



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: January 7, 2014

Subject: Contract #26-715-2 with Walnut Creek Surgical Associates, Inc.

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Contract #26-715-2 with Walnut Creek Surgical Associates, Inc., a corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$450,000, for the provision of professional general surgery services for patients at Contra Costa Regional Medical Center and Contra Costa Health Centers, for the period from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This Contract is funded 100% by Enterprise Fund I. Cost to the County depends upon utilization. As appropriate, patients and/or third party payors will be billed for services. (No rate increases)

**BACKGROUND:**

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☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY  
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD  
COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **01/07/2014** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

**VOTE OF SUPERVISORS**

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor  
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor  
Mary N. Piepho, District III Supervisor  
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor  
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor

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: January 7, 2014

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Contact: David Goldstein, M.D.,  
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By: Chris Heck, Deputy

For a number of years

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

the County has contracted with Medical, Dental and Mental Health Specialists to provide specialized services that are not otherwise available.

On February 26, 2013, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #26-715-1 with Walnut Creek Surgical Association, to provide general surgery services including consultation, training, on-call, medical and/or surgical procedures, for patients at Contra Costa Regional Medical Center and Contra Costa Health Centers (CCRMC), for the period from January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

Approval of Contract #26-715-2 will allow the Contractor to continue to provide professional general surgery services through December 31, 2014.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, patients requiring professional general surgery services at CCRMC will not have access to Contractor's services, which may result in a reduction in the overall level of services to the community.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

Not Applicable.