

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
and for Special Districts, Agencies and Authorities Governed by the Board

Adopted this Resolution on 06/13/2023 by the following vote:

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NO:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

RECUSE:



Resolution No. 2023/199

IN THE MATTER OF: 2023-2024 State of California Department of Community Services and Development, Emergency Supplemental Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (ESLIHEAP)

WHEREAS, the Employment and Human Services Department (EHSD) received notification from the State Department of Community Services and Development (CSD) on March 10, 2023, to execute the 2023 Emergency Supplemental Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) agreement 23J-5709, and **WHEREAS**, the County routinely receives funding from CSD wherein Contra Costa County provides energy bill assistance payments and/or Weatherization services to residents who are income eligible through Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) and the Energy Crisis Intervention Program (ECIP), and **WHEREAS**, the program offers energy saving measures that may provide homes with hot water heaters, furnaces, refrigerators, microwaves, doors, windows, energy-saving light bulbs, weather stripping, ceilings fans, and attic insulation, and **WHEREAS**, homes with gas appliances receive a combustion appliance safety test that checks for carbon monoxide gas leakage and are provided with a carbon monoxide alarm, and **WHEREAS**, residents may also qualify for the Utility Assistance Program, which provides a credit on their energy bills, and **WHEREAS**, first priority for services are to those households with the lowest income and highest energy burden, and **WHEREAS**, the ESLIHEAP priority will follow LIHEAP priority; to service those households with the following vulnerable populations: young children (ages five years or under), disabled, and elderly persons (ages 60 years or older), and **WHEREAS**, the program is operated by the EHSD, Community Services Bureau (CSB).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: the Contra Costa Board of Supervisors ADOPT Resolution No. 2023/199 approving and authorizing the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute an agreement with the State of California Department of Community Services and Development, in an amount not to exceed \$2,582,541 for the Emergency Supplemental Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (ESLIHEAP), for the period of April 15, 2023 through May 31, 2025.

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: June 13, 2023

Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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