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NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Letter

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: JoAnn Melgar for Jennifer Yasumoto - Director
Health & Human Services Administration
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SUBJECT: Amendment No. 8 to Agreement with Cerner Corporation

RECOMMENDATION

Director of Health and Human Services requests approval of and authorization for the Chair to sign Amendment No. 8 to Agreement No. 170225B with Cerner Corporation effective December 10, 2018 to clarify the "Application Services" provision under the "Term and Termination" section of the "Cerner System Schedule" incorporated previously pursuant to Amendment No. 7, for Behavioral Health Information System Software License and services and Billing System for Mental Health and Alcohol and Drug Services.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of today's recommended action is to amend the current agreement with Cerner Corporation to correct unintended conflicting language relating to payment terms for the Application Services Provision, with no change to the contract maximum approved by this Board on October 23, 2018 as Amendment No. 7.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact?	Yes
Is it currently budgeted?	Yes
Where is it budgeted?	Health & Human Services Mental Health Services Act
Is it Mandatory or Discretionary?	Mandatory
Is the general fund affected?	No
Future fiscal impact:	Appropriations for this contract are included in the approved Fiscal Year 2018-

2019 budget and all future fiscal years will be budgeted accordingly.

Consequences if not approved: A contract to obtain a software upgrade has already been approved; this amendment is intended to better clarify payment terms.

Additional Information:

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

On July 25, 2006, the Board approved an agreement with Anasazi Software, Inc., for the purchase of a new California-compliant web-based Medicare/Medi-Cal billing system for the Mental Health and Alcohol and Drug Services programs. The multi-year Agreement provided for installation assistance, training, software maintenance and support services. The annual maintenance component of the Agreement required the vendor to make all improvements necessary to keep the system current with state and federal requirements. In November 2012, Cerner Corporation acquired Anasazi Software, Inc. and on February 26, 2013, the Board approved the Director of Health and Human Services to give written consent to the assignment of that agreement to Cerner Corporation.

Cerner Community Behavioral Health software is the Electronic Health Record (EHR) and Billing System for Mental Health and Alcohol and Drug Services. The EHR maintains client clinical records and includes demographics, documents, notes, treatment plans, diagnosis, medication prescribing history and also uses this data for billing to Medi-Cal/Medicare and required State Reporting.

The purpose of today's recommended action is to amend the current agreement with Cerner Corporation to correct unintended conflicting language relating to payment terms for the Application Services Provision, with no change to the contract maximum approved by this Board on October 23, 2018 as Amendment No. 7. Health and Human Services Agency will start the implementation project for the new software in April 2019 with a go-live date in May 2020. The need for clarification is due to the fact that the go-live date (when the software is in production and ready to be used by County staff) for implementing the new software will not occur until a date in May 2020. That go-live date becomes the date when the 84 months specified in the Agreement should commence, and the date when the related monthly service payments become payable. This amendment to the Agreement will better match the language in the two sections of the Agreement.

Cerner Corporation is not a local vendor.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Ben Guerrieri