To: Board of SupervisorsFrom: William Walker, M.D., Health Services DirectorDate: February 6, 2018



Contra Costa County

Subject: Gift Cards for Consumer Participation at Calli House Emergency Youth Shelter

## **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Purchasing Agent to purchase, on behalf of the Health Services Director, 75 TJMaxx, 75 Safeway, 75 Target, 75 Raley's, and 75 Walmart gift cards in an amount of \$10 each, and 150 Starbucks, 150 Subway, and 150 McDonald's gift cards in the amount of \$5 each for a total amount of \$6,000 to use as incentives for consumer participation in Calli House Emergency Youth Shelter.

## FISCAL IMPACT:

100% funded by Community Services Block Grant (Interdepartmental Services Agreement 38-583). No County funds required.

## **BACKGROUND:**

Contra Costa County Health Services Department's Homeless Program received a grant to provide services to homeless youth. Included in the grant budget is a line item for client incentives in the amount of \$6,000. Gift cards are provided to youth consumers as an incentive for ongoing and meaningful participation and involvement in their case plan, acknowledgement of special achievements, employment and housing readiness, and move-in assistance.

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RECOMMENDATION OF CN ADMINISTRATOR	NTY RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 02/06/2018 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER	
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS	
<ul> <li>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</li> <li>Contact: Lavonna Martin, 925-313-7704</li> </ul>	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 6, 2018 David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: June McHuen, Deputy

## CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this purchase order is not approved, the Health Services Department Homeless Program will not be able to spend down grant funds awarded for Calli House Emergency Youth Shelter nor will it be able to provide incentives for the youth consumers' special achievements, meaningful participation, employment and housing readiness or for move-in assistance.