

Mendocino County

Legislation Text

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To: Board of Supervisors

From: Health and Human Services Agency

Meeting Date: February 25, 2020

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

Agenda Title:

Ratification of Submission of Grant Application to the California Department of Health Care Services and Approval of Retroactive Allocation Agreement for the AB74 Medi-Cal Health Enrollment Navigators Project Funding Allocation in the Amount of \$417,208 to Conduct Outreach, Enrollment and Retention Activities for the Period of January 1, 2020 Through December 31, 2021; and Authorization for the Health and Human Services Agency Director or Designee to Sign any Renewals or Amendments that do not Exceed the Maximum Amount

Recommended Action/Motion:

Ratify submission of grant application to the California Department of Health Care Services and approve retroactive allocation Agreement for the AB74 Medi-Cal Health Enrollment Navigators Project funding allocation in the amount of \$417,208 to conduct outreach, enrollment and retention activities for the period of January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021; authorize the Health and Human Services Agency Director or designee to sign any renewals or amendments that do not exceed the maximum amount; and authorize Chair to sign same.

Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:

N/A

Summary of Request:

The California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) released a survey and application for AB74 allocation requests to fund Medi-Cal outreach, enrollment, renewal, utilization, and troubleshooting efforts. The allocation fund is available for expenditures January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021. The funding is designed for Counties and Community Based Organizations to work collaboratively in their Medi-Cal navigation efforts with the following populations: Persons with mental health disorders and/or substance use disorders, persons with disabilities, aged persons, persons experiencing homelessness, young people of color, persons who are in county jail or under post release community supervision, immigrants and families with mixed immigration status, persons with limited English proficiency, low-wage workers, and uninsured children and youth formerly enrolled in Medi-Cal.

The Mendocino County Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA) submitted an allocation survey application to DHCS on November 15, 2019, and received an award letter from DHCS on December 16, 2019,

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allocating \$417,208 to Mendocino County. HHSA is requesting ratification of the application to DHCS, and authorization to accept and enter into the allocation agreement with DHCS.

Alternative Action/Motion:

Return to Staff for alternative handling.

Supervisorial District: All

vote requirement: Majority

Supplemental Information Available Online At: N/A

Fiscal Details:

source of funding: 5010 budgeted in current f/y: Yes current f/y cost: \$417,208 if no, please describe: annual recurring cost: N/A revenue agreement: Yes

budget clarification:

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

CEO Liaison: Darcie Antle, Deputy CEO

CEO Review: Yes CEO Comments:

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Executed By: Lindsey Dunham, Deputy Clerk I Final Status: Approved

Date: February 26, 2020 Executed Item: **Interim Agreement**

Number: *20-010

Note to Department Number of Original Agreements

Returned to Dept: 1 Original Agreement Delivered to Auditor?

No