



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: October 20, 2020

Subject: Grant Award #28-789-12 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 accept Grant Award #28-789-12 (VA #612-21-1-2973-0005) with U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Northern California Health Care System (VANCHCS), a Government Agency, to pay the County an amount not to exceed \$212,736 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, 2020 through September 30, 2021.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this agreement will result in \$212,736 of funding 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

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY  
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD  
COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **10/20/2020** ☒ 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: October 20, 2020

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

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

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75 homeless veterans of Contra Costa County.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

On November 5, 2019, the Board of Supervisors approved Agreement #28-789-11 to receive funding to support emergency shelter housing for homeless veterans of Contra Costa County for the period October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020.

Approval of Grant Award #28-789-12 will allow the County to receive funds to support the West County's Adult Interim Housing Program in Richmond through September 30, 2021.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

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