To: Board of Supervisors

From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director

Date: October 17, 2017

Subject: Grant Agreement #28-658-1 the State of California, Office of Traffic Safety



Contra Costa County

### **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Grant Agreement #28-658-1 with the State of California, Office of Traffic Safety, to pay the County an amount not to exceed \$88,500, for child passenger safety information and education to clients of the Public Health Nursing Home Visiting Program, for the period from October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018.

### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this agreement will result in \$88,500 of state funding.

### **BACKGROUND:**

This project will provide child passenger safety information and education to Contra Costa County's low income clients of the Public Health Division's Nursing Home Visiting Program. The Nursing Home Visiting Program will provide child safety seat distribution and education as part of a home visit. The program goals are to increase child safety seat use and decrease misuse in an effort to reduce child injuries and fatalities resulting from motor vehicle collisions. The program will also provide child passenger safety basic awareness training and technician certification for selected Public Health Division staff.

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RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE			
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# CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, the Public Health Division will not be able to provide child passenger safety information and contribute in the effort to reduce children killed or injured in traffic collisions.

# CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This program supports the following Board of Supervisors' community outcomes: "Families that are Safe, Stable, and Nurturing" and "Communities that are Safe and Provide a High Quality of Life for Children and Families". Expected program outcomes include an increase in child safety seat usage and reduction in child deaths and injuries in traffic collisions.