



County of Monterey

Board of Supervisors
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Board Report

File #: RES 24-095, **Version:** 1

Adopt a Resolution levying the Emergency Medical Services System Special Tax for Fiscal Year (FY) 2024-25 at the rate of \$12.00 per service unit.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors:

Adopt a Resolution levying the Emergency Medical Services System Special Tax for Fiscal Year (FY) 2024-25 at the rate of \$12.00 per service unit.

SUMMARY:

This Board action will adopt a Resolution for levying of the countywide Emergency Medical Services System Special Tax for FY 2024-25 at the continued rate of \$12.00 per service unit.

DISCUSSION:

On March 7, 2000, a 70.7% majority of County of Monterey voters approved changing the countywide CSA-74 levy to a special tax of up to \$12.00 per service unit. The rate has remained constant at \$12.00 since FY 2000-01. The attached resolution levies the countywide Emergency Medical Services System Special Tax for FY 2024-25 at the continued rate of \$12.00 per service unit. A summarized history of CSA-74 outlining services and fees is included in this Board packet.

The Ordinance requires the adoption of resolutions by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey to continue assessments for CSA-74.

This work supports the County of Monterey Health Department (MCHD) 2018-2024 Strategic Plan Goal(s): 2. Enhance public health and safety through prevention and 4. Engage MCHD workforce and improve operational functions to meet current and developing population health needs. It also supports one of the ten essential public health services, specifically, 7. Link people to needed personal health services and assure the provision of health care when otherwise unavailable.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT

County Counsel has reviewed and approved this Board Report as to form.

FINANCING:

There are no General Fund Impacts resulting from this Board action. The revenues from CSA-74 are estimated to be \$1.8 million and are included in the CSA-74 (092-HEA010) FY 2024-25 Recommended Budget.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS STRATEGIC INITIATIVES:

Check the related Board of Supervisors Strategic Initiatives:

☐ Economic Development:

- Through collaboration, strengthen economic development to ensure a diversified and healthy economy.

☐ Administration:

- Promote an organization that practices efficient and effective resource management and is recognized for responsiveness, strong customer orientation, accountability, and transparency.

☒ Health & Human Services:

- Improve health and quality of life through County supported policies, programs, and services; promoting access to equitable opportunities for healthy choices and healthy environments in collaboration with communities.

☐ Infrastructure:

- Plan and develop a sustainable, physical infrastructure that improves the quality of life for County residents and supports economic development results.

☐ Public Safety:

- Create a safe environment for people to achieve their potential, leading businesses and communities to thrive and grow by reducing violent crimes as well as crimes in general.

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Date:

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Attachments:

Board Report

Proposed Resolution on CSA-74 Assessment

Notice of Public Hearing

Summarized History of CSA-74

List of rates charged per parcel

Letter from County of Monterey Auditor Controller