

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



**ITEM: 3.46
(ID # 29221)**

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, November 18, 2025

FROM : RUHS-PUBLIC HEALTH

SUBJECT: RIVERSIDE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM-PUBLIC HEALTH: Approve and Authorize Riverside University Health System – Public Health to Accept Monetary Donation from Gilead Sciences to Support HIV Community Awareness and Testing Event; All Districts [Total amount \$10,000 - 100% Local]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve and authorize the Director of Riverside University Health System – Public Health (RUHS-PH), or designee, to accept the donation from Gilead Sciences to support Latinx-focused community awareness and testing event in the amount of \$10,000; and
2. Authorize the Director of RUHS-PH, or designee, to administer the donation; and
3. Authorize the Director of RUHS-PH, or designee, based on the availability of fiscal funding and approved as to form by County Counsel, to: (a) sign all certifications, assurances, or reports to implement the donation; and (b) accept any future donations from Gilead Sciences, not to exceed \$50,000 per fiscal year, through June 30, 2030.

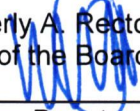
ACTION:A-30


Kim Saruwatari, Director of Public Health 11/5/2025

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

Ayes: Medina, Spiegel, Washington, Perez, and Gutierrez
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: November 18, 2025
xc: RUHS-PH

Kimberly A. Rector
Clerk of the Board
By: 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$10,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0
NET COUNTY COST	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% Local			Budget Adjustment: No	
			For Fiscal Year: 25/26	

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

Gilead Sciences provides support to community-informed, high-impact projects that relate to HIV, Hepatitis B, and Hepatitis C through support funding. They strive to reduce barriers amongst community individuals who struggle to access healthcare needs due to age, disability, ethnicity or race, location, gender identity, or socioeconomic status. Gilead is not requesting any material or recognition in return and merely intend to support the local Latinx community.

Gilead Sciences intends to provide a \$10,000 donation to support Riverside University Health Systems – Public Health (RUHS-PH) in the implementation of Latinx-focused community awareness and HIV testing event in Riverside County. RUHS-PH intends to utilize the \$10,000 to create a community event within Riverside County to connect people to local HIV/AIDS testing resources.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

The donation will help RUHS-PH HIV/STD program to increase awareness and access to HIV and STI testing activities will lead to identifying infected individuals, linking them to treatment sooner and reducing the spread of STDs and HIV in Riverside County. For residents, this means more convenient, culturally responsive care and improved quality of life. For businesses, healthier communities support a more stable and productive workforce, minimize absenteeism, and ultimately strengthen the local economy by supporting job creation and vendor partnerships with trusted, community-based organizations.

Additional Fiscal Information

No budget adjustment is necessary. The \$10,000 donation and any future donations from Gilead Sciences will be included in the RUHS-PH annual budget or quarterly budget adjustment package.

  
 Douglas Cordonez Jr. 11/10/2025