



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director
Date: February 7, 2017

Subject: Cancellation Agreement #26-777-2 and Contract #26-777-3 with Stephen B. Arnold, M.D.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County as follows: 1. Cancellation Agreement #26 777-2 with Stephen B. Arnold, M.D., an individual, effective on the close of business on February 28, 2017; and 2. Contract #26-777-3 with Stephen B. Arnold, M.D., an individual, in an amount not to exceed \$1,475,000, to provide cardiology services at Contra Costa Regional Medical Center and Contra Costa Health Centers (CCRMC), for the period from March 1, 2017 through February 29, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This Contract is funded 100% Hospital Enterprise Fund I. (No rate increase)

BACKGROUND:

On September 16, 2014, the Board of Supervisors approved #26-777 (as amended by Amendment Agreement #26-777-1) with Stephen B. Arnold, M.D., for the provision of cardiology services including, but not limited to: clinic coverage, inpatient care, reading cardiology studies and on-call services at CCRMC for the period from September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017. Due to renegotiations of the malpractice coverage, which in the

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD
COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **02/07/2017** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
Diane Burgis, 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: February 7, 2017

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

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new proposed contract Dr. Arnold will be

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

covered under the County's insurance rather than being self insured, the Department and Contractor have agreed to a mutual cancellation of Contract #26-777 (as amended by Amendment Agreement #26-777-1) in accordance with General Conditions, Paragraph 5. (Termination and Cancellation). Approval of Cancellation Agreement #26-777-2 will accomplish this termination. Approval of Contract #26-777-3 will allow the Contractor to continue to provide cardiology services at CCRMC through October February 29, 2020.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, patients requiring cardiology services at CCRMC will not have access to Contractor's services.