



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director

Date: October 24, 2017

Subject: California Health Advocates Funding

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to accept funding in the amount of \$3,000 from California Health Advocates for the Senior Medicare Patrol Volunteer Liaison for the period June 1, 2017 through May 31, 2018.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

County to receive \$3,000 from California Health Advocates. (100% Federal) (No County match)

CFDA #93.048

**BACKGROUND:**

California Health Advocates will provide funding to the Employment and Human Services Department, Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP) for a Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) volunteer liaison who will focus on outreach and education regarding prevention and reporting of Medicare fraud. The funding will be used to support the SMP volunteer liaison for data collection, monitoring, and reporting customer inquiries; volunteer recruitment, training, retention and support; community education, outreach and

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **10/24/2017** ☒ 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: October 24, 2017

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

Contact: Elaine Burres,  
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training; and fraud prevention activities.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Senior Medicare Fraud liaison services would not be provided through the Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP) in Contra Costa County.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

Not applicable.