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County

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: June 7, 2022

Subject: Contract #74-108-14(18) with Mary Ann Kacerguis, LMFT

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County, contract #74-108-14(18) with Mary Ann Kacerguis, LMFT, an individual, in an amount not to exceed \$215,000, to provide Medi-Cal specialty mental health services for the period from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this contract will result in contractual service expenditures of up to \$215,000 over a 2-year period and will be funded 50% by Federal Medi-Cal (\$107,500) and 50% by State Mental Health Realignment funds (\$107,500).

**BACKGROUND:**

On January 14, 1997, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 97/17, authorizing the Health Services Director to contract with the State Department of Mental Health, (now known as the Department of Health Care Services) to assume responsibility for Medi-Cal specialty mental health services. Responsibility for outpatient specialty mental health services involves contracts with individual, group and organizational providers to deliver these services. The County has contracted with Mary Ann Kacerguis, LMFT, for Medi-Cal

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **06/07/2022** ☒ 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: June 7, 2022

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

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By: Antonia Welty, Deputy

services since July 2001.

In July 2020, the County Administrator approved and the Purchasing Services Manager executed contract #74-108-14(15), with Mary Ann Kacerguis, LMFT, in an amount not to exceed \$110,000, for the provision of Medi-Cal specialty mental health services, for the period from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022.

In November 2020, the County Administrator approved and the Purchasing Services Manager executed #74-108-14(16), effective December 1, 2020, to amend the contract for additional mental health services with no change in the payment limit or term.

In January 2022, the County Administrator approved and the Purchasing Services Manager executed #74-108-14(17), effective January 1, 2022, to amend the contract to increase the payment limit by \$85,000 to a new total of \$196,000 with no change in the term.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of contract #74-108-14(18) will allow this contractor to continue providing mental health services through June 30, 2024.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, services provided to Contra Costa Mental Health Plan Medi-Cal beneficiaries could be negatively impacted, including access to services, choice of providers, cultural competency, language capacity, geographical locations of service providers, and waiting lists.