Services, Veterans Service Office is requesting that the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors proclaim November 11, 2021, as Veterans Appreciation Day in Mendocino County.

The Mendocino County Veterans Services Office (MCVSO) filed 1,398 compensation and pension claims in 2020, bringing in \$4,401,094 in federal monies. Veterans Benefits which were awarded went directly to the veterans, helping to support our local economy. The MCVSO also received a onetime \$10,000 grant under proposition 63, which allowed a contract to be established with a local psychologist to provide mental health services to veterans in the Mendocino County Coastal Area. Services provided under the contract included 28 assessment sessions, 1 Case management session, and 30 Therapeutic Recreation sessions, leading to a total of \$24,731 in federal monies being awarded to participating veterans.

Alternative Action/Motion:

Return to staff for alternative handling.

How Does This Item Support the General Plan? The proclamation will support the general plans to collaborate with local communities, agencies and organizations to promote all aspects of wellness in the county's populations.

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Supervisorial District: All

vote requirement: Majority

Supplemental Information Available Online At: N/A

Fiscal Details:

source of funding: N/A budgeted in current f/y: N/A

current f/y cost: N/A if no, please describe: annual recurring cost: N/A revenue agreement: No

budget clarification:

Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel: N/A

CEO Liaison: Darcie Antle, Assistant CEO

CEO Review: Yes **CEO Comments:**

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Executed By: Atlas Pearson, Deputy Clerk II Final Status: Adopted

Date: November 15, 2021

