SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE. STATE OF CALIFORNIA



FROM: District Attorney

SUBMITTAL DATE: 12/16/13

SUBJECT: Acceptance of the FY 2013/14 Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Program Grant and Adoption of Resolution No. 2014-027. All Districts [\$10,000]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1) Ratify and approve acceptance of a grant award (Grant Agreement attached) from the Insurance Commissioner of the State of California, Department of Insurance (DOI) Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Program ("LACPP") in the amount of \$10,000 for the award period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.
- 2) Adopt Resolution No. 2014-027 authorizing the District Attorney and/or his designee to sign the Grant Agreement on behalf of the Board.

BACKGROUND:

Summary

The increasing senior population of Riverside County creates a venue for criminal activity. The vast majority of elder abuse crimes are perpetrated to separate the senior from his or her assets. To combat this growing trend of financial crimes against seniors, the District Attorney's Office re-applied for continuation of funding from the Department of Insurance, Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Program and was awarded the grant in the amount of \$10,000.

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Van Wagenen Jr., for Paul E. Zellerbach.

District Attorney

For Fiscal Year:

SOURCE OF FUNDS: State of California					Budget Adjustment: No					
NET COUNTY COST	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	Consent 🗆	Policy 🗵
COST	\$	10,000	\$	0	\$	10,000	\$	0	0	5.0.5
FINANCIAL DATA	Curren	t Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Ye	ear:	Total Co	ost:	Ongoing C	ost:	POLICY/C	Secretary of the second

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

County Executive Office Signature

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Ashley, seconded by Supervisor Benoit and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes:

Jeffries, Tavaglione, Stone, Benoit and Ashley

Navs: Absent:

None None

Date:

January 7, 2014

Kecia Harper-Ihem

4/5 Vote

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 10/06/2009 (#3.10) District: ALL

Agenda Number:

2013/14

SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FORM 11: Acceptance of the FY 2013-14 Dept. of Insurance Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Award

and Adoption of Resolution #2014-027

DATE: 12/16/13 **PAGE:** Page 2 of 2

BACKGROUND: Summary

The Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Program grant, made pursuant to the provisions of section 10127.17 of the California Insurance Code, will be used by the District Attorney for the enhanced investigation and prosecution of life and annuity financial abuse cases. The District Attorney's Office will also conduct education seminars targeting the senior population in the county. These seminars will reveal types of scams being used to defraud the seniors and what to do if contacted by a suspected con artist. The District Attorney's Office will also work with DOI staff.

The DA's office budgeted revenue for this category based on an estimated award amount, as a result a budget adjustment is not necessary.

The attached grant agreement and resolution have been reviewed and approved as to form by County Counsel.

Impact on Citizens and Businesses

All costs under this program will be recovered through grant funding.

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RESOLUTION NO. 2014-027

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, REGARDING

THE LIFE AND ANNUITY CONSUMER PROTECTION PROGRAM ("LACPP")

WHEREAS, the County of Riverside desires to undertake a certain program designated the Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Program ("LACPP") to be funded in part from funds made available through California Insurance Code Section 10127.17 and administered by the California Department of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "DOI"); now therefore

IT IS AGREED that any liability arising out of the performance of this contract, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant recipient and the authorizing agency. The State of California and DOI disclaim responsibility of any such liability.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the resolution shall be in effect for a three-year period beginning July 1, 2013 and ending June 30, 2016.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant local expenditures controlled by this body.

ROLL CALL:

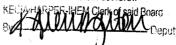
Ayes:

Jeffries, Tavaglione, Stone, Benoit and Ashley

Nays: Absent:

None None

The foregoing is certified to be a true copy of a resolution duly adopted by said Board of Supervisors on the case therein set forth.



INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

GRANT AWARD AGREEMENT

Fiscal Year 2013-2014

Life and Annuity Consumer Protection Program

The Insurance Commissioner of the State of California hereby makes award of funds to the **County of Riverside**, Office of the District Attorney, in the amount and for the purpose and duration set forth in this grant award.

This grant award consists of this title page and the application for the grant, which is attached and made a part hereof. By acceptance of the grant award, the grant award recipient agrees to administer the grant project in accordance with all applicable statutes, regulations and Request-for-Applications (RFA).

Duration of Grant: The grant award is for the program period, July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

Purpose of Grant: This grant award is made pursuant to the provisions of California Insurance Code Section 10127.17 and shall be used solely for the purposes of enhanced investigation and prosecution of life and annuity financial abuse cases.

Amount of Grant: The grant award agreed to herein is in the amount of \$10,000. This amount has been determined by the Insurance Commissioner. However, the actual total award amount for the county is contingent on the collection and the authorization for expenditure pursuant to the Government Code Section 13000 et seq. The grant award shall be distributed pursuant to Section 10127.17 of the Insurance Code.

Official Authorized to Sign for Applicant/Grant Recipient

Name: The Honorable Paul E. Zellerbach Title: Riverside County District Attorney Address: 3960 Orange Street Riverside, CA 92501

Date: 6/36/13

I hereby certify upon my own personal knowledge that budgeted funds are available for the period and purposes of this expenditure.

Caleb Horel, Fiscal Officer, CDI