



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director
Date: November 5, 2019

Subject: Grant Agreement #28-789-11 from the U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs Northern California Health Care System

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute Agreement #28-789-11 (VA #612-20-1-2973-0010) with U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs Northern California Health Care System (VANCHCS), a Government Agency, to pay the County in an amount not to exceed \$209,762 for the provision of services and associated operating cost of West County's Adult Interim Housing Program in Richmond, for the period from October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Approval of this Agreement will result in \$209,762 in funds from VANCHCS for the West County's Adult Interim Housing Program in Richmond. (No County match).

BACKGROUND:

The Health Services Department seeks continuous funding to provide interim housing, treatment, and other services for homeless veterans that access the County's emergency shelter program. Each year the shelters provide interim housing and support services to over 75 homeless veterans of Contra Costa County.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **11/05/2019** ☒ 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: November 5, 2019

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

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

Contact: Lavonna Martin,
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On October 23, 2018, the Board of Supervisors approved Agreement #28-789-10 to receive funding to support emergency shelter housing for homeless veterans of Contra Costa County through September 30, 2019.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of Grant Agreement #28-789-11 will allow the County to receive funds to support the West County's Adult Interim Housing Program in Richmond through September 30, 2020.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this Agreement is not approved, the County will not receive funding to support the veterans requiring homeless shelter.