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Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director
Date: July 24, 2018

Subject: Contract with A Step Forward Child Abuse Treatment and Training Programs, a Marriage, Family and Child Counseling Corporation

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute a contract with A Step Forward Child Abuse Treatment and Training Programs, a Marriage, Family and Child Counseling Corporation, a for-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$200,000 to provide mental health services to non-Medi-Cal eligible clients for the period August 1, 2018 through July 31, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The contract is funded 70% with State revenue and 30% with County General Fund.

BACKGROUND:

A Step Forward Child Abuse Treatment and Training Programs, a Marriage, Family and Child Counseling Corporation provides mental health services to non-Medi-Cal eligible clients of Employment and Human Services Department (EHSD), as well as non-Medi-Cal reimbursable services determined appropriate and authorized by the EHSD Children and Family Services Bureau (CFS) for Medi-Cal eligible clients. The contract includes compliance with certification requirements, maintaining and compliance with contractor's County mental health services contract, compliance with reporting requirements,

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **07/24/2018** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
Diane Burgis, 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: July 24, 2018

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

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coordination with other County services, and maintaining quality of service.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If not approved, EHSD's ability to provide mental health services to non-Medi-Cal clients will be hindered.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This contract supports four 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"; 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 mental health services to non-Medi-Cal eligible clients.