

From: [Bilinski, Jenna \(DPH\)](#)
To: [Wong, Linda \(BOS\)](#)
Cc: [Wong, Greg \(DPH\)](#)
Subject: RE: BOS File No. 210499 - A&E Grant - Retroactive - Transform Mental Behavioral Health Fund
Date: Monday, June 14, 2021 11:35:36 AM

From: Bilinski, Jenna (DPH)
Sent: Monday, June 14, 2021 9:52 AM
To: Wong, Linda (BOS) <linda.wong@sfgov.org>
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Language to include regarding retroactive approval:

We are respectfully requesting retroactive approval to accept and expend these funds. DPH received the memoranda of understanding (MOU) on February 2, 2021 for a program start date of October 1, 2020. Upon receiving the MOU, DPH packaged the legislation for introduction on May 4, 2021. As the program start date is before the date of receipt, we must ask for retroactive approval.

Jenna Bilinski, RN, MBA

From: Wong, Linda (BOS) <linda.wong@sfgov.org>
Sent: Saturday, June 12, 2021 11:17 AM
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Hello Jenna,

As you are aware, your following item was heard in Budget & Finance Committee on June 9, 2021, and forwarded to the full Board on June 15, 2021:

- **File No. 210499** - Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - San Francisco General Hospital Foundation - Transform Mental Behavioral Health Fund - \$925,000

This legislation authorizes “retroactive” approval. Due to the full Board’s concerns regarding “retroactive” approvals, please make sure you - or a department representative - will be in attendance to answer any questions or concerns when the full Board considers this matter.

If you would like to include additional written explanation regarding the “retroactive”

approval, please forward to me and I will disseminate to the Members and include in the legislative file.

Thank you for your continued collaboration on the legislative process.

Best,

Linda Wong

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