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**Meeting Location:  
 County of Tulare  
 Board of Supervisors Chambers  
 2800 W. Burrel Avenue  
 Visalia, CA 93291**

**AGENDA DATE:** December 11, 2020

**ITEM NUMBER:** Item 15

**SUBJECT:** Approve Recommendation to Suspend the Anthem Disease Management Program for the 2021 Plan Year (A)

**REQUEST(S):** That the Board approve suspending the Anthem Disease Management Program for the 2021 plan year.

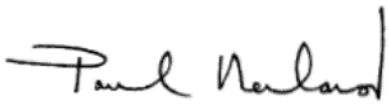
**DESCRIPTION:**

The 2021 Anthem renewal identified its disease management program as a wellness fee. Keenan prepared the 2021 renewal absent the wellness fee after confirming with SJVIA staff that SJVIA does not pay a wellness fee to Anthem. SJVIA staff recommends excluding the fee for 2021, citing lack of participation and success of the program. Keenan and staff will review disease management options during the 2021 year and provide disease management program options for the SJVIA Board to consider for 2022.

**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:**

\$1.11 per employee per month for an annual total of \$92,214.

**ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**

  
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 Paul Nerland  
 SJVIA Manager

  
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 Lupe Garza  
 SJVIA Assistant Manager