



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services
Date: January 8, 2013

Subject: Novation Contract #24-409-31 with The West Contra Costa Youth Services Bureau

RECOMMENDATION(S):

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Novation Contract #24-409-31 with The West Contra Costa Youth Services Bureau, a non-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$3,044,063, to provide wraparound services and Y-Team Collaborative for Severely Emotionally Disturbed (SED) children, for the period from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013. This Contract includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2013, in an amount not to exceed \$1,522,032.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This Contract is funded 50% by Federal Financial Participation and 50% County Mental Health Realignment. (No rate increase)

BACKGROUND:

This Contract meets the social needs of County's population by providing child-family team facilitators and other wraparound services to families of children with serious emotional and behavioral disturbances; facilitates multi-agency collaborative service delivery; and minimizes the need for crisis services and involvement with the Juvenile Justice System.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **01/08/2013** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
Mary N. Piepho, District III Supervisor
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor

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.

ATTESTED: January 8, 2013

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Carrie Del Bonta, Deputy

Contact: Cynthia Belon,
957-5201

On January 10, 2012, the Board of Supervisors

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

approved Novation Contracts #24-409-30, #74-306-6 and #74-320-6, with The West Contra Costa Youth Services Bureau, for the period from July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012, each Contract included a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2012, for the provision of mental health services to SED children.

Approval of Novation Contract #24-409-31 combines similar children's specialty mental health services, replaces the automatic extension under the prior Contracts, and allows the Contractor to continue providing services, through June 30, 2013.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, there will be fewer intensive services in West Contra Costa County if the County solicits and engages an alternate contractor, which could result in higher levels of care.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This program supports the following Board of Supervisors community outcomes: Children ready for and succeeding in school; Families that are safe, stable, nurturing; and Communities that are safe and provide a high quality of life for children and families. Expected outcomes include all goals identified by Children's Statewide System of Care guidelines including an increase in positive social and emotional development as measured by the Child and Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale (CAFAS) and decreased use of acute care system.