

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
and for Special Districts, Agencies and Authorities Governed by the Board

Adopted this Resolution on 09/07/2021 by the following vote:

John Gioia
Candace Andersen
AYE: 5 **Diane Burgis**
Karen Mitchoff
Federal D. Glover

NO:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:
RECUSE:



Resolution No. 2021/254

In The Matter Of: California Department of Social Services, Resource Family Approval Program

WHEREAS, the Resource Family Approval (RFA) Program is a new unified, family-friendly and child-centered caregiver approval process created to replace multiple processes; and WHEREAS, it is a streamline set of standards for resource family approval which allows safety, permanence and well-being of the children who have been victims of child abuse an neglect; and WHEREAS, it decreases the length of time for each child to obtain permanency; and WHEREAS, California Department of Social Services (CDSS) will provide legal consultation and psychosocial assessment which are necessary to expedite the delivery of services to children and non-minor dependents who reside or may reside in an approved resource family home.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved: The Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors approve and authorized the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee to execute a non-financial contract with the California Department of Social Services to provide legal services associated with the Resource Family Approval Program for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2024.

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

Contact: C. Youngblood 925-608-4964

ATTESTED: September 7, 2021

Monica Nijo, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Stacey M Boyd
By: Stacey M. Boyd, Deputy

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