

RESOLUTION NO. 22-176

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF  
VENTURA  
TO APPLY FOR A FARMWORKER RESOURCE CENTER GRANT PROGRAM, TO  
AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF RELATED GRANT AGREEMENTS AND TO  
COMMIT MATCHING FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$208,250**

**WHEREAS**, the State of California, Health and Human Services Agency, Department of Community Services and Development (CSD) issued a Notice of Funding Availability on November 15, 2022, for the Farmworker Resource Center Grant Program, which was authorized on September 22, 2021, by Assembly Bill 941 (Bennett, Chapter 203).

**WHEREAS**, the CSD Farmworker Resource Center Grant Program intends to fund three programs that support the establishment or expansion of Farmworker Resource Centers to provide access to services and programs designed to address the needs of farmworkers and their families.

**WHEREAS**, Assembly Bill 941 mandates that grant funding recipients must provide matching funds equal to 25 percent of the grant funding.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors for the County of Ventura does determine and declare as follows:

1. The County of Ventura has a Farmworker Resource Program that provides access to services and programs designed to address the needs of farmworkers and their families, including, but not limited to: assistance filing documents with state or local agencies; referrals to legislative offices or community-based organizations; resources and information regarding programs related to labor and employment rights, education, housing, utilities, immigration, and health and human services, such as, food security, mental health, and childcare assistance; and other information and services as needed.
2. The County of Ventura Human Services Agency Director is authorized to apply for the CSD Farmworker Resource Center Grant Program in the amount of \$833,000, and to accept funding and to execute any related grant agreements and required documents with CSD, subject to County Executive Office and County Counsel review and approval.

3. The County of Ventura Board of Supervisors commits the amount of \$208,250 in matching local funds for the Farmworker Resource Center Grant Program, which is 25% of the grant funding, upon the award of the grant in the amount of \$833,000.

Upon motion of Supervisor Long, seconded by Supervisor Huber, and duly carried, the Board hereby approves and adopts this resolution on the 13th day of December, 2022.

  
Chair, Board of Supervisors  
County of Ventura

ATTEST: DR. SEVET JOHNSON  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
County of Ventura, State of California.

By: Don Ky  
Deputy Clerk of the Board

