



Contra  
Costa  
County

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: February 7, 2023

Subject: Amendment #28-706-27 with Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc.

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Amendment #28-706-27 with Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, to amend Agreement #28-706-26, to increase the amount payable to the County by \$27,061, from \$137,813 to a new amount not to exceed \$164,874 for participation in the California Emerging Infections Program (EIP) with no change in the term of September 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this amendment will result in an additional amount not to exceed \$27,061 in funding by Food and Drug Administration Grant for the Emerging Infections Program through the Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc. (No County match required)

**BACKGROUND:**

The National Antimicrobial Resistance Monitoring System (NARMS) for Enteric Bacteria was established in 1996 to monitor bacterial resistance, specifically, the resistance among Salmonella and other enteric bacteria. The 17 participating state health departments forward every tenth human Salmonella isolate to Center for Disease Control (CDC) for antimicrobial

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ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **02/07/2023** ☒ 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  
Ken Carlson, 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: February 7, 2023

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

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susceptibility testing.

### BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

The CDC is requesting that additional EIP sites participate in the study of foodborne bacteria. Such bacteria is not uncommon and often is associated with the use of antimicrobial agents in food animals, especially in retail food. This study will assist in generating a database that may be utilized to augment the development of intervention programs to stem the high prevalence of antimicrobial resistance in the meal and poultry food supply. The goal of the study is to determine the prevalence of antimicrobial resistance among Salmonella, Campylobacter, E.coli and enterococci isolated from a sample of chicken, ground turkey, ground beef and pork chops purchased from selected grocery stores in the catchment area of the California EIP FoodNet site. This will include samples collected from Contra Costa, Alameda and San Francisco County retail grocery stores.

On November 29, 2022, the Board of Supervisors approved Agreement #28-706-26 with Public Health Foundation Enterprises, Inc. to pay the County an amount not to exceed \$137,813 for participation in the California EIP Program for the period September 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023. This agreement included mutual indemnification.

Approval of Amendment #28-706-27 will allow the County to receive additional funding to support the EIP - Retail Foods Project, through August 31, 2023.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this amendment is not approved, the County will not receive additional funding to continue provide services for the EIP.