

Board Report

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RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors:

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SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

The Monterey County Health Department, Clinic Services Bureau, entered into a Professional Services Agreement with Complete Answering Service effective July 1, 2010 for the purpose of providing telephone answering services. Since 2010, the Agreement has been revised through Amendments No. 1 and No. 2 to extend the term to June 30, 2016 and increase the amount by \$61,680. Amendment No. 3 will extend the term of the Agreement an additional two (2) years to June 30, 2018 and increase the amount by \$39,465.00, for a new total amount not to exceed \$131,985.00. Approval of the recommended action will provide the County's primary care clinics with continued call answering services for calls received outside of normal hours of operation and/or during clinic meetings when clinic staff is unable to answer.

This work supports the Monterey County Health Department 2011 - 2015 Strategic Plan initiative to (3) Ensure access to culturally and linguistically appropriate, customer-friendly, quality health services. It also supports one or more 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, the Auditor-Controller and Contracts/Purchasing have reviewed and approved Amendment No. 3.

FINANCING:

Sufficient funds are available in the Clinic Services Bureau, Health Department FY2016-2017 Requested Budget (4000-HEA007). The Clinic Services Bureau operates at a zero net county cost and there is no financial impact to the General Fund resulting from approval of this Agreement.

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Attachments: Amendment No. 3 is on file with the Clerk of the Board Amendment No. 2 is on file with the Clerk of the Board Amendment No. 1 is on file with the Clerk of the Board Agreement is on file with the Clerk of the Board