Contra Costa County

To: **Board of Supervisors**

From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director

Date: June 9, 2015

Subject: Contract with California State University, Fresno Foundation

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute a contract with California State University Fresno Foundation, a Non-Profit Corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$671,457 (\$223,819 annually for three years) to provide Title IV E training for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

FISCAL IMPACT:

\$671,457.00 (\$223,819 annually for three years): 75% Federal Foster Care Title IV-E Funding (CFDA 93.658), State 2011 Realignment 17.5%; County 7.5%.

BACKGROUND:

Foster Care Title IV-E provides funds to assist with the cost of foster care maintenance for eligible children; administrative costs to manage the program; and training for public agency staff, foster parents, and certain private agency staff. The Employment and Human Service Department is contracting with California State University Fresno Foundation, a Non-Profit Corporation, to provide staff training. This program will enhance professional skills and knowledge; increase cultural awareness and responsiveness of staff; increase staff's knowledge on the

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№ REC	COMMENDATION OF CNT	TY ADMINISTRATOR RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE	
Action of Board On: 06/09/2015 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER			
Clerks Notes:			
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS			
AYE:	John Gioia, District I Supervisor		
	Candace Andersen, District II 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.	
	Mary N. Piepho, District III	ATTESTED: June 9, 2015	
	Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	
ABSENT:	Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Chris Heck, Deputy	
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application of new laws and regulations in child welfare.	

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

This project supports Contra Costa County and Children and Family Services (CFS) program mandates and initiatives and meets the training needs required to implement these initiatives.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Important training will not be provided to CFS staff.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This contract supports all of the community outcomes established in the Children's Report Card: 1) "Children Ready for and Succeeding in School"; 2) "Children and Youth Healthy and Preparing for Productive Adulthood"; 3) "Families that are Economically Self Sufficient"; 4) "Families that are Safe, Stable and Nurturing"; and 5) "Communities that are Safe and Provide a High Quality of Life for Children and Families," by providing training to CFS staff to support these outcomes.