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Hello, Supervisors,

I am writing to you to ask you to vote "No" on the attached Agenda Item 7: Acceptance of Non-Competitive Award Allocated by the California Department of Public Health. It seems like an innocuous agenda item, until you get to the middle of page three. If the County accepts this money from the State, it must try to accomplish the following goals:

- raise COVID-19 vaccination rates in the County Department of Public Health by 10%,
- raise COVID-19 vaccination rates in schools to 50% of students and 75% of faculty,
- raise COVID-19 vaccination rates in the county from 63% to 75%, and
- assist the 9 lowest vaccinated zip codes to achieve at least 50% vaccination over the next two years of this grant.

The County should stop accepting money from the corrupt State Department of Public Health to increase COVID-19 vaccinations, especially in kids. This is the same state agency that was behind the lockdowns last year that destroyed countless small businesses, the school closures that harmed thousands of kids in this state, and the firing of healthcare workers needed to fight the pandemic. It is time the County started distancing itself from the State's terrible policies. Anyone who wants to get the shot can do so. Enough coercion. Enough pressure. Enough incentivizing.

Prior to the board meeting, I encourage you to watch the following clip of Mr. Lucchini discussing why kids should receive the COVID vaccine: <https://www.yourcentralvalley.com/news/local-news/fresno-countys-top-health-official-believes-only-30-of-parents-will-get-their-kids-vaccinated-before-the-state-mandate-sets-in/>. Around the 6:00 mark, he struggles to explain why kids should receive the vaccine, after admitting no kids in Fresno County have died from COVID. His insinuation that it prevents infection and transmission is not based in reality and is highly irresponsible. Keep this in mind as he presents this agenda item to you on Tuesday.

Sincerely,

Will Jackson