



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: June 21, 2022

Subject: Cancellation Agreement #26-995-20 Contract #26-995-21 with George Lee, M.D.

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of County as follows: (1) Cancellation Agreement #26-995-20 with George Lee, M.D., an individual, effective at the end of business on May 31, 2022; and (2) Contract #26-995-21 with George Lee, M.D., an individual, in an amount not to exceed \$1,850,000, to provide anesthesiology services for Contra Costa Regional Medical Center (CCRMC) and Health Centers patients, for the period June 1, 2022 through May 31, 2025.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This contract will result in contractual service expenditures of up to \$1,850,000 over a 3-year period and will be funded 100% by Hospital Enterprise Fund I. (Rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

Due to the limited number of specialty providers available within the community, CCRMC and Contra Costa Health Centers relies on contracts to provide necessary specialty health services to its patients. The contractor's anesthesiology services will include clinic coverage, consultation, training, on-call and medical procedures. The contractor has been providing anesthesiology services to the County since August 2002.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **06/21/2022** ☒ 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 21, 2022

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

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

Contact: Samir Shah, M.D.,  
925-370-5525



### BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

On June 8, 2021, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #26-995-19 with George Lee, M.D., in an amount not to exceed \$1,850,000 to provide anesthesiology services to CCRMC and Contra Costa Health Centers' patients including consultation, on-call and clinic coverage, for the period from August 1, 2021 through July 31, 2024.

In consideration of the County's necessity to contract for specialized services due to recruitment and retention limitations, and the agreement to continue providing services, the department and contractor have agreed to (1) mutual cancellation of the current contract in accordance with General Conditions Paragraph 5 (Termination), of the contract (Cancellation Agreement #26-995-20) will accomplish this cancellation, and (2) establish a new contract with the correct terms and conditions for the next three years.

Approval of Contract #26-995-21 will allow contractor to continue to provide anesthesiology services to CCRMC and Contra Costa Health Center patients through May 31, 2025.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, the contractor will be unable to provide anesthesiology services to CCRMC and Health Centers patients.