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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: February 27, 2018

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Mike Dent

SUBJECT: Resolution approving execution of Amendment #1 to the renewal contract with Community Recovery Resources (CoRR) pursuant to adjusting the daily rates for Perinatal and Non-Perinatal Detox and Residential Treatment services in the maximum amount of \$80,000 for the term of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2019, not to exceed \$40,000 each fiscal year, for the provision of an array of substance abuse related treatment services for CalWORKs participants as referred by the County's Department of Social Services.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: Contract services are funded through the Department's CalWORKs Single Allocation and CalWORKs funding specific to substance abuse treatment for CalWORKs clients. The Department receives this funding annually from the California Department of Social Services (CDSS), which is comprised of State/Federal monies. The Department may utilize these funds to help clients overcome barriers to employment and reach the goal of self-sufficiency. A budget amendment is not necessary and there are no county general fund dollars required in the Agreement.

BACKGROUND:

Per Resolution No. 17-394, the Board of Supervisors approved a renewal contract with CoRR to provide residential substance abuse treatment services, including detox services at Hope House and Serenity House, supportive transitional housing services in a "Clean and Sober Transitional Living Environment" (CASTLE) as well as wrap-around support services to active CalWORKs clients, as referred by the Department of Social Services -

CalWORKs program staff. Pursuant to this amendment, the daily rates for Perinatal and Non-Perinatal Detox and Residential Treatment services are being adjusted.

Hope House offers a unique, specially designed residential treatment program for women with children. It is specifically designed to lessen the impact on the family while the mother is in treatment/recovery. Serenity House provides parallel program services for men.

The residential services provided include the following:

- 24-hour supervision
- Individual Counseling
- Group Counseling
- Vocational and literacy assessment and referral
- Development of a treatment plan
- AA and NA Meetings on site
- Referrals to appropriate support services

The residential program is authorized for a 30-90 day treatment period. CalWORKs clients who successfully complete the Hope House/ Serenity House residential programs, as well as other CalWORKs clients who are enrolled in CoRR outpatient program, may then participate in the next phase of recovery, the transitional housing program (CASTLE). Clients may reside at transitional living homes for up to six months as they continue to develop independent living skills. The transitional CASTLE program assists families with appropriate counseling services, self-sufficiency assistance, advocacy, and referrals which are done in a family environment home, with supervision by Contractor's staff.

It is recommended that the Board approve this amendment as the expertise provided by CORR in the substance abuse area continues to be instrumental in identifying, assessing, overcoming, and reporting on employment barriers that may keep CalWORKs clients from meeting their mandated CalWORKs employment plan or from being job ready.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Mike Dent, MPA, Director of Social Services