



County of Monterey

Board of Supervisors
Chambers
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Salinas, CA 93901

Board Report

File #: A 16-209, **Version:** 1

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RECOMMENDATION:

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SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

Meals on Wheels of the Salinas Valley (MOW,SV) improves the health and well-being of seniors who can't shop or cook for themselves by delivering nutritious meals to their homes Monday through Friday. Nutrition and independent living go hand in hand. This agreement provides home-delivered meals to seniors living in Salinas, and in North and South Monterey County. It is anticipated that 40,000 home-delivered meals will be served in the Salinas area and 20,000 meals will be served in the North County and South County regions.

This contract is in alignment with the Older Americans Act (OAA) and the goals of the Monterey County Area Agency on Aging (AAA). The OAA, originally enacted in 1965, supports a range of home and community-based services, such as meals-on-wheels and other nutrition programs, in-home services, transportation, legal services, elder abuse prevention and caregiver support. The 2016 OAA reauthorizes programs for FY 2017 through FY 2019.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The Auditor-Controller and Purchasing have reviewed and approved this agreement. County Counsel has approved the agreement as to form.

FINANCING:

Funding is provided by the Older Americans Act. Sufficient appropriations and estimated revenues in SOC010 are included in the FY 2016-17 Adopted Budget. Approval of this action has no impact on the County General Fund contributions.

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Attachments: Meals on Wheels of the Salinas Valley contract

Proposed agreement is on file with the Clerk of the Board as an attachment to this Board Report