



CITY COUNCIL STAFF REPORT



November 1, 2022

ITEM TITLE

Grant Award and Appropriation: Accept Grant Funds from UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine for Shelter Services

Report Number: 22-0296

Location: 130 Beyer Way

Department: Animal Care

Environmental Notice: The activity is not a “Project” as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act State Guidelines; therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3) no environmental review is required.

Recommended Action

Adopt a resolution accepting \$53,000 from UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine on behalf of its Shelter Medicine Program and appropriating funds to the Supplies & Services and Other expense categories in the Other Grant Funds for that purpose. **(4/5 Vote Required)**

SUMMARY

The Animal Care Facility has received a grant award in the amount of \$53,000 to use for shelter services, related to clinics and community outreach at the Chula Vista Animal Care Facility. This grant award needs to be appropriated in the Fiscal Year 2022/23 Budget. Staff requests that \$53,000 be appropriated to the Supplies & Services and Other expense categories in the Other Grant Funds for the Animal Care Facility department budget; this appropriation is fully offset by grant revenues.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

The Director of Development Services has reviewed the proposed activity for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and has determined that the activity is not a “Project” as defined under Section 15378 of the State CEQA Guidelines because it will not result in a physical change in the environment; therefore, pursuant to Section 15060(c)(3) of the State CEQA Guidelines, the activity is not subject to CEQA. Thus, no environmental review is required.

BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Not Applicable

DISCUSSION

The Chula Vista Animal Care Facility received a grant in the amount of \$53,000 from UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine on behalf of its Shelter Medicine Program. These funds will be used to provide 4 outreach clinics; medical staff support, vouchers for qualifying individuals, marketing costs and return to home assistance.

DECISION-MAKER CONFLICT

Staff has reviewed the decision contemplated by this action and has determined that it is not site-specific and consequently, the 500-foot rule found in California Code of Regulations Title 2, section 18702.2(a)(11), is not applicable to this decision for purposes of determining a disqualifying real property-related financial conflict of interest under the Political Reform Act (Cal. Gov't Code § 87100, et seq.).

Staff is not independently aware and has not been informed by any City Council member, of any other fact that may constitute a basis for a decision maker conflict of interest in this matter.

CURRENT-YEAR FISCAL IMPACT

Approval of the resolution will result in the Grant Funds appropriation of \$53,000 in both revenues and expenditures in the Other Grants Fund, resulting in no fiscal impact to the General Fund.

ONGOING FISCAL IMPACT

There is no ongoing fiscal impact.

ATTACHMENTS

None

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