

MARIPOSA COUNTY

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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2018-227

MEETING: May 15, 2018
TO: The Board of Supervisors
FROM: Thomas Cooke, District Attorney
RE: MOU Between Mariposa County DA's Office, Mariposa Probation Dept., Alliance and MCSD

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Among Mariposa County District Attorney's Office, Mariposa County Probation, Mariposa County Sheriff's Department and the Alliance for Community Transformations to Work Together Toward the Mutual Goal of Addressing the Gaps in Victim Services in Mariposa County; and Authorize the Mariposa County Administrative Officer and Mariposa County Counsel to Sign the MOU.

Mariposa County District Attorney's Office, Mariposa County Probation, Mariposa County Sheriff's Department and the Alliance for Community Transformations have worked together since the implementation of the County Victim Services Grant was implemented in 2016. This MOU updates and replaces a previously signed and approved MOU that ran from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2018, this new MOU runs July 1, 2018 through December 30th, 2019.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board has approved MOU's in the past between multiple county departments and community agencies and typically approves contracts and MOU's of this nature based on the fact that there are no local resources to facilitate the services within the county.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If not approved Mariposa County District Attorney's Office and other entities will be unable to move forward with the collaborative work as outlined in the MOU.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There will be no financial impact.

ATTACHMENTS:

UPDATED 5-9-18 Victim Witness XC Grant MOU 2018-2019 (PDF)

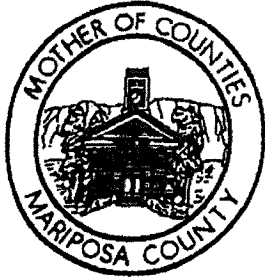
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RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor

SECONDER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor

AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Menetrey



OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA

THOMAS K. COOKE, District Attorney
Seek the Truth, Protect our Community, Deliver Justice

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN

Mariposa County District Attorney's Office
AND
Mariposa County Human Services
AND
Mariposa County Sheriff's Department
AND
Mariposa County Probation Department
AND
Alliance for Community Transformations

This operational agreement stands as evidence that the aforementioned agencies intend to work together toward the mutual goal of addressing the gaps in victim services in Mariposa County. All agencies believe that the implementation of this agreement, as described herein, will further this goal. To this end, each agency agrees to participate in coordinating/providing the following services throughout the duration of the California Office of Emergency Services Victim Services (XC) Program Grant.

Mariposa County District Attorney's Office agrees to:

- Fund a Victim Witness Advocate at 1 FTE to travel one (1) day a week to the northern part of Mariposa County and to provide Victim Witness Services the remainder of their week to all victims of crime in Mariposa County
- Provide resources for transportation for victims and witnesses of crime in Mariposa County. Providing transportation resources for the use of medical appointments, mental health appointments, and other crime-related transportation needs the victim or witness may have.
- Refer Victims of crime to services in Mariposa County, including the Sheriff's Department, Probation, and programs under the Alliance for Community Transformations umbrella.
- Refer Victims in need of mental health services to appropriate resources within the Mariposa County Department for Human Services.
- Convene Steering Committees meetings to ensure that community partners are aware of the resources and available services for victims of crime and provide feedback to grant objectives and activities.
- Enter into sub-award agreements with the following entity for the period of July 1, 2016-December 31st, 2019 with:
 - The Mariposa County Human Services Department to provide office space for North County Victim Services.

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Mariposa County Human Services agrees to:

- Provide office space in the Coulterville Human Services building, one day a week as an in-kind service.
- Refer Victims of crime to the Mariposa County Office for resources and assistance through the criminal justice process and/or the California Victim Compensation Board Application.
- Refer Victims of crime to the Victim Witness Program for assistance with transportation.
- Attend Steering Committee Meetings to ensure the progress on the grant and confer to update the Committee on any new resources/opportunities for Victims of crime in Mariposa County.

Mariposa County Sheriff's Office agrees to:

- Refer Victims of crime to the Mariposa County Office for resources and assistance through the criminal justice process and/or the California Victim Compensation Board Application.
- Refer Victims of crime to the Victim Witness Program for assistance with transportation.
- Attend Steering Committee Meetings to ensure the progress on the grant and confer to update the Committee on any new resources/opportunities for Victims of crime in Mariposa County.

Mariposa County Probation Department agrees to:

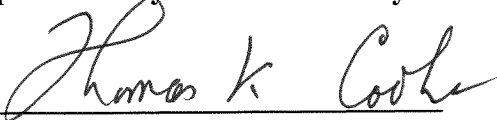
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- Refer Victims of crime to the Victim Witness Program for assistance with transportation.
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Alliance for Community Transformations agrees to:

- Refer Victims of crime to the Mariposa County Office for resources and assistance through the criminal justice process and/or the California Victim Compensation Board Application.
- Refer Victims of crime to the Victim Witness Program for assistance with transportation.
- Attend Steering Committee Meetings to ensure the progress on the grant and confer to update the Committee on any new resources/opportunities for Victims of crime in Mariposa County.

We, the undersigned, as authorized representatives of the abovementioned agencies do hereby approve this document for the period of July 1, 2018 through December 31st, 2019:

Mariposa County District Attorney's Office



Signature

Thomas K. Cooke

Printed Name

Mariposa County Human Services




Signature

Chevon Kothari

Printed Name

CalOES Operation Agreement-Victim Services Program


Mariposa County Sheriff's Office



Signature
Doug Binnewies

Printed Name


Mariposa County Probation Department



Signature
PETE JUDY

Printed Name

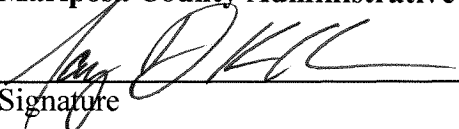
Alliance for Community Transformations



Signature
Alison Tudor

Printed Name


Mariposa County Administrative Officer



Signature
Dallon Kimble

Printed Name

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

BY: 

Steven W. Dahlem
County Counsel