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Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: March 2, 2021

Subject: Contract #74-622 with Paradise Adolescent Homes, Inc.

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Contract #74-622 with Paradise Adolescent Homes, Inc., a non-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$110,000, to provide a Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program (STRTP) for Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (SED) youth, for the period from January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021, which includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2021, in an amount not to exceed \$110,000.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this contract will result in budgeted annual expenditures of up to \$220,000 and will be funded by 50% Federal Medi-Cal (\$110,000) and 50% Mental Health Realignment Funds (\$110,000) revenues.

**BACKGROUND:**

This contract meets the social needs of county's population by providing mental health services to youth with emotional and behavioral problems to improve school performance, reduce unsafe behavioral practices, and reduce the need for out-of-home placements. Expected program outcomes include an increase in positive social and emotional

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY  
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD  
COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **03/02/2021** ☒ 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: March 2, 2021

Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

development as measured by the Child and Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale (CAFAS).

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Under Contract #74-622, the contractor will provide STRTP services to SED youth for the period January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021, which includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2021.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, SED youth requiring STRTP services will not have access to the contractor's services.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This program supports the following Board of Supervisors' community outcomes: (1) Children Ready for and Succeeding in School; (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.