

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 8/21/2018

File #: 18-1106

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Human Resources

SUBJECT:

Compensation Plan for Management & Confidential Employees for Fiscal Years 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors Authorize the Chair of the Board of Supervisors to execute Compensation Plan with the Management & Confidential Employees units for fiscal years 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20; and Adopt Resolution No. _____ (attached) approving the Compensation Plan for Management & Confidential Employees (units 8 & 9) for fiscal years 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

All County Funds

DISCUSSION:

Representatives of the county and the Management & Confidential employee group met and discussed the matters set forth in the attached Compensation Plan for Units 8&9. Human Resources has prepared a Compensation Plan that provides for the following:

- 1. Three year term: July 1, 2017 through and inclusive to June 30, 2020.
- 2. Add one additional holiday (December 24) for 2018 exclusively.
- 3. Base wage adjustment of 2 percent (4 salary ranges) effective the first full pay period following Board of Supervisors approval.
- 4. Base wage adjustment of 2 percent (4 salary ranges) effective the first fully pay period following July 1, 2019
- 5. One-time payment in the amount of \$1,070.00 per employee.
- 6. Permission for donations of paid leave in increments of four (4) hours.
- 7. Increase in option to convert 120 hours of vacation to cash or as a contribution to the county's deferred compensation plan.
- 8. Increase in education reimbursement of \$400 per course or \$800 per fiscal year.
- 9. Addition of On Duty Assignment Pay for individuals assigned by the Chief Probation Officer to on-call responsibilities.
- 10. Addition of On-Call Assignment Pay for individuals assigned by the Director of Health & Human Services to on-call responsibilities.
- 11. Addition of a wellness reimbursement benefit in the amount of \$1,000 per employee per fiscal year.
- 12. Addition of language specific to the ADA Coordinator Certification Incentive Pay.
- 13. Addition of language specific to the Certified Access Specialist Program Incentive Pay.
- 14. Permission for Probation manager to join an existing Retiree Medical Trust.
- 15. Language to provide full service credit for step increases in the event of a voluntary demotion.
- 16. Permission for CAO approval of advanced step increases within 30 days of date of hire.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Overall costs to the General Fund for the term of this MOU are approximately \$1.06 million.

This MOU supports the Board's Strategic Framework by safeguarding public trust through investment in county employees.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

None

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

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The Board could not adopt the proposed Compensation Plan for Management & Confidential employees, however, this is not recommended. This option is not recommended as the management & Confidential Units do not have a current Compensation Plan and all parties would be required to resume discussions.

ATTACHMENTS:

Exhibit A - July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2020 Compensation Plan for designated Management & Confidential Employees Exhibit B - July 1, 2017-June 30, 2020 Compensation Plan for designated management & Confidential Employees in track changes. Exhibit C - Resolution No. _____ approving the July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2020 Compensation Plan for designated Management & Confidential Employees in track changes.

<u>PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:</u> Board Order No.: NA Meeting of: NA