



Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors
From: David Twa, County Administrator
Date: March 3, 2015

Subject: Stipend for Poetry Out Loud Student Winner

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Auditor-Controller, or designee, to pay Arielle Hermann a stipend in the amount of \$150 for expenses related to representing Contra Costa County at the Statewide Poetry Out Loud competition in Sacramento.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The \$150 stipend has been included in the Poetry Out Loud grant from the State of California specifically for this purpose. 100% State

BACKGROUND:

The State of California provides grant funds to counties each year to conduct 2015 Poetry Out Loud Competition. The winner of the competition in each County competes in a statewide competition held in Sacramento. This year, Arielle Herman, a senior from Monte Vista High School in Danville, was awarded First Place in Contra Costa County competition. She will be representing Contra Costa County at the statewide competition.

The State of California provides grant funding to counties for the cost of the competition. Included in this grant is \$150 to be paid directly to the student to offset the cost of traveling

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **03/03/2015** ☒ 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

ABSENT: 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: March 3, 2015

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

By: Stephannie L. Mello, Deputy

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to Sacramento for the statewide competition.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of the recommendation will allow the Auditor-Controller to issue payment to Ms. Herman as required in the grant.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The County will not be in compliance with the requirements of the grant.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This program helps to meet the County's children and family services outcomes, specifically outcome # 1. Children Ready for and Succeeding in School.