# City of Hesperia STAFF REPORT

DATE: March 17, 2020

TO: Mayor and Council Members

Chair and Commissioners, Community Development Commission

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SUBJECT: Amendment to Agreement with RA Cohan Commercial Real Estate Services

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION

It is recommended that City Council and Commissioners of the Hesperia Community Development Commission (HCDC) approve and authorize an amendment for an additional \$12,000 to Agreement 2017-18-053 with RA Cohan Commerical Real Estate Services (RA Cohan), for a total not-to-exceed contract of \$62,000.

## **BACKGROUND**

In January 2018, the Economic Development Department contracted with RA Cohan for his professional relationships and expertise in the commercial brokerage industry to assist the department with attraction efforts in the retail industry.

## **ISSUES/ANALYSIS**

Currently there are not enough funds on the contract to pay RA Cohen for the time left on the contract. Funding in the amount of \$12,000 will pay consultant through the termination of their Agreement on June 30, 2020.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT**

Sufficient budget exists in the FY 2019-20 Budget.

#### **ALTERNATIVE(S)**

1. Provide alternative direction to staff.

#### ATTACHMENT(S)

None.

