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Legislation Text

File #: 18-0952, Version: 1

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FUNDING: Risk Management Internal Services Fund.

DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION

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DISCUSSION / BACKGROUND

On June 24, 2014, the Board awarded Request for Proposal (RFP) No. 14-961-054 for the provision of occupational health services, specifically in the areas of pre-employment (post offer) physical examinations, non-DOT reasonable suspicion testing, and fitness-for-duty evaluations and examinations upon request, to the successful proposer, The Permanente Medical Group, Inc. of Oakland, CA.

The initial Agreement approved by the Board (085-S1511) was a two-year term which expired on June 30, 2016. Since the RFP process is in effect for three years, a new Agreement was approved by the Board (048-S1711) for a one-year term with the not to exceed amount of \$175,000. The current Agreement is set to expire June 30, 2018.

Human Resources is requesting to extend the current Agreement beyond the three-year period (for an additional six months - with an expiration date of December 31, 2018) to allow time to initiate a new RFQ process. In extending the current agreement, Human Resources is requesting an additional \$60,000 be added to the amended Agreement.

ALTERNATIVES

The Board could choose to not approve the amendment, and the current agreement would expire on June 20, 2018. However, this may lead to a gap in the availability of occupational health services which could impact the hiring process or other Human Resources functions.

OTHER DEPARTMENT / AGENCY INVOLVEMENT

N/A

CAO RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board approve this item.

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FINANCIAL IMPACT

Costs are budgeted and paid through the Risk Management Internal Services Fund and the remainder is absorbed by departments as part of their pre-employment costs for the period of the contract.

CLERK OF THE BOARD FOLLOW UP ACTIONS

Following Board approval, the Board Clerk will forward one fully executed original of the Agreement to Procurement and Contracts for distribution and administration.

STRATEGIC PLAN COMPONENT

N/A

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