



County of Monterey

Board of Supervisors
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Board Report

File #: A 21-479, **Version:** 1

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RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors:

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SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

In enacting a statute or imposing an executive order, the California Legislature, Governor, or state agency may impose a new program or higher level of services on local agencies. If the statute or executive order does not provide sufficient funding and there are increased costs as a result of the change, under Article XIII B of the California State Constitution, affected local agencies can seek reimbursement for costs associated with carrying out programs mandated by the State of California.

The County Auditor-Controller's Office (ACO) provides oversight and coordination related to compiling costs, preparing and filing claims for reimbursements on behalf of the County. MGT of America's (MGT) services are utilized to maximize claims, as well as ensuring claim compliance with parameters and guidelines adopted by the Commission on State Mandates. The Claims filed on behalf of Monterey County for FY19-20 totaled \$240,862 while MGT charges totaled \$40,500.

The ACO has used the services of MGT in this area for many years. In December of 2018 the ACO requested an informal bid for State mandate claiming services from five firms known to provide such services. Only MGT responded and submitted a bid. At this time, the ACO is requesting a 3-year extension to the agreement with MGT.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

County Counsel has reviewed the Renewal and Amendment No. 2 with MGT of America Consulting, LLC as to form. County Auditor-Controller has approved financial provisions.

FINANCING:

The cost of the MGT contract has been budgeted by the ACO for FY21-22 in AUD002. Future annual required amounts will be included in the budget development process for AUD002.

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Attachments:

MGT of America Consulting Agreement FY2018-19

Amendment No. 1 with MGT of America Consulting

Renewal and Amendment No. 2 with MGT of America Consulting