



Measure O Cycle VIII CHOICE Grant Program Extension

City Council Meeting
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CURRENT

- Current funding from September 1, 2015 – August 31, 2017
- Council approved \$615,965 in funding per year
 - 8 agencies and 9 programs
 - Contracted with 7 agencies and 8 programs for \$603,908 per year
- Postponement of Cycle IX Request for Qualifications (RFQ)

PROPOSED

- Release RFQ in September 2017
- New funding period from January 1, 2018 – December 31, 2019
- Extension of Cycle VIII funded agencies through December 31, 2017, totaling \$201,450.

BENEFIT

- Alignment of RFQ with 2017-2022 Strategic Plan
- Continuation of Measure O funded services for youth and families until Cycle IX begins January 1, 2018

RECOMMENDATION

1. Extend the term for Cycle VIII of the CHOICE grant program from September 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 and approve the corresponding increase in funding, and
2. Authorize the City Manager or designee to approve and execute the amendments with CHOICE Cycle VIII funded agencies, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney