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Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director

Date: July 21, 2015

Subject: Contra Costa County Office of Education In-School and Out-of-School Youth Development

#### **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, on behalf of the Workforce Development Board (WDB), to execute a contract with Contra Costa County Office of Education in an amount not to exceed \$750,000 for Workforce Investment Act (WIA) In-School and Out-of-School Youth Services for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

\$750,000 No County Costs; 100% Federal Workforce Investment Act Youth Funding.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

In March 2014 the Employment and Human Services Department, on behalf of the Workforce Development Board of Contra Costa (WDB) and The Youth Council, awarded contracts under Request for Proposal #1134 for in-school, out-of-school, and follow-up youth services as mandated by the Workforce Investment Act (WIA). The Youth Council and WDB awarded one of three contracts to Contra Costa County Office of Education for the provision of comprehensive Workforce Investment Act (WIA) youth development services to 116 eligible in-school and out-of-school youth ages 16 to 21 years

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▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR							
Action of	Board On: <b>07/21/2015</b>	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 Supervisor	ATTESTED: July 21, 2015					
	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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## **BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)**

old who are most in need, including Foster youth, Homeless youth, and other in-risk youth. CCCOE will partner with the Chavez Center to deliver services to out-of-school youth in the Reconnecting Youth to Their Futures category in Central County. Youth Development Services (YDS) and the Chavez Center will provide a broad range of case management, coordinated services and skill development opportunities that promote educational goals both in attainment of diploma/GED and certificates in industry-recognized sectors. YDS will connect with the career pathways and career technical education in each district and provide avenues for students to connect and thrive. (#18-356-1)

## **CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

In-School and Out-of-School Youth will not receive assistance in overcoming barriers to employment, job readiness, educational programs, or career training.

# CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

The contract supports all five 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 training and providing employment opportunities for youth.