



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

August 18, 2020

Present: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Adam, and Supervisor Lavagnino

COMMUNITY SERVICES

File Reference No. 20-00557

RE: Consider recommendations regarding Agreements with United Way of Santa Barbara County to Implement an Emergency Rental Assistance Program and Disaster Assistance Program Utilizing CARES Act Funds, as follows:

a) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute a County Subrecipient Agreement in the amount of \$2,200,000.00, with United Way of Santa Barbara County (United Way), utilizing CARES Act funding for administration and implementation of a rental assistance program that will provide qualifying County residents with emergency rental assistance payments, and a disaster assistance program that will assist County residents who test positive for COVID-19 not return to work until safe; and

b) Determine that the recommended actions are not the acceptance and approval of a project that is subject to environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(4), finding that the project is a creation of government funding mechanisms or other government fiscal activities, which do not involve any commitment to any specific project which may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hartmann, seconded by Supervisor Williams, that this matter be acted on as follows:

a) Approved and authorized; Chair to execute; and

b) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Adam, and Supervisor Lavagnino