NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Letter

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: JoAnn Melgar for Jennifer Yasumoto - Director
Health & Human Services Administration
REPORT BY: Shelli Brobst, Contracts Manager - 253-4720
SUBJECT: Revenue Agreement with St. Helena Hospital, Inc. ( STEMI Receiving Center)

RECOMMENDATION
Director of Health and Human Services requests approval of and authorization for the Chair to sign a Revenue Agreement (formerly Agreement No. 7663) with St. Helena Hospital, Inc., dba Adventist Health St. Helena for an annual maximum of $15,000 for the term July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022 for St. Helena Hospital to be redesignated as a ST-Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction ( STEMI) Receiving Center.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
Napa County has established an Emergency Medical Services (EMS) system pursuant to Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code and has designated the Napa County Health and Human Services Agency Public Health Division as the local Emergency Medical Services Agency. The EMS Agency wishes to assure the highest quality of care by directing ST-Elevation Myocardial Infarction ( STEMI) heart attack patients to facilities that meet STEMI Receiving Center standards. Approval of this renewal agreement will redesignate St. Helena Hospital as a STEMI Receiving Center pursuant to Section 1797.204 of the Health and Safety Code and the Emergency Medical Services System Plan approved by the California EMS Authority.

FISCAL IMPACT
Is there a Fiscal Impact? Yes
Is it currently budgeted? Yes
Where is it budgeted? Health & Human Services Public Health
Is it Mandatory or Discretionary? Mandatory
Is the general fund affected?  No

Future fiscal impact: The revenue associated with this agreement will be included in the Fiscal Year 2019-20 requested budget, and will be budgeted in future fiscal year appropriately.

Consequences if not approved: If the agreement is not approved, Adventist Health - St. Helena Hospital will not be able to provide needed medical services and the County will not receive the revenue associated with supporting these services.

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

Approval of the recommended renewal agreement will redesignate St. Helena Hospital, Inc. as a STEMI Receiving Center. STEMI facilities and STEMI center designations are part of the Local Emergency Medical Services Agency (LEMSA) system as detailed in the LEMSA plan approved by the EMS Authority. St. Helena Hospital provides STEMI Receiving Center services to any STEMI patient who comes to the emergency department, regardless of the STEMI patient’s ability to pay physician fees and/or hospital costs.

This multi-year agreement from July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2022 will provide the LEMSA $15,000 in funding per fiscal year to help offset expenditures incurred for providing ongoing oversight of the STEMI program.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Ben Guerrieri