

County Health Care Funding Resolution Committee (Committee)

Purpose: Section 17600.60 of the Welfare and Institutions Code

1. Hear and determine historical amounts and percentages
2. Hear and determine petitions to change from the 60/40 to the County Savings Determination Formula.
3. Hear and determine petitions for an alternative cost calculation

Members:

1. One person selected by the California State Association of Counties (CSAC)
Rene Santiago
Deputy County Executive, Santa Clara County
Director, Santa Clara Valley Health and Hospital System
Alternate:
Kelly Brooks Lindsey
Senior Legislative Representative, California State Association of Counties
2. One person selected by the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS)
Mari Cantwell
Chief Deputy Director of Health Care Programs, Department of Health Care Services
3. One person selected by the Department of Finance (DOF)
Matt Paulin
Program Budget Manager, Department of Finance

Timeline:

- January 31, 2014 – Petition form must be developed by the Committee (17600.60)
- February 28, 2014 – Counties' deadline for submitting petitions to the Committee (17612.3 & 17613.3)
- The Committee must issue a final determination within 45 days of the petition (17612.3 & 17613.3)

County Petition Process - Historical Amounts and Percentages:

1. County sends petition form and CDs of the county's data to all appropriate committee members. (via US mail, not electronically) The official start of the 45 days will commence when Finance receives a copy of the petition.
2. Committee members then share the information with their designated analytical teams to prepare briefings.
3. Finance coordinates a meeting for the county to be heard by the Committee. Hearing will take place at CSAC.
4. Committee hearing with county.
5. Committee then hears the analytical team's findings.
6. Committee confers on a determination.
7. Finance drafts a letter (joint letter) with the Committee's determination for signature by the committee chairperson. Chairperson to be agreed upon by the committee members.
8. Finance sends the final determination letter to the County and copies to the Committee.
9. DHCS retains official record of Committee determinations.