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**Meeting Location:
County of Fresno
Board of Supervisors Chambers
2281 Tulare Street, #301
Fresno, CA 93721**

AGENDA DATE: February 17, 2023

ITEM NUMBER: Item 9

SUBJECT: Receive Consultant's Report on Community Medical Center (CMC) Claim Treatment During Anthem Non-Contract Status and Approve Modified Arrangement with Anthem for EPO and PPO Claims Payment During the Time in Which No Provider Contract is in Force Between Anthem and CMC (A)

REQUEST(S): That the Board approve a direct contract arrangement with CMC with a retroactive effective date of January 1, 2023, throughout the duration of time during which no provider contract is in force between Anthem and CMC and that an RFP for medical and prescription drug coverage be completed and implemented for the 2024 plan year.

DESCRIPTION:

CMC terminated the Anthem network contract effective January 1, 2023. Anthem and CMC have been unsuccessful in reaching an agreement on the contract. CMC has agreed to allow SJVIA to have a direct provider contract with CMC and allow Anthem to administer the contract while CMC and Anthem negotiate and finalize a new provider contract.

It is further requested that the SJVIA conduct a Request For Proposal (RFP) for medical/prescription drug coverage for the 2024 plan year. In conjunction with the RFP, proposals will be sent to SJVIA-Admin email address. An SJVIA Staff/Board Ad-Hoc Committee will be implemented to assist during the RFP process. The Prescription Drug coverage proposals be reviewed by an independent consultant, as well as Keenan (SJVIA consultant), HUB (County of Fresno's consultant), and Alliant (County of Tulare's consultant).

AGENDA: San Joaquin Valley Insurance Authority

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FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

CMC direct contract fiscal impact to be determined based on final pricing reached with Anthem and CMC. RFP to be determined based on proposals.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:



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