



Contra
Costa
County

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Kathy Gallagher
Date: July 12, 2016

Subject: 2016 Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) targeted initiative revenue contract

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment & Human Services Director, or designee, to accept funding from California Department of Community Services and Development, including a modified indemnification language, in an amount not to exceed \$17,000 for Community Services Block Grant program services during the term June 15, 2016 through December 31, 2016.

FISCAL IMPACT:

100% Federal funding via
California Department of Community Services & Development
Pass through of Federal funds / CFDA # 93.569
No County match

State: 16F-5525
County: 39-909-3

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR ☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **07/12/2016** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: 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: July 12, 2016

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

ABSENT: John Gioia, District I
Supervisor

By: Chris Heck, Deputy

Contact: CSB (925) 681-6345

BACKGROUND:

The Department received notification of funding from California Department of Community Services and Development on June 13, 2015. As the County's Community Action Agency, the Department's Community Services Bureau regularly receives Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) funding to operate self-sufficiency programs under the advisement of the County's Economic Opportunity Council (EOC). This funding is for selected Community Action agencies to receive discretionary funds to support training and technical assistance needs to build capacity. The funds can also be used to support program that focus on the homeless population and to assist low-income individuals to claim the Earned Income Tax Credit. Funding is provided under 3 categories: Capacity Building, Homelessness and Earned Income Tax Credit.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If not approved, the Department will be hampered in its ability to meet the needs of the community and to establish partnerships with community based agencies and public organizations.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

The Employment & Human Services Department Community Services Bureau supports three of Contra Costa County's community outcomes - Outcome 1: "Children Ready for and Succeeding in School," Outcome 3: "Families that are Economically Self-sufficient," and, Outcome 4: "Families that are Safe, Stable, and Nurturing." These outcomes are achieved by offering comprehensive services, including high quality early childhood education, nutrition, and health services to low-income children throughout Contra Costa County.