



Contra
Costa
County

To: Board of Supervisors
From: David Twa, County Administrator
Date: October 18, 2016

Subject: Resolution No. 2016/593 – Western Council of Engineers Side Letter Voluntary Vision Plan and HSA

RECOMMENDATION(S):

ADOPT Resolution No. 2016/593 approving the Side Letter between Contra Costa County and Western Council of Engineers regarding a voluntary vision plan and health spending account.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Enrollment in these benefit plans is voluntary. The costs of the benefits are employee paid.

BACKGROUND:

This Side Letter arises out of recommendations from the Joint Labor/Management Benefits Committee (“JLMBC”) following its discussions about future medical, dental and vision plan design. The recommendations were that active employees have the option to participate in a voluntary vision plan and a health savings account. The County determined that these were constructive suggestions from the JLMBC that warranted pursuing with the individual employee organization members of the JLMBC, such as Western Council of Engineers. As a result, the County and Western Council of Engineers agree that during open enrollment for the 2017 plan year the County will offer active employees, except those who are temporary or permanent-intermittent, the option of enrolling in an employee paid vision

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD
COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **10/18/2016** ☒ 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: October 18, 2016

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

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By: June McHuen, Deputy

plan and an employee-funded health savings account pursuant to the terms detailed in the side letter.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Members will not have access to the voluntary vision plan nor the health spending account.

ATTACHMENTS

Resolution No. 2016/593

WCE Side Letter dated 9/26/16