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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: September 10, 2019

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: **Jill Blake**

SUBJECT: Resolution approving execution of Amendment No. 1 to the Grant Agreement with the County Medical Services Program (CMSP) Governing Board for services related to the County Wellness & Prevention Pilot Project to extend the term of the Agreement from June 30, 2020 to June 30, 2021 and amend the due date of the final report to the CMSP Board.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: The grant funding provided under this Agreement is from State Program Realignment revenue received by the CMSP Governing Board and county general purpose revenue provided in the form of County Participation Fees. Funding was anticipated in the Department's FY 19/20 budget. There are no county general fund dollars required in the agreement.

BACKGROUND: In July 2016, the CMSP Governing Board released a Request for Proposals for the County Wellness & Prevention Pilot Project to counties participating in CMSP. The County Wellness & Prevention Pilot Project seeks to test the effectiveness of providing local-level wellness and prevention services to CMSP eligible and potentially eligible persons that address any of three project areas: Community Wellness, Whole Person Care, and Addressing the Social Determinants of Health.

On December 13, 2016, per Resolution 16-584, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors authorized the execution of the Grant Agreement with CMSP for the *Nevada County Prediabetes Prevention Project (NCPPP)*. Nevada County's Public Health Department County Wellness and Prevention Pilot Project, *NCPPP*, is an innovative and collaborative project with the goal of reducing the incidence of chronic disease in our community, specifically prediabetes and diabetes, and the coordination of a county-wide effort to prevent chronic disease.

NCPPP has partnered with local food pantries, other county departments, local hospitals, and other community-based organizations (CBO) to:

- Coordinate available services and referrals to CMSP, other public programs, and chronic disease prevention programs;
- Provide relevant prediabetes and diabetes services at locations convenient to the target population;
- Develop new relevant services, including prediabetes education programs, nutrition education, and other supports;
- Support food pantries in routinely offering healthy foods and low-glycemic options to clients, supported by healthy food policies;
- Spearhead a coordinated county-wide effort to prevent chronic disease in our community via a Chronic Disease Prevention Community Summit and by creating a task force that will focus on the prevention of chronic disease in our target population.

Key partnerships for this project include both of the local Nevada County hospitals, food pantries that serve both Eastern and Western Nevada County, the Nevada County Health and Human Services Agency and the relevant departments, and other key community partners including the Sierra Community House, Connecting Point, and Nevada County Public Health's Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention (NEOP) program. In addition, a key component of this project is the development and support of community collaboration and vision around chronic disease prevention in the project's target population.

It is recommended the Board approve this Amendment to extend the term of the Agreement from June 30, 2020 to June 30, 2021 and amend the due date of the final report to the CMSP Board as the funding will continue to provide services with a focus on decreasing the rate of prediabetes and improving health outcomes for food-insecure families in Nevada County.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Jill Blake, MPA, Public Health Director