

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS  
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY h  
Urgent     Routine X  
CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES mt NO      
(Information Attached)

BOARD AGENDA # \*B-6  
AGENDA DATE April 10, 2001  
4/5 Vote Required YES     NO ✓

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR THE FOSTER G. MCGAW PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY SERVICE

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. APPROVE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR THE FOSTER G. MCGAW PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY SERVICE.
2. AUTHORIZE THE HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY MANAGING DIRECTOR OR HER DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE AND SUBMIT THE APPLICATION.

FISCAL

IMPACT: Prizes will be awarded in December 2001. There is one first prize of \$100,000 and three second prizes of \$10,000 each. There are no restrictions on the use of prize funds.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2001-247

On motion of Supervisor Blom, Seconded by Supervisor Caruso

and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: Mayfield, Blom, Simon, Caruso, and Chair Paul

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) X Approved as recommended

2)     Denied

3)     Approved as amended

Motion:

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

By: Christine Ferraro Deputy

File No.

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**DISCUSSION:** The Foster G. McGaw Prize for Excellence in Community Service is a nationwide prize that honors health delivery organizations (hospitals, health systems, integrated networks, or self-defined community partnerships) that have demonstrated exceptional commitment to community service. Any health delivery organization that meets the eligibility criteria can apply for the prize, which is one of the most coveted, significant honors in health care. Eligibility criteria include leadership, commitment, partnerships, breadth and depth of initiatives, and community involvement. The application highlights five innovative community service initiatives. Our application seeks to highlight 1) The HEART Coalition of Stanislaus County; 2) Reducing Teen Pregnancy; 3) Building Model Coalitions and Partnerships; 4) Our Approach to the Uninsured; and, 5) The Momobile. Last year's winner of the Foster G. McGaw Prize was the Kaweah Delta Health Care District in Visalia, CA.

**POLICY  
ISSUES:**

The Board of Supervisors approval of this application will recognize Health Services Agency's commitment to our community as well as our eagerness to share our experience and expertise in community service. Award of this prize will affirm Stanislaus County's efforts to be the best county in America.

**STAFFING  
IMPACTS:**

There are no staffing impacts associated with this item.