



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director  
Date: June 22, 2021

Subject: California Department of Aging, Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act Funding, Amendment 1

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute a contract amendment with California Department of Aging to provide Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers (MIPPA) services, and increase the payment limit by \$1,194 to a new payment limit of \$49,810 with no change in the term of October 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

County to receive \$49,810 in Federal MIPPA funding from the California Department of Aging. There is no required County match.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Employment and Human Services Department, Area Agency on Aging, provides services to County residents 60 years and older. MIPPA funds will be used to provide outreach and enrollment assistance to individuals who may be eligible for Part D Low Income Subsidy and Medicare Savings programs administered by Medi-Cal. These

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **06/22/2021** ☒ 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 22, 2021

Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

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activities are performed in conjunction with the Contra Costa Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program, which is a direct service program provided by the Area Agency on Aging that provides Medicare counseling and enrollment assistance.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Without funding, MIPPA services could not be provided.