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To: Aaron Albaugh, Chair

Lassen County Board of Supervisors

From: Melody Brawley, Director

Health & Social Services

Subject: Approval of Intergovernmental Transfer Agreements

Background:

As partners with local healthcare providers and with Partnership HealthPlan of California (PHC), the County is eligible to participate in the Intergovernmental Transfer (IGT) process in which the department can pay the state's share of the cost of qualifying healthcare activities performed in FY 15/16 that were not funded, or were only partially funded, by the state's Medi-Cal program in order to claim the federal matching funds. This year, because IGT federal financial participation is ending, the department is also claiming federal matching funds for activities performed in FY 16/17. The department can use these new funds to enhance existing health care activities and/or to implement new activities that increase and facilitate access to healthcare for County residents.

The attached Agreements with The California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) and the Amendment to the Agreement with PHC facilitate the IGT process for all parties. The department anticipates \$594,560 in new revenues as a result of participating in the IGT process.

Fiscal Impact:

There is no fiscal impact to County General Fund. These Agreements will generate additional revenues for Health & Social Services.

Action Requested:

(1) Approve Contract #16-93736 and (2) Contract #16-93746 with the Department of Health Care Services facilitating the IGT process, and (3) Amendment 3 of the Agreement with Partnership HealthPlan of California increasing the managed care capitation rate range, and (4) authorize the Health & Social Services Director to sign the documents on behalf of the County.



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