



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director
Date: July 11, 2017

Subject: Contract with Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County, Inc. for Ombudsman Services to Seniors

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute a contract with Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$245,841 to provide ombudsman services to seniors in long-term care for the period of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018. (100% Federal)

FISCAL IMPACT:

\$245,845: 100% Federal (Older Americans Act, Title III-B and VII-A)

BACKGROUND:

Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County, Inc. provides long-term care ombudsman services for adults including mediation and conciliation services, creation of Family Councils for support of families of long-term care residents, document and report investigations of physical abuse of all dependent adult and elder residents of long-term care facilities, education and training on seniors' rights, benefits, and entitlements.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Seniors in Contra Costa county will not receive the assistance of ombudsman services.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **07/11/2017** ☒ 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: July 11, 2017

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

Contact: Gina Chenoweth
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cc:

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

None