



Contra  
Costa  
County

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Esa Ehmen-Krause, County Probation Officer  
Date: July 13, 2021

Subject: Interagency Agreements with the Cities of Richmond, Pittsburg and San Ramon for MHET Services

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Chief Probation Officer, or designee, to execute Interagency Agreements with the Cities of Richmond, Pittsburg and San Ramon, for an aggregate amount not to exceed \$473,313 (\$157,771 each) for the City Police Departments to provide Mental Health Evaluation Team police services for the period of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

100% State Public Safety Realignment (AB 109).

**BACKGROUND:**

The Contra Costa Police Chief's Association has three (3) positions that have been dedicated to provide Mental Health Evaluation Team (MHET) services. These officers participate in coordinated efforts of handing potentially "high risk" dangerous persons with mental health issues and physically aggressive, combative behaviors towards police and others in the community. Each officer is partnered with a mental health clinician with the goal of reducing conflicts and guiding the person toward appropriate services.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **07/13/2021** ☒ 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: July 13, 2021

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

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**CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

Without approval, agreements for MHET services will not be issued for these cities.