



Mendocino County

Legislation Text

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To: Board of Supervisors

From: Health and Human Services Agency

Meeting Date: December 10, 2019

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Item Type: Consent Agenda

Time Allocated for Item: N/A

Agenda Title:

Approval of Retroactive Revenue Agreement with Adventist Health in the Amount of \$74,017 to Serve as Emergency Medical Services Base Hospitals at Willits Hospital, DBA Adventist Health Howard Memorial, and Ukiah Adventist Hospital, DBA Adventist Health Ukiah Valley, Effective July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2022

Recommended Action/Motion:

Approve retroactive revenue Agreement with Adventist Health in the amount of \$74,017 to serve as emergency medical services base hospitals at Willits Hospital, DBA Adventist Health Howard Memorial, and Ukiah Adventist Hospital, DBA Adventist Health Ukiah Valley, effective July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2022; authorize the Health and Human Services Agency Director or designee to sign any future amendments that do not increase the maximum contracted amount; and authorize Chair to sign same.

Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:

December 18, 2018, Item 4(o), BOS Agreement No. 18-171, Amendment with Adventist Health Ukiah Valley to serve as a Base Hospital in Fiscal Year 2018-19;

January 8, 2019, Item 4(o), BOS Agreement No. 19-003, Amendment to Agreement with Adventist Health Howard Memorial to serve as a Base Hospital in Fiscal Year 2018-19.

Summary of Request:

The State of California authorizes each county to develop an Emergency Medical Services (EMS) program and to designate a Local Emergency Medical Services Agency (LEMSA) to oversee delivery of EMS within its geographical area. As documented in California Health and Safety Code (Division 2.5, Chapter 6, Article 1, Sections 1798.100 - 1798.105), Base Hospitals must be designated by the LEMSAs in order to provide medical control, direction, and accreditation, certification, and supervision of personnel delivering emergency medical services. Pursuant to those guidelines, Mendocino County's LEMSAs have designated Adventist Health Howard Memorial, Adventist Health Ukiah Valley, and Mendocino Coast District Hospital to serve as Base Hospitals for local EMS providers.

Today's item requests retroactive approval of a newly-drafted Agreement with Adventist Health, which outlines expectations for both Adventist Health Howard Memorial and Adventist Health Ukiah Valley. The Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA) worked closely with County Counsel and the LEMSAs to refine the original 2013 Agreements and to combine the two Base Hospitals now overseen by Adventist Health into the

single Agreement presented for Board approval today. This process required additional time and necessitated the retroactive start date.

Coastal Valleys EMS Agency consulted with HHSA to develop the proposed Agreement with Adventist Health and cosigned it as Mendocino County's LEMSA. Approval of the Agreement will allow the two hospitals in Willits and Ukiah to serve as Base Hospitals through Fiscal Year 2021-22.

Alternative Action/Motion:

Return to staff for alternative handling.

Supervisory District: All

vote requirement: Majority

Supplemental Information Available Online At:

https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=HSC&division=2.5.&title=&part=&chapter=6.&article=1.%20%20%20

Fiscal Details:

source of funding: Revenue

current f/y cost: \$24,185

annual recurring cost: up to \$24,669 in FY 2020-21;
up to \$25,163 in FY 2021-22

budgeted in current f/y: Yes

if no, please describe:

revenue agreement: Yes

budget clarification: Contracted amounts are payable to Mendocino County, which will facilitate payment to the LEMSA for administration of EMS Base Hospital Services.

Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel: Yes

CEO Liaison: Darcie Antle, Deputy CEO

CEO Review: Yes

CEO Comments:

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Executed By: Lindsey Dunham, Deputy Clerk I

Date: December 17, 2019

Final Status: **Approved**

Executed Item Number: **Agreement** Number:
19-262

Note to Department Number of Original Agreements

Returned to Dept: 5 Original Agreement Delivered to Auditor?

Yes

