



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

August 22, 2023

Present: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

File Reference No. 23-00786

RE: Consider recommendations regarding Fiscal Year 2023-2024 California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) Grant Application Authorization, as follows:

a) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute a Certification of Assurance of Compliance for the following Cal OES grant applications to be submitted during Fiscal Year 2023-2024:

- i) Victim Witness Assistance Program;
- ii) Unserved/Underserved Advocacy Program;
- iii) Child Advocacy Center Program (KC);
- iv) Elder Abuse Program;
- v) County Victim Services (XC); and
- vi) Human Trafficking Advocacy Program;

b) Approve and authorize the District Attorney or designee, to execute a Certification of Assurance of Compliance for the following Cal OES grant applications to be submitted during Fiscal Year 2023-2024:

- i) Victim Witness Assistance Program;
- ii) Unserved/Underserved Advocacy Program;
- iii) Child Advocacy Center Program (KC);
- iv) Elder Abuse Program;
- v) County Victim Services (XC); and
- vi) Human Trafficking Advocacy Program; and

c) Determine that the above actions are exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(4), because they consist 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.



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

- a) i) through vi) Approved and authorized; Chair to execute;
- b) i) through vi) Approved and authorized; and
- c) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino