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Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director  
Date: December 7, 2021

Subject: CA Department of Aging, Consolidated Appropriations Act, Social Security Act Elder Justice, Title XX, and CARES Act Robotic Companion Pet Project

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

ADOPT Resolution No. 2021/400 to APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute a contract amendment with the California Department of Aging to accept additional funding in the amount of \$492,057 for a new total amount of \$6,478,915 with no change to term July 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This additional funding is 100% Federal.

1. \$474,965 / CFDA # 93.045
2. \$15,381 / CFDA # 93.747
3. \$ 1,711 / CFDA # 93.042

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **12/07/2021** ☒ 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: December 7, 2021

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

Contact: C. Youngblood (925)  
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cc:

## FISCAL IMPACT: (CONT'D)

### BACKGROUND:

The Employment and Human Services Department, Area Agency on Aging, provides services to older persons and adults with disabilities, as defined by the Older American Act (OAA), which especially targets lower-income, limited-English speaking, homebound and isolated, LGBTQ, and residents in long-term care facilities. California Department of Aging (CDA) has provided additional funding to the County in the amount of \$492,057 for a new total payment of \$6,478,915. Funding is from the Consolidated Appropriations Act, Elder Justice Act Title XX, and CARES Act Robotic Companion Pet Project to bolster its OAA Ombudsman and home-delivered meal services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Without the additional funding, services to support seniors during this pandemic could not be adequately provided.

### ATTACHMENTS

Resolution 2021/400