



MARIPOSA COUNTY

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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2018-434

MEETING: September 11, 2018
TO: The Board of Supervisors
FROM: Chevon Kothari, Health and Human Services Director
RE: Today is a New Day Recovery Home Agreement to Provide Residential Care for Substance Abuse Clients

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve an Agreement with Today is a New Day Recovery Home to provide residential recovery services for substance abuse clients referred by Mariposa County Behavioral Health and Mariposa County Probation in an amount not to exceed \$129,600; Approve the Health and Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Business Associate Agreement; and authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to sign the Agreements.

Mariposa County does not operate residential recovery facilities and therefore contracts for such services. There is a need for residential sober living support for those individuals who desire help but cannot stay clean and sober through other means of support, such as utilization of groups offered in the recovery community, traditional counseling services, and Heritage House. The Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment (SAPT) funding for general Alcohol & Drug services has been budgeted for Fiscal Year 18/19 and includes \$264,104 for residential treatment/services.

The Contract will be with Human Services, in partnership with the Probation Department. The Probation Department will pay Human Services \$1800 per month for individuals that are placed by the Probation Department. In the scenario where all five reserved beds are not fully utilized, the Human Services and Probation Department will split the cost of each unfilled held bed (\$900 per month per each unfilled bed for each Department). Probation will make quarterly transfers to Human Services upon invoice.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The current agreement for Today is a New Day Recovery Home was approved by the Board on April 4, 2017 by Resolution 2017-179. An amendment to the current agreement was approved by the Board on June 27, 2017 by Resolution 2017-420.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The Department recorded increased demand in FY2017-18, and the need for residential care for substance abuse clients is projected to remain strong for FY2018-19. If this agreement is not approved, Mariposa County Behavioral Health may not be able to provide this service to its clients.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

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This contract will be paid with Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment funds (SAPT) within the FY18/19 Alcohol & Drug budget unit 001-0403 and fund transfers from Probation. There is no impact to the County General Fund.

ATTACHMENTS:

HIPAA - Today Is A New Day Sept 5 2018 (PDF)

Today Is A New Day Agreement 2019 - Sept 5 2018 (PDF)

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Kevin Cann, District IV Supervisor

SECONDER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor

AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Menetrey