



Contra  
Costa  
County

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: September 11, 2018

Subject: Novation Contract #74-402-8 with Aspiranet

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County, Novation Contract #74-402-8 with Aspiranet, a non-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$265,226 to provide Therapeutic Behavioral Services (TBS) for children and youth up to 21 years of age with high-risk behavior, for the period July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, which includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2019, in an amount not to exceed \$132,613.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This contract is funded 50% by Federal Medi-Cal and 50% by Mental Health Realignment. (Rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

On June 13, 2017, the Board of Supervisors approved Novation Contract #74-402-7 with Aspiranet to provide TBS for children and young adults up to 21 years of age with high-risk behavior who have been placed in group homes in Stanislaus County and to clients residing in facilities in Contra Costa County, for the period from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, which included a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2018.

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☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **09/11/2018** ☒ 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: September 11, 2018

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

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By: June McHuen, Deputy



### BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of Novation Contract #74-402-8 replaces the automatic extension under the prior contract and allows the contractor to continue providing services through June 30, 2019.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, clients requiring TBS services will not have access to the contractor's services, which may result in a reduction in the levels of service to the community.

### CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This program supports the following Board of Supervisors' community outcomes: "Families that are Safe, Stable, and Nurturing"; and "Communities that are Safe and Provide a High Quality of Life for Children and Families". Expected program outcomes include an increase in positive social and emotional development as measured by the Child and Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale (CAFAS).