

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

C-16

For the meeting of: June 20, 2017

Date:

June 9, 2017

To:

Board of Supervisors

From:

Dan Fulks, Director of Human Resources

Subject:

Supplemental Budget for Unemployment Insurance in Fiscal Year 2016-17 (4/5 Vote Required)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors approve the following supplemental budget (4/5 Vote Required) in Fund 3527, Unemployment Insurance Claims:

Revenue:

3527-357-710050

Fund Balance Transfer

\$ 16,555

Expense:

3527357-6100

Claim Payments

\$ 16,555

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Unemployment Insurance Fund Balance

Prepared by Kacy Green	CAO Approval
REVIEW: Auditor County Counsel	Human Resources At the Other
TYPE OF ITEM: X Consent	Upon motion of Supervisor Fennel Seconded by Supervisor
Departmental Public Hearing Other	Ayes Sundberg, Fennell, Bass, Bohn, Wilso Nays Abstain
PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:	Absent
Board Order No	and carried by those members present, the Board hereby approves the recommended action contained in this Board report.
Meeting of:	Dated: June 20, 2017 for thurself
	Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

DISCUSSION:

The Unemployment Insurance budget provides funding for the self-insured unemployment claims and claims administration. Due to an increase in claims during FY 2016-17, the current budget does not have sufficient funds to pay the remainder of the claims. Claims are paid on a quarterly basis and have been paid through December 2016; however, an the final quarterly invoice for FY 2016-17 is \$16,555 over the amount budgeted. Budget increases were implemented for FY 2017-18 to avoid this from happening next year. The recommended supplemental budget will utilize fund balance to cover the unanticipated expense associated to the unpaid premiums.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The supplemental budget utilizes excess revenue in the Unemployment Insurance Fund (3527) which has a current balance of \$922,598. The requested action increases both budgeted revenues and budgeted expenditures by an equal amount of \$16,555, resulting in no net impact to the County's General Fund.

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by providing core services in ways that safeguard the public trust by managing resources to ensure sustainability of services.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: None.

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Board could deny the requested supplemental budget; however, this alternative is not recommended because it would result in appropriations not being sufficient to cover required expenses.

ATTACHMENTS: None