



MARIPOSA COUNTY

Human Resources/Risk Management · (209) 742-1379



RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2016-518

MEETING: September 27, 2016

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Steve Johnson, Human Resources Director - Risk Manager

RE: Agreement with Definiti-Workers' Compensation Bill Review Services

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve an Agreement with Definiti Comp Solutions for professional services for Workers' Compensation medical bill review for a three-year period effective October 1, 2016, through September 30, 2019; and authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to sign the Agreement.

See staff report for justification of this action.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board of Supervisors initially approved an Agreement with Tristar Risk Management Services for administration of the County's Workers' Compensation claims effective July 1, 2006 and continued to approve subsequent agreements for various terms. This Agreement included medical bill review services. The latest agreement terminates on September 30, 2016.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Do not approve this action, however, an Agreement with Definiti Comp Solutions offers the County with clear cost savings potential based on Definiti's review of the County's Workers' Compensation medical bills.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

For fiscal year 2016/2017, the County anticipates a reduction in the Workers' Compensation medical costs as a result of the County's agreement with Definiti.

Sufficient funds for the proposed Agreements are available to cover the costs of the Workers' Compensation program.

ATTACHMENTS:

**Board of Supervisors Staff Report Worker's Compensation Definiti Agreement
September 20, 2016 (DOCX)
Definiti Agreement (PDF)**

CAO RECOMMENDATION

Requested Action Recommended

Mary Hodson
Mary Hodson, CAO 9/22/2016

RESULT: ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor
SECONDER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor
AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Carrier