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Strategic Plan Update



Corning Healthcare District



ELDER SERVICES Newsletter

No. 24

Summer 2023

A challenge to make 2023 the Summer of Kindness!





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Let's practice kindness

It starts with you! How kind are you to yourself?

PHYSICALLY – soften the body
How do you care for yourself physically (e.g.,
exercise, massage, warm bath, cup of tea)? Can you
think of new ways to release the tension and stress
that builds up in your body?

MENTALLY – reduce agitation

How do you care for your mind, especially when
you're under stress (e.g., meditation, watch a funny
movie, read an inspiring book)? Is there a new
strategy you'd like to try to let your thoughts come
and go more easily?

EMOTIONALLY – soothe and comfort yourself How do you care for yourself emotionally (pet the dog, journal, cook)? Is there something new you'd like to try?

RELATIONALLY – connect with others

How or when do you relate to others in ways that
bring you genuine happiness (e.g., meet with
friends, send a birthday card, play a game)? Is
there any way that you'd like to enrich these
connections?

SPIRITUALLY – commit to your values
What do you do to care for yourself spiritually (pray,
walk in the woods, help others)? If you've been
neglecting your spiritual side, is there anything you'd
like to remember to do?

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In a world where you can be anything, be kind.







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Bringing Health Services to Southern Tehama County



SOME STRANGER
SOMEWHERE
REMEMBERS YOU
BECAUSE
YOU WERE KIND
TO THEM



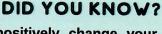
Thankful for Strangers

Thank you for the kindness of strangers Who open doors out of chivalry Male or female Child or adult They open doors for me.

I remember when I was young
I had energy in all my limbs
I laughed heartily
Slept soundly
I went about with a grin.

Now that much of my life is past
It's hope in the young I see
Who are thoughtful
Kind and helpful
To someone a old as me.

~Shirley Engebretsen~



Being kind can positively change your brain. Kindness boosts serotonin and dopamine, which are neurotransmitters in the brain that give you feelings of satisfaction and wellbeing, and cause the pleasure/reward centers in your brain to light up. Endorphins, which are your body's natural pain killer, also can be released.

- Not only does practicing kindness stimulate the production of serotonin, just witnessing acts of kindness produces oxytocin.
- Acts of kindness can help with emotional well-being, make you feel stronger and more optimistic, and increase your feelings of self worth.
- Practicing kindness can increase your energy level and make healthy habits such as diet and exercise more satisfying.
- Kindness can lower levels of anxiety and depression, help you feel calmer, lower your blood pressure, improve your overall heart health, and may even extend your lifespan.
- Kindness can promote inner strength and help you cope with life's challenges.

Find free kindness ideas and resources on the Random Acts of Kindness website:

https://www.randomactsofkindness.org

It's not just how you treat other people — it is also how you extend those same behaviors and intentions to yourself. The Mayo Clinic offers a variety of free, self-guided programs that can improve different aspects of your health and wellness, including kindness.

https://www.mayoclinichealthsystem.org/wellness/kindness

Be kind with your own self talk
Comfort
Soothe
Motivate

Encourage Validate

- The Corning Healthcare District (CHD) Elder Services Program provides health and wellness education, workshops on
 cooking and nutrition, Medicare counseling through HICAP, Diabetes support, and information on a wide variety of issues
 relevant to seniors, including Parkinson's Disease, Alzheimer's, caregiving, falls prevention, personal and home safety,
 emergency preparedness, depression and mental health, suicide prevention, and end of life planning.* We have assisted
 seniors with incontinence supplies, walkers, emergency food, and much more.
- CHD Elder Services also distributes the File of Life refrigerator magnet and personal-size cards free of charge to community members age 50 and over.
- *Disclaimer: Elaine Benwell is not a medical professional. She provides information and support only. She does not diagnose, treat, prescribe, or give medical advice.

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Consider sending an emerging leader from your district to this conference also — it could be the first step in preparing our next generation of special district general managers.

