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Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director
Date: October 5, 2021

Subject: Agreement #29-818-4 with Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc. (DBA Heluna Health)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Grant Agreement #29-818-4 containing mutual indemnification with Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc. (DBA Heluna Health), a non-profit corporation, to pay the County an amount not to exceed \$23,639 for participation in the FoodNet Expanded Case Exposure Ascertainment (eCEA) Project, for the period from August 1, 2021 through July 31, 2022.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This agreement will result in revenues of up to \$23,639 from the Public Health Foundation Enterprises. (No County match)

BACKGROUND:

The Health Services Department's Public Health Division receives hundreds of reports of Salmonellosis and Shigellosis cases annually. There are likely many cases that do not get reported because community members do not see their doctor or confirmatory testing is not performed. These infections can result in serious illness and hospitalization across the age spectrum. Administering the expanded case report and the eCEA questionnaire will allow

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **10/05/2021** ☒ 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: October 5, 2021

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

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health officials to gather additional information that could result in enhanced disease prevention and control activities.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

On March 9, 2021, the Board of Supervisors approved Grant Agreement #29-818-3 with Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc. (DBA Heluna Health) to receive funds in the amount of \$24,889 for participation in the eCEA, to study foodborne bacteria, for the period from August 1, 2020 through July 31, 2021.

Approval of Agreement #29-818-4 will allow the County to continue to receive funds to support the eCEA Project, through July 31, 2022. This agreement includes mutual indemnification.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this agreement is not approved, the County will not receive funding to provide services for the eCEA Project.