



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director

Date: June 23, 2020

Subject: California Health Care Advocates Funding

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to accept funding in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 from California Health Care Advocates to provide volunteer liaison support for the Senior Medicare Patrol-Medicare Fraud program for the period June 1, 2020 through May 31, 2021.

FISCAL IMPACT:

County to receive \$5,000 from California Health Care Advocates for Medicare Patrol/Medicare Fraud, which is 100% Federal.

BACKGROUND:

California Health Care Advocates will provide funding to Employment and Human Services, Aging and Adult Services Bureau, Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP) for the Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) volunteer liaison who will focus on outreach and education regarding prevention and supporting Medicare Fraud Prevention. The funding will be used to support the SMP liaison activities which may include data collection, monitoring and reporting customer inquiries, volunteer recruitment, training and support, community education, and fraud prevention activities.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **06/23/2020** ☒ 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: June 23, 2020

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

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

Contact: Elaine Burres,
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cc:

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Without funding, Medicare Fraud liaison activities would not be support through HICAP.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

Without funding, Medicare Fraud liaison activities would not be provided through HICAP.