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



ITEM 3.12 (ID # 5325)

MEETING DATE:

Tuesday, October 3, 2017

FROM: OFFICE ON AGING:

SUBJECT: OFFICE ON AGING: Approve an Amendment to the Service Agreement with Regional Access Project (RAP) Foundation to extend the grant period of performance by six (6) months, with new expiration date of March 31, 2018, 4th

District. [Total Cost - \$0]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve an Amendment to the Service Agreement for volunteer program coordination between Office on Aging and Regional Access Project (RAP) Foundation to extend the period of performance by six months, with new expiration date of March 31, 2018, to fulfill the obligations of the grant.

ACTION: Policy

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

Aves:

Jeffries, Tavaglione, Washington, Perez and Ashley

Nays:

None

Absent:

None

Date:

October 3, 2017

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OoA

Kecia Harper-Ihem

Clerk/of the Board

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Y	ear:	Next Fiscal Y	ear:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost	
COST	\$	0	\$	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	
NET COUNTY COST	\$	0	\$	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	
					Budget Ad	justment: No	
					For Fiscal	For Fiscal Year: 2017/18	

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

The Office on Aging (OoA) was awarded a grant from the Regional Access Project (RAP) Foundation, accepted by the Board of Supervisors on September 30, 2014, Agenda number 3.16. The OoA has sponsored a Volunteer Program, RSVP, in the Coachella Valley for twenty (20) years. The RSVP Coachella Valley Volunteer Program is a federal program with a forty-three (43) year history in the Coachella Valley. The grant funding awarded to the OoA contributes to the Desert Volunteer Connect Program coordination of volunteer programs in the Coachella Valley area. Since this coordination effort began, it has been successful in identifying agencies who benefit by the use of volunteers and ensuring there are enough volunteers to meet the volunteer opportunities in the Coachella Valley area.

The implementation of the Desert Volunteer Connect Program coordinated effort was delayed, which resulted in available funding to be utilized for the extended period. The RAP Foundation is extending the period of performance by six (6) months, with expiration date of March 31, 2018, to ensure all funding is exhausted for the coordination of volunteer programs in the Coachella Valley area.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

The impact on the citizens of the Coachella Valley is positive. Research outcomes have proven that engagement activities such as volunteering are an important element in the overall health and wellness of older adults. Older adults are most likely to experience increased physical and mental health benefits from their volunteer activities. Those who volunteer have lower mortality rates and greater function ability, and lower rates of depression later in life than those who do not volunteer. Volunteering allows seniors to remain vital, connected and engaged in their communities, which will alleviate the need for elevated spending in entitlement programs and community and social services in the future.

ATTACHMENTS:

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ATTACHMENT 1. Amendment to Service Agreement - Grant Agreement Acct #8835

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Grant Agreement Acct # 8835

AMENDMENT TO SERVICE AGREEMENT

Provider:

Riverside County Office on Aging

Program:

Desert Volunteer Connect

Amount:

Multi Year – 3 Years at \$55,000 per year

THE CONTRACT AGREEMENT BETWEEN the Regional Access Project Foundation, hereinafter referred to as FOUNDATION, and Riverside County Office on Aging hereinafter referred to as PROVIDER, in order to continue providing program service, is amended as follows:

- 1. Section 3. PAYMENTS is amended to read: Payments held due to interruption in Desert Volunteer Connect program services will be issued after receipt and approval of Program Evaluation reports including expenditures with documentation.
- 2. Section 4. TERM is amended to read: Due to interruption of Desert Volunteer Connect program services related to staffing issues incurred by Office on Aging, the term of this agreement shall extend beyond initial expiration date September 30, 2017 to new ending date March 31, 2018.
- 3. <u>Section 9. REPORTS is amended to read</u>: With the extension, Program Evaluation reports are due no later than October 18, 2017; January 17, 2018 and final report by April 18, 2018.
- 4. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

PROVIDER shall fully and faithfully perform all applications set forth in the Agreement.

ATTEST:

REGIONAL ACCESS PROJECT FOUNDATION, INC.

Leticia De Lara, CEO

8/9/17

PROVIDER:

Riverside County Office on Aging

Chairman, Board of Supervisors

JOHN TAVAGLION)

OCT 03 2017

Date

ATTEST

KECIA HARPER-IHEM CIERK

DEPLIT

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL BY: Yanda & Vely 9/12/17