RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2017-477

MEETING: July 18, 2017

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Eric Sergienko, Health Officer

RE: Approve Agreement with Mountain Valley EMS Agency for FY 2017-2018

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Approve an Agreement with Mountain Valley Emergency Medical Services Agency (MVEMSA) for $7,985 to Accept Authority and Responsibility as the Local EMS Agency for Mariposa County for Fiscal Year 2017-2018; and Authorize the County Health Officer to Sign the Agreement. The amount of the Agreement is calculated using a State allocation formula and the County’s population.

Staff has been satisfied with the quality and value of the services received from Mountain Valley EMS, which include the part-time assistance of an EMS Coordinator in the County.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The Mariposa County Health Department has contracted with Mountain Valley EMS Agency for many years.

On June 28, 2016, the Board of Supervisor approved the formal agreement with MVEMSA for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 with Resolution #2016-329. On July 28, 2015, the Board of Supervisors approved the formal agreement with MVEMSA for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 with Resolution #2015-378.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
1. County may administer EMS services pursuant to State laws and regulations but at considerably greater cost.
2. County may pursue creating a new Joint Power Agency for these services.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
An amount of $7,985 is budgeted within the Health Department 2017-2018 fiscal year proposed budget.

ATTACHMENTS:
Mountain Valley EMSA Cover Letter and Formal Agreement 2017-2018 (PDF)

CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended
RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Rosemarie Smallcombe, District I Supervisor
SECONDER: Miles Menetrey, District V Supervisor
AYES: Rosemarie Smallcombe, Marshall Long, Kevin Cann, Miles Menetrey
EXCUSED: Merlin Jones