

DISCUSSION:

Earlier this year, the California Department of Public Health notified Local Health Jurisdictions that additional, unspent NEOP funding was available. Local Health Jurisdictions who had spent at least 90% of their NEOP funds in Federal Fiscal Year 2015/16 were eligible to apply for the roll-over funds. Solano County was such an agency and so applied for the roll-over funds for the current period through September 30, 2019.

This second contract amendment supports H&SS's Solano Public Health's vision of *Healthy People-Healthy Community*. Vallejo City Unified School District has a long-standing working relationship with Solano Public Health to improve health outcomes for Solano County residents, including Vallejo students.

NEOP works with schools in the Vallejo City Unified School District that have at least half of the students receiving free and reduced school lunch. This second amendment expands health education efforts in Vallejo schools, including nutrition education, physical education, cooking demonstrations, and gardening classes. Furthermore, more in-depth evaluation efforts of the nutrition education classes are included in the second amendment. Vallejo City Unified School District's contract will include \$52,024 in Federal Fiscal Year 2017/18 and \$23,619 in Federal Fiscal Year 2018/19.

Solano Public Health also has contracts in place with Fairfield Suisun Unified School District and Vacaville Unified School District to perform similar activities within their school districts. Next year, the Nutrition Services Bureau in Solano Public Health will work with an additional school district in Solano County.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Board may choose not to approve the contract amendment with Vallejo City Unified School District. This is not recommended because it would prevent the school district from expanding healthy nutrition education to Vallejo students, as well as hinder outcome and evaluation efforts.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

H&SS worked with the County Administrator's Office and County Counsel to develop the contract amendment with Vallejo City Unified School District and secure the revised agreements with California Department of Public Health.

CAO RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE DEPARTMENTAL RECOMMENDATION