



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: September 7, 2021

Subject: Approval of Grant Agreement #28-959-1 with the California Board of State and Community Corrections Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Grant

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

ADOPT Resolution No. 2021/255 approving and authorizing the Health Services Director, or Behavioral Health Director as designee, to execute Grant Agreement #28-959-1 with the California Board of State and Community Corrections for the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Grant Program, in an amount not to exceed \$500,000 for the implementation of Substance Use Disorders (SUD) treatment at the West County Detention Facility for inmates diagnosed with a SUD, for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this agreement will allow the State to pay the County an amount not to exceed \$500,000 for the RSAT Program for FY 2021-2022. (43% County match in an amount not to exceed \$217,185 is required)

**BACKGROUND:**

The California Board of State and Community Corrections, the designated state administrative agency for the RSAT Program, which is federally funded through Bureau of Justice Assistance. The RSAT Program assists states and local governments in developing

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☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY  
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD  
COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **09/07/2021** ☒ 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: September 7, 2021

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

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

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cc:

and implementing substance use disorder treatment programs in state, local, and tribal correctional and detention facilities, and supports efforts to create and maintain community-based aftercare services for offenders. Historically, the California RSAT Program has funded local detention facilities to provide in-custody treatment services with an aftercare component requirement placed on the grantees.

## BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

This program allows for the implementation SUD treatment at the West County Detention facility for inmates diagnosed with a SUD along with resources and information about recovery and treatment, with the ultimate goal of reducing recidivism. An additional twenty-four (24) inmates who are post-sentence, have at least 3 months in custody remaining, and are assessed as high needs, will be provided with three months of substance use treatment while in custody, placement and rent at a sober living environment for up to six months upon release, including ongoing outpatient case management, substance abuse treatment and medication assisted treatment. The project will fill in the gap in SUD treatment options in the Contra Costa County Detention System and create a robust network of treatment options and programs for people transitioning back into society. The provision of substance use treatment post-release will be provided through a network of community-based Drug Medi-Cal certified providers that operate under the Drug Medi-Cal Organized Delivery System (DMC-ODS) Plan.

On April 20, 2021, the Board of Supervisors approved Grant Application #28-959 with the California Board of State and Community Corrections for the RSAT Program. On July 13, 2021, the Department received the grant agreement to accept the funds and implement the RSAT Program through June 30, 2022.

This agreement includes an obligation by the County to indemnify the State for any claims arising out of the County's performance under the agreement.

## CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this action is not approved, the department will not receive up to \$500,000 in State grant money for the RSAT program during fiscal year 2021-22.

## ATTACHMENTS

Resolution 2021/255