

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Legislation Text

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To: Board of Supervisors

From: First 5

Agenda Section: Consent

SUBJECT:

Allocation of two 1.0 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) Health Education Specialists for First 5 Humboldt, Budget Unit 457

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Allocation of two 1.0 Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Health Education Specialists (class 1595, salary range 393/426) positions in budget unit 457, effective immediately following approval.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Grant funding and Proposition 10: California Children and Families Act tobacco tax funding

DISCUSSION:

First 5 Humboldt, an independent Children and Families Commission, has traditionally offered parent and family support activities to families throughout the county, often through community-based playgroups in partnership with local agencies and non-profit organizations. Grant funding provides First 5 with the opportunity to offer additional child screening, referral and support services through collaboration with community partners.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no financial impact to the County General Fund. Funding will be provided through a combination of grant funding and Proposition 10/California Children and Families Act funding.

STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by protecting vulnerable populations.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

None.

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Board could choose not to allocate the new positions. This is not recommended as it would leave

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out-of-county grant funds unused to serve local needs.

ATTACHMENTS:

First 5 Humboldt Commission minutes of June 21, 2022.

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: None.

Meeting of: None. File No.: None.