To: Board of Supervisors

From: Esa Ehmen-Krause, County Probation Officer

Date: November 2, 2021

Subject: Extension Agreement with Seneca Family of Agencies



Contra Costa County

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the County Probation Officer, or designee, to execute a contract amendment with Seneca Family of Agencies, a non-profit corporation, to extend the term from November 30, 2021 to June 30, 2022, with no change to the payment limit, to provide Wraparound Services for youth throughout Contra Costa County.

FISCAL IMPACT:

100% Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Act (JJCPA) revenue.

BACKGROUND:

On December 15, 2020, the Board of Supervisors approved a contract with Seneca Family of Agencies, to provide wraparound services for youth transitioning from short-term residential therapeutic programs who are in need of additional support, 18-year-old non-minor dependents who hope to remain with their family, and imminent risk/ placement avoidance youth. Services are provided to youth and their families to help them develop an individual plan for managing daily challenges in a healthy way.

Previously The Employment and Human Services Department (EHSD) provided these

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▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR		
Action of Board On: 11/02/2021 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER		
Clerks Notes:		
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS		
AYE: ABSENT:	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: November 2, 2021 Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: Laura Cassell, Deputy
Contact: Danielle Fokkema, 925-313-4195		

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services. However, as a result

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

of COVID-19, EHSD lost the funding to be able to provide these services. JJCPA revenue was made available by the Crime Prevention Act of 2000 (Chapter 353) to provide a stable funding source for local juvenile justice programs aimed at curbing crime, and delinquency among at-risk youth and juvenile offenders. The Probation Department has a small fund balance in our JJCPA revenue and can use these funds to continue to support wraparound services for youths.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Services will not be available to youths at a difficult time of transition or placement avoidance.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This action supports one of the community outcomes established in the Children's Report Card. 1) "Children and Youth Healthy and Preparing for a Productive Adulthood."