



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director
Date: September 8, 2020

Subject: Grant Award #28-701-8 from the U. S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, Runaway and Homeless Youth Transitional Living Program funding

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute Grant Award #28-701-8 (State #90CX7276-03-00) from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for the Children and Families, Family and Youth Services Bureau, to pay County an amount not to exceed \$200,000 for the operation of a transitional housing program for homeless young adults, for the period from September 30, 2020 through September 29, 2021.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This Award will allow County to receive an amount not to exceed \$200,000 from the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for the operation of a transitional housing program for homeless young adults. A \$32,400 match is required by the County.

BACKGROUND:

On May 26, 2020, the Board of Supervisors approved Grant Award #28-701-7 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for the Children and

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD
COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **09/08/2020** ☒ 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 8, 2020

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

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

Contact: Lavonna Martin,
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Families (ACF), Family and Youth Services Bureau, for funding through the Transitional Living Program for Runaway and Homeless

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Youth to support Appian House Transitional Housing Program for youth ages 18-21 in Contra Costa County for the period from September 30, 2019 through September 29, 2020.

Approval of Grant Award #28-701-8 will allow for additional funding to support housing, educational and vocational opportunities, and life skills to homeless young people, that will enable them to become self-sufficient, productive adults, through September 29, 2021.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, the transitional living program would be required to operate at reduced capacity, displacing youth back into homelessness.