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- DISTRICT ADMINISTRATORS
- DEPARTMENT MANAGERS
- OPERATIONS MANAGERS
- OFFICE MANAGERS
- SUPERVISORS
- FINANCE OFFICERS
- BUSINESS MANAGERS
- LEGAL COUNSEL
- OTHER DISTRICT MANAGEMENT STAFF



SDRMA Credit Incentive Points

Special District Risk Management Authority (SDRMA) is committed to establishing a strategic partnership with our members to provide maximum protection, help control losses and positively impact the overall cost of property/liability and workers' compensation coverage through the Credit Incentive Program. Credit incentive points can be earned based on an agency's attendance at the General Manager Leadership Summit.



The General Manager Leadership Summit qualifies for 25 points of continuing education toward the Special District Leadership Foundation's Certified Special District Manager program. Learn more about the requirements for taking the CSDM examination on page 9.



REGULAR AGENDA

--HVAC ADDITION TO CORNING HEALTH CLINIC

Recommendation:

Approve the purchase and installation of an additional HVAC unit to the Corning Health Clinic

-2023-2024 PRELIMINARY BUDGET

Recommendation:

Approve changes to the Preliminary 2023-2024 Budget

- APPROVAL OF FINAL AMBULANCE GRANT REPORT

Recommendation:

Approve the final grant report and payment



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Estimate

April 18th, 2023

Corning Health Care District 155 Solano Street Corning, CA 96021 824-5451 or 774-7467 Tina

Re: 155 Solano Street, Corning, CA

Install 1 Mitsubishi 20,000 BTU 20 SEER duct free split heat pump.

w/1 - 12,000 BTU Ceiling head for Medical Clean Room.

Attach head from Dental Clean Room.

Model# MXZ-2C20NA4-U1
MLZ-KP12NA2-U1

TOTAL: \$ 10,983.85

Price includes: Installation, electrical, tax and prevailing wage labor.

Standard Warranty: 1 year labor, 12 year parts.

-The owner/renter of above property takes full responsibility for any lead or asbestos that may exist in the dwelling if it was built before 1981.

Frank Bickley, Owner Date Customer Signature Date

PRELIMINARY 2023-2024 BUDGET

CHD 2023-2024 Preliminary Budget		
Investment Income	\$ 22,000.00	
Checking Interest	\$ 25.00	
Assessment Income	\$ 462,000.00	
Rental Income	\$ 246,000.00	
Total Income	,	\$ 730,025.00
Payroll	\$ 190,000.00	
Health Insurance	\$ 58,620.00	
Work Comp Insurance	\$ 3,350.00	
Training	\$ 5,000.00	
Total Employee Expense	·	\$ 256,970.00
Public Education Material	\$ 3,800.00	
Admin Legal	\$ 16,000.00	
Office Supplies	\$ 4,800.00	
Advertising	\$ 3,600.00	
Audit	\$ 11,000.00	
Election	\$ 13,000.00	
Admin Other	\$ 9,000.00	
Total Admin Expense	,	\$ 61,200.00
Electric Utility	\$ 48,000.00	
Water	\$ 6,350.00	
Telecom	\$ 16,000.00	
Garbage	\$ 3,500.00	
Maintenance and Repair	\$ 24,000.00	
Outside services	\$ 69,000.00	
Special Projects	\$ 24,000.00	
Fire & Liability Insurance	\$ 29,600.00	
Total Facility Expense	·	\$ 220,450.00
Total Expense		\$ 538,620.00
Operating Profit		\$ 191,405.00
USDA Interest		\$ 52,713.00
Depriciation		\$ 131,456.00
Net Income		\$ 7,236.00

Preliminary 2023-2024 Phased Cash Budget

APPROVAL OF FINAL AMBULANCE GRANT REPORT

Contract Number: 22-01	Grantee: MERCY FOUNDATION NORTH			
Contact Name: Delcie Strahan				
Project Name: St. Elizabeth's Hosp	ital's Mobile Life Su	pport Unit Tehan	na County Ambulance Project	
Contract Term: One year commenc	ing July 1, 2022	Contract End Date: June 30, 2023		
Funding Requested: \$100,000.00	Funding Awards	ed: \$100,000.00	Awarded Materials Cost: \$100,000.00	

