To: Board of Supervisors

From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director

Date: June 8, 2021



Contra Costa County

Subject: Grant Award #29-393-33 from the California Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Control Branch

## **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

A. APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director or designee, to execute, on behalf of the County Grant Award #29-393-33 from the California Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Control Branch, to pay the County an amount not to exceed \$304,417 for the Tuberculosis (TB) Control Program, for the period from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022; and

B. AUTHORIZE the Purchasing Agent to issue payments in the amount not to exceed \$17,197, to be used for food, shelter, incentives and enablers (FSIE). The FSIE allotment will be used for gift cards (\$20 Safeway, SaveMart, Target and gas cards), transportation vouchers, nutritional assistance, and rent subsidies.

# **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Acceptance of this Award will result in up to \$304,417 in funding from the California Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Control Branch, for fiscal year 2021-2022. No County match is required.

## **BACKGROUND:**

✓ APPROVE	OTHER
▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CY     ADMINISTRATOR	NTY RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 06/08/2021	✓ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER
Clerks Notes:	
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS	
AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor	
Candace Andersen, District II 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 8, 2021  Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor	
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	,,
	By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

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The Health Services Department's Public Health Division maintains a TB Control Program, which serves all reported TB patients and their contacts in Contra Costa County. Outreach services are provided to reach the "Hard-to Reach" people with TB and those at high risk. The TB control staff work within the Communicable Disease Section in collaboration with the HIV/AIDS Program, Substance Abuse Programs,

## BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Contra Costa Regional Medical Center and Health Centers, and providers throughout the County. This grant has been awarded to Contra Costa County since 1990.

On July 28, 2020, the Board of Supervisors approved acceptance of Grant Award #29-393-31 with the California Department of Public Health, TB Control Branch, for the TB Control Program, to pay the County in an amount not to exceed \$304,417, for the county's TB control program for the period from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

On May 18, 2021, the Board of Supervisors approved Award Amendment #29-393-32 with the California Department of Public Health, TB Control Branch, to increase the amount payable to the county by \$2,000 to a new total of \$306,417 for an additional FSIE allotment, with no change in the original term of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

Approval of Grant Award #29-393-33 will allow the Department to continue to expand its prevention and control activities which are essential to decreasing TB transmission, prevent the development of drug resistance, and cure TB patients, through June 30, 2022.

#### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this grant is not approved, the County will not receive funds to continue identifying and treating Contra Costa County residents who have active TB and ensure that they complete appropriate therapy.