

Health & Human Services Agency COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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	AGENDA	DATE:	August 18,	2020
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Public Hearing Required Yes N/A Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk Yes N/A
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SUBJECT:

Authorize the Director of Human Services to sign the Housing

Navigators Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

Authorize the Director of Human Services to sign one (1) copy of the Housing Navigators Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution.

SUMMARY:

The Tulare County Board of Supervisors approved the acceptance of the County allocation award from the State of California, Department of Housing and Community Development for the Housing Navigators Program on April 21, 2020. Subsequent to this approval, the State of California Department of Housing and Community Developing is requesting the Director of Human Services to sign the Housing Navigators Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution.

The State of California, Department of Housing and Community Development ("Department") issued an Allocation Acceptance form, dated February 7, 2020 under the Housing Navigators Program ("HNP" or "Program") for \$5 million authorized by item 2240-103-0001 of section 2.00 of the Budget Act of 2019, as amended by Section 16 of Chapter 363 of the Statutes of 2019 (SB 109).

The funding is distributed by the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) to county child welfare agencies to help young adults who are 18 to 25 years of age secure and maintain housing, with priority given to young adults formerly in the state's foster care or probation systems.

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Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution

DATE: August 18, 2020

Funds shall be used to help young adults who are 18 to 25 years of age secure and maintain housing. Use of funds may include, but are not limited to:

Housing navigator activities may include, but are not limited to:

- 1. Assist young adults aged 18-21 secure and maintain housing (with priority given to young adults in the state's foster care system);
- 2. Provide housing case management which include essential services in emergency supports to foster youth;
- 3. Prevent young adults from becoming homeless; and
- 4. Improve coordination of services and linkages to key resources across the community including those from within the child welfare system and the local Continuum of Care.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

There is no net cost to the General Fund. The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) shall allocate \$64,635 in funding to Tulare County for the purpose of housing stability to help young adults 18 to 25 years secure and maintain housing for fiscal year 19/20.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The Tulare County Strategic Business Plan in the Safety and Security Initiative and the Quality of Life Initiative encourages innovative provision that support services for at-risk adults, youth, and children in state and federally mandated programs. The acceptance of these funds will allow us to help young adults who are 18 to 25 years of age secure and maintain housing.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

<u>/s/Anita Ortiz</u> Anita Ortiz Director of Human Services

cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s): Resolution

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF AUTHORIZE THE DIRECTOR OF HUMAN SERVICES TO SIGN THE HOUSING NAVIGATORS PROGRAM ALLOCATION ACCEPTAL RESOLUTION) Resolution No
UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISC	R, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR	, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OF	FICIAL MEETING HELD
, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	JASON T. BRITT COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BY:	Deputy Clerk
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Authorized the Director of Human Services to sign one (1) copy of the Housing Navigators Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution.

Housing Navigators Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution for County of Tulare

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

County of Tulare

IN THE MATTER OF: Housing Navigators Program RESOLUTION NUMBER:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE COUNTY ALLOCATION AWARD UNDER THE HOUSING NAVIGATORS PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the State of California, Department of Housing and Community Development ("Department") issued an Allocation Acceptance form, dated February 7, 2020 under the Housing Navigators Program ("HNP" or "Program") for \$5 million authorized by item 2240-103-0001 of section 2.00 of the Budget Act of 2019, as amended by Section 16 of Chapter 363 of the Statutes of 2019 (SB 109).

WHEREAS, the Allocation Acceptance form relates to the availability of HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation funds; and

WHEREAS, the County of Tulare was mentioned in the Allocation Acceptance form dated February 7, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors for the County of Tulare does hereby determine and declare as follows:

SECTION 1. That the Applicant is hereby authorized and directed to apply for and accept their HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation award, as detailed in the Allocation Acceptance form, up to the amount authorized the Allocation Acceptance form and applicable state law.

SECTION 2. That Pete Vander Poel, Chairman, Board of Supervisors, or his or her designee, is hereby authorized and directed to act on behalf of County in connection with the HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation award, and to enter into, execute, and deliver any and all documents required or deemed necessary or appropriate to be awarded the HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation award, and all amendments thereto (collectively, the "HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation Award Documents").

SECTION 3. That Applicant shall be subject to the terms and conditions that are specified in the HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation Award Documents, and that Applicant will use the HOUSING NAVIGATORS Allocation award funds in accordance with the Allocation Acceptance form, other applicable rules and laws, the HNP Program Documents, and any and all HNP requirements.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this day of, 20, by the following vote:					
AYES: NOES:	ABSTENTIONS:	ABSENT:			
Signature of Attesting Officer:					
Printed Name and Title of Attesting Officer	·				