Grantee Responsibilities

For the above referenced grant final report, please provide the following:

- Details of where the asset was acquired.
- Detailed description of acquired asset.
- Copies of all vendor invoices to Mercy Foundation North related to acquired asset.
- Copies of all payments made by Mercy Foundation North related to acquired asset.
- Copy of activity statistics for acquired asset since service deployment, excluding all information that could be construed as personal, medical, or confidential.

Please submit report by June 30, 2023

GRANTEE:	CORNING HEALTHCARE DISTRICT:
Delcie Strahan Delcie Strahan	Winnel Down President of the Board of Directors, Yvonne Boles
Grantee Tax ID Number- <u>94-3136799</u>	0-10-20 Date

Remit To Location: Invoice: Invoice Amount: Discount Amount: Net Payable: Taxable Amount: Tax Amount: Paid Amount: Tax Adjust:	LEADER INDUSTRIES 117335 0 Invoice 101,301.90 USD 0.00 101,301.90 92,522.00 6,939.15 Tax Code 101,301.90
Approved: Payment Number: Invoice Date: Due Date: Voucher: Purchase Order: Return Reference Nbr:	1425866 EFT RECONCILE 06/30/2022 Payment Date: 07/19/2022 07/15/2022 NT15 49305366

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COMPANY NUMBER

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COMPANY NAME AND ADDRESS

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07/01/2022

07/01/2023

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	Unit Price P	er Quote					
			Sub-Total			\$	92,522.00
			Sales Tax @ CA Tire Fee Estimated DMV I Delivery Fees	7.50% Fees			6,939.15 8.75 1,132.00 700
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS!

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Corning Healthcare District 2022 Ambulance Grant Final Report

Mercy Foundation North (MFN) and St. Elizabeth Community Hospital (SECH) are thrilled to share that the Corning Healthcare District grant funded ambulance was received from Leader Industries far ahead of schedule in August 2022 and put into service for emergency calls the following month. This ambulance is a 2022 Ford Transit-250 Base Van with a 3.5L 6 Cylinder GAS 99G Turbo Charged engine. Prior to being put into service, the ambulance was outfitted with over \$3,000 in equipment and treatments. In an effort to be the best steward of our resources, a majority of equipment and supplies for the rig were moved from a decommissioned ambulance.

Since September 2022, this specific ambulance has responded to 1,168 emergency calls and has been driven a total of 44,917 miles throughout Tehama and the surrounding counties. In terms of South County specific emergency calls, SECH's Mobile Life Support Unit (MLSU) team responded to a total of 2,336 calls with 341 of those responded to by this ambulance. The new ambulance has responded to 15% of all South County calls since it has been in service. SECH has an ambulance fleet of 10 that can respond to emergency calls and this rig is one of the most responsive.

This ambulance's impact extends far beyond its presence in South County. Its integration into the SECH MLSU ambulance fleet reduces the burden placed on the entire fleet and extends the life of each rig. This reduces maintenance costs and improves the usability of all the rigs. Furthermore, this rig became a quick favorite of the MLSU team and is often appreciated for its state of the art technology and safety features. Teresa Davis, our MLSU Supervisor, shared, "There is nothing like having a new ambulance. Staff always want to be in this rig because it is so reliable, it handles well and they feel safe driving it. It helps to boost morale in the department but most of all, it allows us to continue to give our patient care in the comfort only a new ambulance can bring."

Lastly, this ambulance has become one of our go-to rigs for community outreach. So far it has been driven in the Corning Hometown Christmas Lighted Parade, the Downtown Red Bluff Christmas parade, and the Red Bluff Round-Up Parade. In each of these events Corning Healthcare District's generosity was highlighted. Thank you so much for your support in bringing this ambulance to Tehama County. It has already made a significant difference in our community and it will continue to do so for years to come.





