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Title: Vote on a request to approve process changes for fees in the Health Department.

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Vote on a request to approve process changes for fees in the Health Department.

Action Requested: Vote on a request to approve Clinical Charges Formulary

Introduction & Background: Currently fees are set and remain fixed throughout the year, regardless of the agency's fluctuating costs. A formulary approach would give the agency the flexibility to adjust charges as medical supplies cost vary.

Discussion & Analysis: The Health Department is requesting to modify "Clinic Charges" from a flat, set fee methodology to a formulary approach beginning in fiscal year 19-20. This mechanism would also allow the agency flexibility to add additional services throughout the year, and assign a charge.

How does this relate to the Comprehensive Plan: The Board of Health has reviewed this methodology in detail and voted to approve the request.

Budgetary Impact: No Local Funding Requested

Recommendation: Vote on a request to approve Clinical Charges Formulary